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Via E-Filing
Secretary Rosemary Chiavetta
Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission
P.O. Box 3265
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Re: M-2012-2334387 – Petition Of Metropolitan Edison Company
M-2012-2334392 – Petition Of Pennsylvania Electric Company
M-2012-2334395 – Petition Of Pennsylvania Power Company
M-2012-2334398 – Petition Of West Penn Power Company
For Approval of its Act 129 Phase II Energy Efficiency and Conservation Plan

Dear Secretary Chiavetta:

On December 1, 2012, the Pennsylvania Bulletin, [43 Pa.B. 7372] published notice of First Energy Companies Petitions for Approval of their Phase II EE&C Plans which were filed with the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission on November 13, 2012. That notice provided a period of 20 days for parties to submit comments to the proposed plans.

The First Energy Plans have has been referred to the Office of Administrative Law Judge and assigned to ALJ Elizabeth Barnes for hearings and referral to the Commission for a decision. On December 14, 2012, the Coalition for Affordable Utility Services and Energy Efficiency in Pennsylvania (CAUSE-PA) filed a Petition to Intervene. A Prehearing Memorandum in this proceeding was filed on December 18, 2012. A prehearing conference was held on December 19, 2012 at which time the individual company proceedings were consolidated and ALJ Barnes granted CAUSE-PA's Petition to Intervene. CAUSE-PA intends to file Direct Testimony and fully participate in the litigated proceeding.

CAUSE-PA is filing this letter in lieu of comments to inform the Commission of its intent to fully participate as an Intervener in the captioned proceeding before the ALJ through the filing of testimony and briefing.

Respectfully submitted,



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**BEFORE THE
PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**

Petition of Metropolitan Edison Company	:	
for Approval of its Act 129 Phase II	:	M-2012-2334387
Energy Efficiency and Conservation Plan	:	
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Petition of Pennsylvania Power Company	:	
For Approval of its Act 129 Phase II	:	M-2012-2334395
Energy Efficiency and Conservation Plan	:	
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Petition of West Penn Power Company	:	
For Approval of its Act 129 Phase II	:	M-2012-2334398
Energy Efficiency and Conservation Plan	:	

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I hereby certify that I have this day served copies of the attached Comment letter via Email and US Postal Service First Class Mail upon the statutory parties and counsel of record in the captioned matter as set forth below in accordance with the requirements of 52 Pa. Code § 1.54:

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