

**PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
HARRISBURG, PENNSYLVANIA 17120**

Duquesne Light Company's
Universal Service Charge
Reconciliation For The Nine Months
Ended December 31, 2011.

Public Meeting March 29, 2012
2276459-ALJ
Docket No. M-2011-2276459

**MOTION OF
CHAIRMAN ROBERT F. POWELSON**

Before the Commission today for disposition is the Section 1307(e)¹ reconciliation for Duquesne Light Company's (Duquesne or Company) Universal Service Charge. Administrative Law Judge Colwell's Recommended Decision in this matter states that Duquesne experienced an undercollection of \$6,657,814 for the period April 21, 2011 through December 31, 2011. My evaluation of Duquesne's revenues and expenses, however, shows that this figure actually represents an overcollection by the Company. Further, a review of the Company's filing and the hearing transcript² both support the conclusion that this figure is an overcollection. Therefore the Commission's Order in this matter should contain this corrected characterization of the amounts collected by the Company pursuant to its Universal Service Charge.

THEREFORE, I MOVE THAT:

The Office of Special Assistants prepare an Opinion and Order consistent with this Motion.



ROBERT F. POWELSON
CHAIRMAN

DATE: March 29, 2012

¹ 66 Pa. C.S. § 1307(e)

² See Tr. at 7:8-9.