



COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA

March 22, 2018

The Honorable Mary D. Long  
Administrative Law Judge  
Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission  
Commonwealth Keystone Building  
400 North Street  
Harrisburg, PA 17120

**Re: Joint Petition of Metropolitan Edison Company, Pennsylvania Electric Company, Pennsylvania Power Company and West Penn Power Company for approval of their Default Service Programs / Docket Nos. P-2017-2637855, P-2017-2637857, P-2017-2637858, P-2017-2637866**

Dear Judge Long:

Enclosed please find the Rebuttal Testimony of Robert D. Knecht, *labelled OSBA Statement No. 1-R*, on behalf of the Office of Small Business Advocate ("OSBA"), in the above-captioned proceedings.

Copies will be served on all known parties in these proceedings, as indicated on the attached Certificate of Service.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Daniel G. Asmus".

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*Enclosures*

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Parties of Record

**BEFORE THE  
PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**

<b>Joint Petition of Metropolitan Edison Company, :</b>	<b>P-2017-2637855</b>
<b>Pennsylvania Electric Company, Pennsylvania :</b>	<b>P-2017-2637857</b>
<b>Power Company and West Penn Power :</b>	<b>P-2017-2637858</b>
<b>Company for approval of their Default Service :</b>	<b>P-2017-2637866</b>
<b>Programs :</b>	

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that true and correct copies of the foregoing have been served via email and/or First-Class mail (*unless other noted below*) upon the following persons, in accordance with the requirements of 52 Pa. Code § 1.54 (relating to service by a participant).

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