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Rosemary Chiavetta, Secretary
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Re: Petition of Duquesne Light Company for Approval of Default Service Plan for the Period June 1, 2013 Through May 31, 2015 - Letter Comments to the Tentative Order on Reconsideration, Docket No. P-2012-2301664

Petition of PECO Energy Company for Approval of its Default Service Program II, Docket No. P-2012-2283641

Joint Petition of Metropolitan Edison Company, Pennsylvania Electric Company, Pennsylvania Power Company and West Penn Power Company for Approval of Their Default Service Programs, Docket Nos. P-2011-2273650, P-2011-2273668, P-2011-2273669 and P-2011-2273670

Petition of PPL Electric Utilities Corporation for Approval of a Default Service Program and Procurement Plan, Docket No. P-2012-2302074

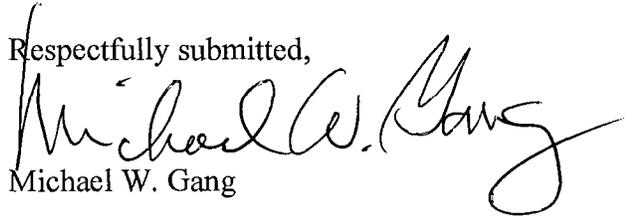
Dear Secretary Chiavetta:

On April 4, 2013, the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission (“Commission”) entered its Final Order on Reconsideration (“*Retail Opt-In Final Order*”) at the above-referenced dockets directing the major electric distribution companies (“EDCs”) to immediately postpone the implementation of their Retail Opt-In Programs and stop all activities relating to the Retail Opt-In Programs. The Commission further directed the major EDCs to submit revisions to their default service plans to the extent necessary to remove the Retail Opt-In Programs from those plans. The *Retail Opt-In Final Order* affirmed the Commission’s intent to postpone implementation of the Opt-In Programs as first set forth in its Tentative Order on Reconsideration issued on March 14, 2013 (“*Retail Opt-In Tentative Order*”).

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Duquesne Light Company (“Duquesne Light” or the “Company”) notes that in its Revised Default Service Compliance Filing made on March 22, 2013, the Company stated that it would postpone implementation of its Retail Opt-In Program if the *Retail Opt-In Tentative Order* became final. Revised Default Service Compliance Filing, p. 7, paragraph 25. Through this letter, Duquesne Light hereby confirms that it is removing the Retail Opt-In Program from its default service plan and will not offer the Program to electricity generation suppliers or customers. Duquesne Light has suspended all expenditures associated with the Retail Opt-In Program. Duquesne Light does not believe that any additional filing is necessary for the Company to comply with the *Retail Opt-In Final Order*.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Michael W. Gang". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style with a large, sweeping tail on the letter "g".

Michael W. Gang

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that true and correct copies of the foregoing have been served upon the following persons, in the manner indicated, in accordance with the requirements of § 1.54 (relating to service by a participant).

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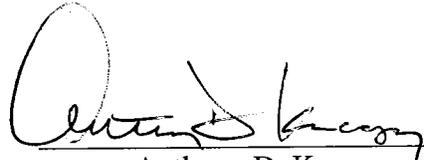
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