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January 12, 2015

Rosemary Chiavetta, Secretary  
Pa. Public Utility Commission  
P.O. Box 3265  
Harrisburg PA 17105-3265

Re: Pa. PUC v. West Penn Power Co.  
Docket No. R-2014-2428742

Dear Secretary Chiavetta:

Enclosed for filing please find the Petition for Leave to Withdraw the Petition to Intervene of Utility Workers Union of America, System Local 102 in the above-referenced proceeding.

The document was filed electronically with the Commission on this date.

Sincerely,  


Enclosure

cc: Dennis J. Buckley, ALJ  
Katrina L. Dunderdale, ALJ  
All parties of record

BEFORE THE  
PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission	:	
	:	
v.	:	Docket No. R-2014-2428742
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West Penn Power Company	:	

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PETITION TO FOR LEAVE TO WITHDRAW  
THE PETITION TO INTERVENE OF  
UTILITY WORKERS UNION OF AMERICA, SYSTEM LOCAL 102

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Pursuant to 52 Pa. Code § 5.94, Utility Workers Union of America, System Local 102 (“UWUA”), hereby petitions for leave to withdraw the Petition to Intervene that it filed on September 9, 2014, in the above-captioned proceeding. In support of this Petition, UWUA states as follows:

1. UWUA is the authorized collective bargaining representative for hundreds of employees of West Penn Power Company (“West Penn”).
2. On August 4, 2014, West Penn filed a request for an increase in base rates and various riders totaling approximately \$115.5 million.
3. On September 9, 2014, UWUA filed a Petition to Intervene because of its concerns that issues may be raised in the case that directly affect the interests of UWUA's members as customers and employees of West Penn.
4. UWUA carefully reviewed the information provided by West Penn and other parties throughout this proceeding. UWUA had expressed specific concerns with West

Penn's reliability of service, among others. UWUA notes that some of its concerns also were addressed by other parties, including the Office of Consumer Advocate ("OCA").

5. On January 7, 2015, UWUA was informed that West Penn, OCA, and other parties had reached an agreement in principle to settle issues related to customer service and reliability, among others.

6. While UWUA does not take a position on all of the matters included in the agreement in principle, UWUA believes that the agreement makes progress toward addressing the issues of primary concern to UWUA in this proceeding. Consequently, UWUA has concluded that its participation in this proceeding is no longer required to protect the interests of its members, as employees and customers of West Penn.

WHEREFORE, Utility Workers Union of America, System Local 102, respectfully requests leave to withdraw its Petition to Intervene in this proceeding.

Respectfully submitted,



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Dated: January 12, 2015

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that I have caused to be served this day a true copy of the foregoing document upon the parties listed below by electronic mail and U.S. mail, first-class, postage prepaid, in accordance with the requirements of 52 Pa. Code § 1.54 (relating to service by a party).

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