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Re: Jennifer and Wesley Orvosh v. West Penn Power Company
Docket No. C-2019-3009777

Dear Secretary Chiavetta:

In accordance with the Interim Order issued on July 1, 2019 in the above-referenced matter, this letter serves as an update to the status report filed on behalf of West Penn Power Company ("West Penn") on October 30, 2019. Counsel for West Penn spoke with Mr. and Mrs. Orvosh on today's date in order to request their availability for a one-day telephonic hearing after February 1, 2019, at the request of the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission's Office of Administrative Law Judge.

During the telephone call, Mr. and Mrs. Orvosh refused to provide any hearing availability until West Penn responded to their recent discovery requests, served on October 30, 2019, and which were only received via first class mail today, shortly after the subject phone call. Counsel reminded the Complainants that by order of the presiding officer in this matter, discovery had closed on October 9, 2019. Mr. and Mrs. Orvosh simply responded that they would not be interested in talking about a hearing until said interrogatories were responded to and, if counsel for West Penn had any questions, she should contact Secretary Chiavetta.


As Mr. and Mrs. Orvosh have refused to provide notice of their intended witnesses, availability for the scheduling of a hearing, or preference for format and location of the hearing, West Penn's counsel and witness advise that they would be available for a telephonic hearing on one of the following dates: February 4, 10-12, 14, 18-21, or 24-27, 2020.¹

¹ Note that West Penn is assuming at this point that Mr. and Mr. Orvosh do not intend to present testimony other than their own. As such, for purposes of this report, the Company plans to only present the testimony of Mr. John Ahr. To the extent that the Complainants were to indicate the presentation of any expert witness testimony, the Company's original list of three witnesses would still be presented and updated availability may be required.

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Copies of this report are being provided in accordance with the attached Certificate of Service. Should you have any questions regarding this report, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,


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