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Effectively immediately, please remove my name from any and all mailing lists of the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission and other relevant lists pertaining to any and all issues, especially the restructuring of the electric industry. I no longer represent interests in those proceedings and it is extremely un-ecological to continue to receive your mailings. Thank you so much.

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RE: Application of PECO Energy Company for Approval of its Restructuring
Plan Under Section 2806 of the Public Utility Code
Docket No. R-00973953

Dear Mr. McNulty:

Enclosed please find the original and three copies of a Withdrawal of Appearance for myself as counsel for Enron Power Marketing, Inc, in reference to the above mentioned case. As evidenced by the attached Certificate of Service, all parties of record have been served.

If you have any questions, please contact the undersigned.

Respectfully,



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cc: Parties of Record

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In re the Application of PECO Energy Company :
for Approval of its Restructuring Plan : No. R-00973953
Under Section 2806 of the Pennsylvania :
Public Utility Code :

WITHDRAWAL OF APPEARANCE

TO: James J. McNulty, Secretary

Please withdraw my entry of appearance as counsel for Enron Power Marketing, Inc.
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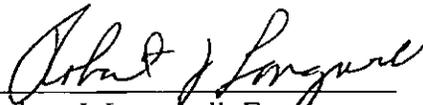
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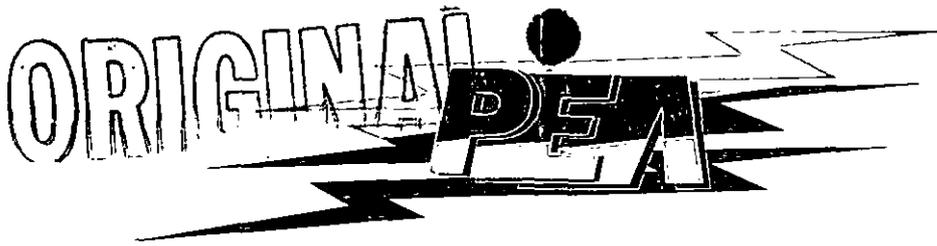
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**SUBJECT: COMMENTS on the TENTATIVE ORDER
ENTERED 10/20/98
RE: PECO JOINT PETITION FOR FULL SETTLEMENT
COMPETITIVE PROVIDER OF LAST RESORT**

**DOCKET NOs. R-00973953
and P-00971265**

Dear Mr. McNulty:

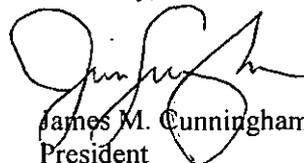
In a tentative order entered on October 20, 1998, the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission ("Commission") set forth for public comment its proposed procedures for implementing Paragraph 38 of PECO's Joint Petition for Full Settlement. Paragraph 38 relates to the selection of a competitive provider of last resort. In its order, the Commission established a thirty (30) day public comment period, with these comments due by November 19, 1998.

The Pennsylvania Electric Association ("PEA"), on behalf of its member companies, hereby requests that the time for filing comments be extended until December 1, 1998, for the following reasons.

PEA and its member companies have identified several issues that are of extreme importance to the Commission, and believe that their comments should be fully developed to reflect best practices. These issues include the terms on which a customer may return from Competitive Default Service to electric distribution company (EDC) PLR service. (This provision, as stated, means the Competitive Default Service Supplier is not the final provider of last resort.) Other important issues that should be fully developed include the technical fitness of the Competitive Default Supplier, and certain metering and billing issues.

PEA and its member companies believe that a two-week extension would enable us to file comprehensive comments and permit the Commission to meet its January 1, 1999, obligation. It is for these reasons that PEA respectfully requests an extension of the time for filing comments in this matter until December 1, 1998.

Sincerely,


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A Brief Note

November 14, 1998

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I am writing in response to a postcard I received from PECO Energy in September of 1997. I have waited a year to reply because I have been busy. My anger over this issue has not diminished though.

The postcard concerns the PUC approving a restructuring plan by PECO. Part of the plan would allow Pennsylvanians to choose their electricity provider. It also allows PECO to write-off \$2 billion of "stranded costs". It also allows PECO to recover \$5.46 billion in "stranded assets" through "transition" charges.

All that is going on here is PECO is, in a round-about way, charging consumers for the costs of 3 Mile Island. Terms like "stranded costs" or "transition charges" are merely semantics. PECO is simply avoiding paying the costs of that nuclear accident and worse, pushing them onto the consumers of Pennsylvania. 3 Mile Island was PECO's fault and those costs were something PECO has to bear alone as a result of its negligence and poor planning.

The PUC should be ashamed for allowing these plans to be approved. I disapprove of your actions and PECO getting away with not paying for the costs of 3 Mile Island.

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