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Rosemary Chiavetta, Secretary
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Re: Application of PPL Electric Utilities
Corporation For Approval of Intercompany
Restructuring
Docket No. A-2017-2629534

Dear Secretary Chiavetta:

Attached for electronic filing please find the Office of Consumer Advocate's Notice of Intervention and Public Statement in the above-referenced proceeding.

Copies have been served per the attached Certificate of Service.

Respectfully Submitted,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Aron J. Beatty', written over a horizontal line.

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Enclosure

cc: Honorable Charles E. Rainey, Jr.
Certificate of Service

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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I hereby certify that I have this day served a true copy of the foregoing document, the Office of Consumer Advocate's Notice of Intervention and Public Statement, upon parties of record in this proceeding in accordance with the requirements of 52 Pa. Code § 1.54 (relating to service by a participant), in the manner and upon the persons listed below:

Dated this 22nd day of November 2017.

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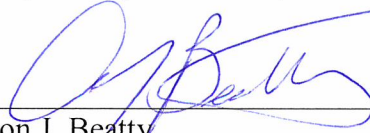
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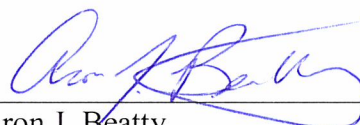
Application of PPL Electric Utilities :
Corporation for Intercompany : Docket No. A-2017-2629534
Restructuring :

NOTICE OF INTERVENTION

Pursuant to 52 Pa. Code Sections 5.71-5.74, the Office of Consumer Advocate hereby gives its Notice of Intervention in the above-captioned proceeding. A copy of all correspondence and notices, documents, orders or other communications with respect to the above-captioned proceeding should be addressed to the following:

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PUBLIC STATEMENT OF THE OFFICE OF CONSUMER ADVOCATE
PURSUANT TO 71 P.S. SECTION 309-4(e)

Act 161 of the Pennsylvania General Assembly, 71 P.S. Section 309-2, as enacted July 9, 1976, authorizes the Consumer Advocate to represent the interests of consumers before the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission (Commission). In accordance with Act 161, and for the following reasons, the Acting Consumer Advocate determined to intervene and participate in the Application of PPL Electric Utilities Corporation for Approval of Intercompany Restructuring (Restructuring Application) before the Commission.

On October 16, 2017 PPL Electric Utilities Corporation (PPL EU) filed its Restructuring Application with the Commission. PPL Corporation proposes a corporate restructuring in two steps. In the first step, PPL Corporation will form two new Delaware holding companies, “Newco 1” and “Newco 2”. Newco 1 will be owned directly by PPL Corporation and Newco 2 will be owned directly by Newco 1. In step two, PPL Corporation plans to contribute all of the interests it holds in certain of its direct, wholly owned subsidiaries, including its shares in PPL EU and PPL EF, to Newco 1.

The Acting Consumer Advocate determined to intervene in this proceeding to protect the interests of PPL EU’s ratepayers. The Office of Consumer Advocate will participate in this proceeding to help ensure that the requested issuance of a Certificate of Public Convenience is only granted if it can meet the legal requirements. The Office of Consumer Advocate will further participate to ensure that the proposed restructuring is in accordance with Section 1103 of the Public Utility Code and all other applicable statutes, regulations, and Commission orders.