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RE: MPSC Case No. U-20134 – In the Matter of the application of Consumers Energy Company for Authority to increase its rates for the generation and distribution of electricity and for other relief.


Dear Ms. Andrews:

Enclosed are the Company's responses to discovery questions 20134-MEC-CE-173, 186 through 189, and 194. These responses are being served in hard copy format only on the requesting party. The requesting party and all others will be served with the discovery responses by e-mail. In an effort to save time in preparing responses to discovery requests, all responses will no longer be notarized.

In providing these responses, the Company does not necessarily concede that the requested information is relevant or material to these proceedings. The Company therefore specifically reserves the right to raise objections to the introduction into evidence, through cross-examination or otherwise, of any material supplied pursuant to a discovery request.

The Company intends to supplement a prior response if it becomes aware of a relevant and material error in the response. The Company also intends to supplement a prior response if it becomes aware that there has been a significant change in circumstances unknown to the requesting party which would substantially alter a prior response in a manner which is material and relevant to this case. However, the Company does not keep prior responses under continuous review.

Sincerely,

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CC Hon. Sharon L. Feldman, ALJ (letter and proof of service only via e-mail)
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STATE OF MICHIGAN
BEFORE THE MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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| In the matter of the application of |) | |
| CONSUMERS ENERGY COMPANY |) | |
| for authority to increase its rates for |) | Case No. U-20134 |
| the generation and distribution of |) | |
| electricity and for other relief. |) | |
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PROOF OF SERVICE

STATE OF MICHIGAN)
) SS
COUNTY OF JACKSON)

Samantha J. O'Rourke, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that she is employed in the Legal Department of Consumers Energy Company; that on July 20, 2018, she served a hard copy of the material provided in response to discovery questions 20134-MEC-CE-173,186 through 189, and 194 upon the person noted below by depositing the same on July 20 2018, in the United States mail in the City of Jackson, Michigan, with first-class postage thereon fully paid. She further states that she served an electronic copy of the responses upon the persons listed in Attachment 1 hereto, at the e-mail addresses listed therein, with the exception of the Hon. Sharon L. Feldman, Administrative Law Judge, who received an electronic copy of the cover letter and proof of service only at feldmans@michigan.gov.

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Samantha J. O'Rourke

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of July, 2018.

Tara L. Hilliard, Notary Public
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My Commission Expires: 09/12/20
Acting in the County of Jackson

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