

PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17120

**Investigation Into Third-Party Access to
Electric Distribution Company
Customer Data**

**Public Meeting held August 22, 2024
3029018-OSA
Docket No. M-2021-3029018**

MOTION OF VICE CHAIR KIMBERLY BARROW

Before the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission (Commission) for consideration and disposition is a Letter and Petition for Reconsideration from Staff Action (Petition) filed by Conifer, Green Building Alliance, Keystone Energy Efficiency Alliance, Mission:data Coalition, and National Energy Improvement Fund (collectively, Petitioners) on July 14, 2023, in response to the Commission's Secretarial Letter dated July 3, 2023 (July Secretarial Letter). The July Secretarial Letter closed the Commission's investigation because a viable path for registered conservation service providers and other third parties to access customer data electronically from electric distribution companies' data systems with customer consent was established in the FirstEnergy Default Service Plan Proceeding that was approved by the Commission on August 4, 2022.

The July Secretarial Letter and FirstEnergy's proposed Default Service Plan provide an avenue for access to the data for non-EGS parties. The Petitioners have not persuaded me to revisit this avenue before it has been given time to succeed.

THEREFORE, I MOVE THAT:

1. That the Petition for Reconsideration from Staff Action filed by Conifer, the Green Building Alliance, Keystone Energy Efficiency Alliance, Mission:data, and the National Energy Efficiency Fund is denied, consistent with this Motion.
2. That the Secretarial Letter dated July 3, 2023 is affirmed, consistent with this Motion.
3. The Office of Special Assistants shall prepare an opinion and order consistent with this Motion.

August 22, 2024
Date


Kimberly Barrow, Vice Chair