

**PENNSYLVANIA
PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
Harrisburg, PA. 17105-3265**

Public Meeting held April 4, 2024

Commissioners Present:

Stephen M. DeFrank, Chairman
Kimberly Barrow, Vice Chair
Ralph V. Yanora
Kathryn L. Zerfuss
John F. Coleman, Jr.

Metropolitan Edison Company Universal Service and Energy Conservation Plan for 2024-2028 Docket No. M-2022-3036532

West Penn Power Company Universal Service and Energy Conservation Plan for 2024-2028 Docket No. M-2022-3036533

Pennsylvania Power Company Universal Service and Energy Conservation Plan for 2024-2028 Docket No. M-2022-3036534

Pennsylvania Electric Company Universal Service and Energy Conservation Plan for 2024-2028 Docket No. M-2022-3036535

ORDER

BY THE COMMISSION:


Before the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission (Commission) for consideration and disposition is the Petition for Reconsideration and/or Clarification of the Coalition for Affordable Utility Services and Energy Efficiency in Pennsylvania (CAUSE-PA) filed on March 29, 2024. The Petition for Reconsideration seeks reconsideration and/or clarification of the Commission's March 14, 2024 Final Order regarding the FirstEnergy Pennsylvania Universal Service and Energy Conservation Plan for 2024-2028 in the above-captioned proceedings.

Pursuant to Rule 1701 of the Pennsylvania Rules of Appellate Procedure, Pa. R.A.P. § 1701 (relating to effect of appeal generally), 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.¹ The thirty-day period within which the Commission must act on the Petition for Reconsideration in order to preserve jurisdiction relative to the March 14, 2024 Order ends on April 13, 2024. CAUSE-PA timely filed the Petition for Reconsideration on March 29, 2024. Accordingly, we shall grant reconsideration pending a review on the merits; **THEREFORE,**

IT IS ORDERED:

1. That the Petition for Reconsideration, filed by the Coalition for Affordable Utility Services and Energy Efficiency in Pennsylvania on March 29, 2024, is hereby granted, pending further review of, and consideration on, the merits of the Coalition for Affordable Utility Services and Energy Efficiency in Pennsylvania's Petition for Reconsideration.

BY THE COMMISSION


Rosemary Chiavetta
Secretary

(SEAL)

ORDER ADOPTED: April 4, 2024

ORDER ENTERED: April 4, 2024

¹ Commission Rules of Practice and Procedure provide that a party may file an answer to a petition for reconsideration within ten (10) days of service. 52 Pa. Code § 5.572(e) (relating to petitions for relief following a final decision). As of the date of drafting this Order, no responsive filings have been received in response to the Petition for Reconsideration.