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February 7, 2020

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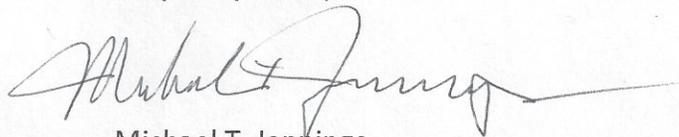
Re: Michael T. Jennings v. West Penn Power Company
Docket No. C-2018-3006031

Dear Secretary Chiavetta,

Attached please find my **Letter of Apology and Explanation** in the above-referenced matter. This document has been served on West Penn Power as shown in the Certificate of Service.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Very Truly Yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Michael T. Jennings", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Michael T. Jennings

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Enclosures

CC: ALJ Watson
West Penn Power, as per Certificate of Service

BEFORE THE
PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

MICHAEL T. JENNINGS

v.

WEST PENN POWER COMPANY

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Docket No. C-2018-3006031

LETTER OF APOLOGY AND EXPLANATION

February 7, 2020

Dear Honorable Judge Watson, Ms. Lepkoski, and Ms. Giesler,

The purpose of this letter is to convey my sincere apologies for any inconvenience each of you, and the witnesses, may have experienced when I filed to reschedule my hearing. First, I did not include an explanation for the reason I requested my hearing to be rescheduled. Second, I did not check the calendar against my witnesses' schedules carefully.

My son is experiencing a health crisis at this time, and has been for a few weeks. He is seizing frequently day and night. It is a full-time job for me and my wife to care for him 24/7. There are days we get very little sleep, but we have to keep going to caregive for him.

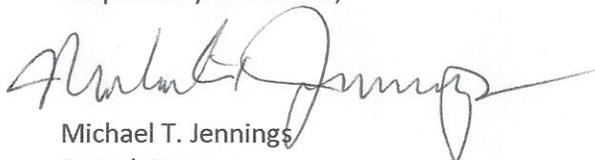
Upon receiving the dates from my witnesses, I promptly sent the information to Ms. Giesler, but I did not carefully check the date against schedule restrictions as I was juggling so many things just to keep my son alive.

As a reminder, we are pro se and we will make mistakes. As pro se, we should be afforded grace, leniency, and more understanding. We are doing the best we can in our situation.

In my request to reschedule, I suggested August 3-5, 2020 (Monday – Wednesday), which are dates that are acceptable to my witnesses and to myself. My factual witness will be available on Monday, August 3 and Tuesday, August 4.

Again, I sincerely apologize for any inconvenience this may have caused.

Respectfully Submitted,



Michael T. Jennings
Complainant

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Cc: Rosemary Chiavetta, Esq. Public Utility Commission
West Penn Power, As Per Certificate of Service

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Respondent	:	

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served a true copy of the **Letter of Apology and Explanation**, in accordance with the requirement of 52 Pa. Code § 1.54 (relating to service by a participant.)

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