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**Re: Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission v. PPL Electric Utilities Corporation
Docket No. R-2012-2290597**

**Office of Consumer Advocate v. PPL Electric Utilities Corporation
Docket No. C-2014-2456453**

Dear Secretary Chiavetta:

PPL Electric Utilities Corporation (“PPL Electric”) submits this letter in support of the Certification of a Material Question to the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission (“Commission”) in the above-referenced matter. For the reasons explained below, PPL Electric supports the Certification of a Material Question and respectfully requests that the Commission should review and answer the material question in the affirmative.

On December 18, 2014, the Commission suspended the proposed Supplement No. 165 to Tariff – Electric Pa. P.U.C. No. 201 and instituted an investigation into the lawfulness, justness, and reasonableness of the rates, rules, and regulations contained therein after the Office of Consumer Advocate (“OCA”) filed a Formal Complaint against the proposed tariff. After further review of the matter, the OCA has decided to withdraw its Formal Complaint. There are no other parties that oppose the tariff filing. The parties seek to end this litigation before they are required to expend further resources.


The Certification of a Material Question will significantly reduce the time and expenses that the parties, the Presiding Officer, and the Commission must expend on the proceedings.

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PPL Electric submits that the investigation ordered by the Commission Order of December 18, 2014, to determine the lawfulness, justness, and reasonableness of the rates, rules, and regulations contained in PPL Electric Utilities Corporation's proposed Supplement No. 165 to Tariff – Electric Pa. P.U.C. No. 201 should be terminated, and PPL Electric should be permitted to file a tariff supplement effective on February 1, 2015, to implement the proposed Storm Damage Expense Rider.

Copies will be provided as indicated on the Certificate of Service.

Respectfully submitted,



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Enclosure

cc: Honorable Susan D. Colwell
Certificate of Service

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 52 Pa. Code § 1.54 (relating to service by a participant).

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