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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Mr. Matthew L. Homsher, Secretary
Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission
Commonwealth Keystone Building
2nd Floor, Room-N201
400 North Street
Harrisburg, PA 17120

Re: **Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission, et al. v Duquesne Light Company**
Docket No. R-2024-3046523

Dear Secretary Homsher:

Pursuant to paragraph 34 of the Joint Petition for Settlement approved by Commission Order entered November 7, 2024, at Docket No. R-2024-3046523, please find enclosed for filing Duquesne Light Company's affidavit and report attesting to the actual contributions to pension trusts during the 2025 calendar year.

If you have any questions regarding the information contained in this filing, please contact me or Jaime Bachota at 412-393-1122 or jbachota@duqlight.com.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Michael Brechlin", written in a cursive style.

Michael Brechlin
Duquesne Light Company
Managing Director External Affairs
& Regulatory Law

Enclosure

cc: Certificate of Service (w/encl.)

AFFIDAVIT

I, Jaime A. Bachota, Assistant Controller, after being duly sworn, state that I am authorized to make this Affidavit on behalf of Duquesne Light Company (“Duquesne” or “Company”), and that in compliance with the Settlement Agreement and approved Commission Order in the last Duquesne Light distribution base rate case held before the Commission, Docket No. R-2024-3046523 et al., I make the following affirmations:

1. The Settlement Agreement among the parties and approved by the Commission in said distribution rate proceeding provided that Duquesne is to provide a report and affidavit to the Commission attesting to the actual contributions Duquesne made to its pension trust during each preceding calendar year. Commencing with calendar year 2025, Duquesne will deposit into its pension trust an amount equal to \$10,000,000 per year; provided, however, that contribution(s) in any year in excess of the foregoing may be used on a cumulative basis to satisfy future contribution obligations under this Settlement. The Settlement provides for recovery of the expense component of \$5,000,000 (50% of the average cash contributions) of projected future pension contributions. [Settlement Agreement ¶ 34].

2. The Settlement Agreement further provides that if Duquesne concludes a contribution less than \$10,000,000 to the pension trust is appropriate, the Company may reduce the pension contribution and will record a regulatory liability on its books that is equal to 50% of the reduction to the pension contribution below the level of \$10,000,000. [Settlement Agreement ¶ 34].

3. I hereby represent and affirm that no contributions were made by Duquesne to its employee pension trust fund during the calendar year 2025.

4. I further represent and affirm beginning when new rates became effective, that the following regulatory liability represent 50% of the reduction to the pension contributions below the level of \$10,000,000.

	<u>Amount</u>
Contributions in 2025	\$ -
<u>Pension Regulatory Liability</u>	
Pension Recovery per Settlement	\$ 10,000,000.00
Actual Pension Contribution	<u>\$ -</u>
Difference	\$(10,000,000.00)
Adjusted 50% per Settlement	<u>50%</u>
Increase to Pension Regulatory Liability	\$ (5,000,000.00)
Pension Regulatory Liability @ 12/31/2025	\$ (5,000,000.00)

5. I represent that Duquesne has complied with the Settlement Agreement as it relates to its pension funding commitment.

Jaime A. Bachota
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Sworn and subscribed before me this 29th day of January, 2026.

By: Faith Holcomb

My Commission Expires: August 4, 2029

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania - Notary Seal Faith Holcomb, Notary Public Butler County My commission expires August 4, 2029 Commission number 1459943 Member, Pennsylvania Association of Notaries
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**BEFORE THE
PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**

Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission	:	
	:	Docket No. R-2024-3046523
v.	:	
	:	
Duquesne Light Company	:	

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that true and correct copies of the foregoing have been served upon the following persons, in the manner indicated, in accordance with the requirements of §1.54 (relating to service by a participant).

VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

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