**PENNSYLVANIA**

**PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**

**Harrisburg, PA 17105-3265**

Public Meeting held February 9, 2017

Commissioners Present:

Gladys M. Brown, Chairman

Andrew G. Place, Vice Chairman

John F. Coleman, Jr.

Robert F. Powelson

David W. Sweet

Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission R-2016-2537349

Office of Small Business Advocate C-2016-2544355

Office of Consumer Advocate C-2016-2543247

Met-Ed Industrial Users Group C-2016-2549787

David Johnson C-2016-2565550

Jeanette Lippy C-2016-2549370

Dennis Miller C-2016-2551248

John O’Mara C-2016-2556970

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Metropolitan Edison Company

Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission R-2016-2537352

Office of Small Business Advocate C-2016-2544356

Office of Consumer Advocate C-2016-2543266

Penelec Industrial Customer Alliance C-2016-2549792

Borough of Athens : C-2016-2552366

Borough of South Waverly C-2016-2552369

Borough of Sayre C-2016-2553194

Larry Cole C-2016-2551244

Larry Gates C-2016-2552878

Kenneth Hall C-2016-2551643

Eric Hetrick C-2016-2551207

Kim Hillegass C-2016-2553215

Charles Hoover C-2016-2560032

Maureen Hoover C-2016-2552615

Robert Moore C-2016-2551236

Janine & Jeff Riblett C-2016-2550110

Kenneth Springirth C-2016-2546231

Rebecca Stiles C-2016-2551230

Nicholson Borough C-2016-2560016

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Pennsylvania Electric Company

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Office of Small Business Advocate C-2016-2544358

Office of Consumer Advocate C-2016-2543268

John Catterson C-2016-2552384

Richard Collins C-2016-2547484

Roland Gassman C-2016-2553461

John McDowell C-2016-2551614

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Pennsylvania Power Company

Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission R-2016-2537359

Office of Small Business Advocate C-2016-2544359

Office of Consumer Advocate C-2016-2543315

West Penn Power Industrial Intervenors C-2016-2549413

Jean Bitner C-2016-2554871

Mary Ellen McConnell C-2016-2552601

Troy Mckenzie C-2016-2553313

Eleanor Pinchok C-2016-2555095

Robert Redinger, Jr. C-2016-2542278

Kathleen Tretinik C-2016-2552271

Worthington Boro Street Lights C-2016-2548424

 v.

West Penn Power Company

**OPINION AND ORDER**

**BY THE COMMISSION:**

Before the Commission for consideration and disposition is a Petition for Reconsideration or Clarification (Petition) filed by the Office of Consumer Advocate (OCA) on February 3, 2017, seeking reconsideration and/or clarification of the Opinion and Order entered on January 19, 2017, relative to the above-captioned proceeding.

Pursuant to Rule 1701 of the Pennsylvania Rules of Appellate Procedure, Pa. R.A.P. 1701, the Commission must act to grant a petition for reconsideration within thirty days of the date of entry of the order for which reconsideration is sought, or otherwise lose jurisdiction to do so if a petition for review is timely filed. The thirty‑day period within which the Commission must act upon the Petition in order to preserve jurisdiction ends on February 20, 2017. Accordingly, we shall grant reconsideration, within the meaning of Pa. R.A.P. Rule 1701(b)(3), pending review of, and consideration on, the merits of the Petition; **THEREFORE,**

**IT IS ORDERED:**

That the Petition for Reconsideration or Clarification filed on February 3, 2017, by the Office of Consumer Advocate, is hereby granted, pending further review of, and consideration on, the merits.

 **BY THE COMMISSION,**

 Rosemary Chiavetta

 Secretary

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ORDER ADOPTED: February 9, 2017

ORDER ENTERED: February 9, 2017