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M-2025-3057327

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Re: FirstEnergy Pennsylvania Electric Company Request for Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission Staff Approval of a CSP Contract for EM&V Services, at Docket No. M-2025-3057327

Dear Mr. McHugh:

This letter acknowledges that Commission staff has reviewed the Evaluation Measurement and Verification (“EM&V”) Act 129 Conservation Service Provider (“CSP”) Contract between FirstEnergy Pennsylvania Electric Company (“FirstEnergy”) and Qualus, LLC (“Qualus”), filed with the Commission on November 26, 2025.

The *Phase V Implementation Order*,¹ *inter alia*, required all Electric Distribution Companies subject to Act 129 to submit, for Commission review, all proposed contracts with a CSP. (*Phase V Implementation Order*, Section G, pages 227-230). The Commission must review, and may order the modification of, these proposed contracts. 66 Pa. C.S. § 2806.1(a)(8).

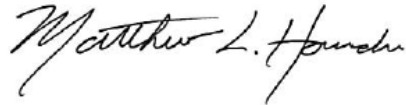
FirstEnergy is advised that the above-referenced CSP Contract is approved.

The determinations in this Secretarial Letter have been made by PUC staff under authority delegated by the Commission. Parties have the right to seek reconsideration of this staff action. Parties may seek reconsideration of these directives by petitioning the Commission within **twenty (20) days** after service of this Secretarial Letter. *See* 52 Pa. Code § 5.44 (relating to petitions for appeal from actions of the staff).

¹ *Energy Efficiency and Conservation Program Implementation Order*, Docket No. M-2025-3052826 (June 18, 2025) (*Phase V Implementation Order*).

Please direct any questions to Joseph Sherrick, Bureau of Technical Utility Services, at (717) 787-2359 or Frank Capasso, Assistant Counsel, Law Bureau, at (717) 425-5440.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Matthew L. Homsher". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "M".

Matthew L. Homsher
Secretary

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