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## INDIANA UTILITY REGULATORY COMMISSION 101 WEST WASHINGTON STREET, SUITE 1500 EAST INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA 46204-3419

## **MEMORANDUM**

TO: Chairman James D. Atterholt

Commissioners Ziegner, Landis, Mays, and Bennett

FROM: Commission Technical Divisions

DATE: March 7, 2013

RE: 30-Day Utility Articles for Conference on THURSDAY, March 14, 2013 @ 3:00 P.M.

The following thirty-day filings have been submitted to the Commission. Each item was reviewed by the appropriate Commission Technical Divisions and all regulations were met in accordance with 170 IAC 1-6 Thirty-Day Administrative Filing Procedures and Guidelines. Therefore, the following filings listed below and attached hereto are recommended to be considered by the Commission at the next conference:

| Attachment<br>Number | 30-Day<br>Filing No. | Name of Utility Company        | Type of Request  | Date Received |
|----------------------|----------------------|--------------------------------|--|---------------|
| 1                    | 3103                 | Silver Creek Water             | Water Cost Supplier Tracker                                | 02/05/2013    |
| 2                    | 3104                 | Indiana Michigan Power Co.     | Tariffs C.S.–IRP and RTP                                   | 02/09/2013    |
| 3                    | 3105                 | Indianapolis Power & Light Co. | Rate REP: Indianapolis Motor<br>Speedway & Blue Renewables | 02/05/2013    |
| 4                    | 3106                 | Indianapolis Power & Light Co. | Rate REP: A-Pallet & Bulldog<br>Energy (1305 S. Bedford)   | 02/11/2013    |
| 5                    | 3107                 | Indianapolis Power & Light Co. | Rate REP: A-Pallet & Bulldog<br>Energy (1225 S. Bedford)   | 02/11/2013    |
| 6                    | 3108                 | Frankfort City Light & Power   | Power Cost Tracker   | 02/12/2013    |
| 7                    | 3109                 | Indiana Michigan Power Co.     | Rider D.L.C2   | 02/12/2013    |

Submitted By: Curt Gassert

Director, Water/Sewer Division

Filing Party:

Silver Creek Water

30-Day Filing ID No.:

3103

Date Filed:

February 5, 2013

Filed Pursuant To:

170 IAC 1-6 and 170 IAC 6-5

Request:

The utility is proposing to increase its Wholesale Cost Water Tracker

rates due to an increase in the wholesale price.

**Customer Impact:** 

See Below.

| Silver Creek Water Corporation | Current | Proposed |
|--------------------------------|---------|----------|
| Cost per 1,000 gallons         | \$2.20  | \$2.27   |

Tariff Pages Affected:

Appendix A

Staff Recommendations: Requirements met. Recommend approval.

Submitted By: Bradley K. Borum & K. Director, Electric Division

Filing Party:

Indiana Michigan Power Company Utility (I&M)

30-Day Filing ID No.:

3104

**Date Filed:** 

February 11, 2013

Filed Pursuant To:

Cause No. 43306

Request:

Request to remove from I&M's Schedule of Tariffs and Terms and Conditions of Service Governing Sale of Electricity Tariff C.S. -IRP (Contract Service Interruptible Power) and Tariff RTP (Experimental Real-time Pricing Tariff).

I&M does not have any customers on or customers eligible for Tariff C.S.-IRP and Tariff RTP.

Tariff C.S.-IRP was formed in 1990's to address inadequacies in Tariff IRP and to provide customers interruptible service options. Various changes occurred since that time, including I&M joining the PJM RTO market. Consequently as a result of the Commission's Order in Cause No. 43306 on March 4, 2009, I&M withdrew Tariff C.S.-IRP except for existing customers receiving service prior to the Order.

I&M's Tariff RTP in Cause No. 43306 allowed customers to manage their electric cost by shifting load from higher cost to lower cost pricing periods or by adding new load during lower price periods. Experimental Tariff RTP provided I&M an opportunity to test the design of the rates, the systems needed to implement the tariff and gauge customer interest and acceptance of this offering for a 3-year period expiring on May 31, 2012.

**Customer Impact:** 

N/A

**Tariff Pages Affected:** 

Tariff CS-IRP, Sheet Nos. 27 and 27.1

Tariff RTP, Sheet Nos. 29, 29.1, 29.2, 29.3 and 29.4.

Staff Recommendations: This is an administrative 'clean up' of the tariff sheets to remove

expired experimental tariffs. Staff recommends approval.

Submitted By: Bradley K. Borum Director, Electric Division

Filing Party:

Indianapolis Power & Light Company

30-Day Filing ID No.:

3105

Date Filed:

February 11, 2013

Filed Pursuant To:

Commission Order No. 43623 (Phase I), and as Modified by Order

No. 44018

Request:

Approval of a Purchase Power Agreement for Qualifying Renewable Energy Power Production Facilities between IPL, and Blue Renewables (Producer) and Indianapolis Motor Speedway, LLC

(Customer).

| Building Location   | Nameplate | Est. Annual       | Qualifying |
|---|-----------|-------------------|------------|
|   | Capacity  | Production        | Technology |
| 4790 West 16 <sup>th</sup> Street<br>Indianapolis, IN 46222 | 9,594 kW  | 14,633,000<br>kWh | Solar PV   |

**Customer Impact:** 

The cost of power purchased via Rate REP will be recovered by IPL through its fuel cost rider (generic Cause No. 38703-FAC); customers' bills will not be significantly impacted from this single customer. The capacity factor assumed with this contract is 17.41%. Contract documents include:

- 1) Purchase Power Agreement (Rate REP),
- 2) Interconnection Agreement among the Parties, and
- 3) Agreement for the Benefit of the Financing Parties.

Tariff Page(s) Affected:

N/A

Staff Recommendations: Requirements met. Recommend Approval

Submitted By: Bradley K. Borum Director, Electric Division

Filing Party:

Indianapolis Power & Light Company

30-Day Filing ID No.:

3106

Date Filed:

February 11, 2013

Filed Pursuant To:

Commission Order No. 43623 (Phase I), and as Modified by Order

No. 44018

Request:

Approval of a Purchase Power Agreement for Qualifying Renewable Energy Power Production Facilities between IPL, and Bulldog Energy, LLC (Producer) and A-Pallet Company (Customer).

| Building Location                                | Nameplate | Est. Annual | Qualifying |
|--|-----------|-------------|------------|
|  | Capacity  | Production  | Technology |
| 1305 S. Bedford Avenue<br>Indianapolis, IN 46221 | 96 kW     | 129,600 kWh | Solar PV   |

**Customer Impact:** 

The cost of power purchased via Rate REP will be recovered by IPL through its fuel cost rider (generic Cause No. 38703-FAC); customers' bills will not be significantly impacted from this single customer. The capacity factor assumed with this contract is 15.41%. Contract documents include:

- 1) Purchase Power Agreement (Rate REP),
- 2) Interconnection Agreement among the Parties, and
- 3) Agreement for the Benefit of the Financing Parties.

Tariff Page(s) Affected:

N/A

Staff Recommendations: Requirements met. Recommend Approval

Submitted By: Bradley K. Borum

Director, Electric Division

Filing Party:

Indianapolis Power & Light Company

30-Day Filing ID No.:

3107

Date Filed:

February 11, 2013

Filed Pursuant To:

Commission Order No. 43623 (Phase I), and as Modified by Order

No. 44018

Request:

Approval of a Purchase Power Agreement for Qualifying Renewable Energy Power Production Facilities between IPL, and Bulldog Energy, LLC (Producer) and A-Pallet Company (Customer).

Est. Annual Qualifying Nameplate **Building Location** Capacity Production **Technology** 1225 S. Bedford Avenue 48 kW 65,000 kWh Solar PV Indianapolis, IN 46221

**Customer Impact:** 

The cost of power purchased via Rate REP will be recovered by IPL through its fuel cost rider (generic Cause No. 38703-FAC); customers' bills will not be significantly impacted from this single customer. The capacity factor assumed with this contract is 15.46%. Contract documents include:

- 1) Purchase Power Agreement (Rate REP),
- 2) Interconnection Agreement among the Parties, and
- 3) Agreement for the Benefit of the Financing Parties.

Tariff Page(s) Affected:

N/A

**Staff Recommendations:** Requirements met. Recommend Approval

Submitted By: Bradley K. Borum

Director, Electric Division

Filing Party:

Frankfort City Light & Power Plant

30-Day Filing ID No.:

3108

Date Filed:

February 12, 2013

Filed Pursuant to:

Order No. 36835-S3

Request:

A revision to Power Cost Adjustment Tracking Factors, to be applied

in April, May, and June 2013.

**Customer Impact:** 

See below.

| Rate Schedule             | Change<br>(\$/kWh) | Resultant<br>(\$/kWh) |
|---------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|
| Residential Rate A        | 0.008599           | 0.039694              |
| Commercial Rate B         | 0.003919           | 0.043176              |
| General Power Rate C      | (0.002335)         | 0.034775              |
| Industrial Rate PPL (KVA) | (0.889519)         | <u>5</u> .150867      |
| Industrial Rate PPL (KWH) | (0.000090)         | 0.015540              |
| Flat Rates                | (0.010248)         | 0.014628              |

Tariff Pages Affected:

Appendix A

Staff Recommendations: Requirements met. Recommend approval.

Submitted By: Bradley K. Borum

Director, Electric Division

Filing Party:

**Indiana Michigan Power Company Utility** 

**30-Day Filing ID No.:** 

3109

**Date Filed:** 

February 12, 2013

Filed Pursuant To:

Commission Order No. 43607

Request:

I&M is requesting approval to withdraw Rider D.L.C.-2 (Experimental Direct Load Control Rider) under their Smart Meter Pilot Program (SMPP).

I&M finds it necessary due to the lack of components necessary to support the smart thermostat and auxiliary communicating device required to effectively continue the load reduction program under Rider D.L.C.-2.

In 30-Day Filing No. 2822, the Commission approved I&M's request to withdraw Rider D.L.C. which allowed current customers to continue to participate in a direct load control program migrating to Rider D.L.C.-2.

**Customer Impact:** 

Customers currently under Rider D.L.C.-2 will be offered to migrate to Rider R.P.R. and maintain the monthly credit. I&M will transfer ownership of the smart thermostat to the customer and deactivate the auxiliary communication device.

**Tariff Pages Affected:** 

Rider D.L.C.-2

**Staff Recommendations:** The SMPP program ended September 30, 2010; however, the Commission approved I&M's 30-Day Filing #2822, March 30, 2011, for an extension until, in part, the supply of necessary components to conduct the experimental rider was exhausted. The smart thermostat including the auxiliary communicating device is an integral component required to conduct the direct load control program. The supply of parts required to maintain that component has been exhausted. In addition, although the thermostat to AMI meter communication link is still secure, current standards for IT cyber security have evolved rendering the current technology obsolete. Staff recommends approval.