

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
BEFORE THE MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In the matter, on the Commission's own motion,	)	
to monitor <b>THE DETROIT EDISON COMPANY's</b>	)	
treatment of new pole attachment applications for	)	Case No. U-14445
educational telecommunications facilities.	)	
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At the August 11, 2009 meeting of the Michigan Public Service Commission in Lansing,  
Michigan.

PRESENT: Hon. Orjiakor N. Isiogu, Chairman  
Hon. Monica Martinez, Commissioner  
Hon. Steven A. Transeth, Commissioner

**ORDER**

On February 24, 2005, the Commission opened this docket to monitor The Detroit Edison Company's (Detroit Edison) treatment of new pole attachment applications for educational telecommunications facilities. Detroit Edison was directed to file a report within 90 days providing details on how the utility intended to improve its permitting and cost estimating processes. Detroit Edison was also required to file reports by June 30 and December 31 of every year setting forth detailed information regarding new pole attachment applications for educational telecommunications facilities. To avoid having the monitoring of Detroit Edison's treatment of new pole attachment applications for educational telecommunications facilities run on indefinitely, the Commission directed the Commission Staff (Staff) to file a report by June 1, 2007 describing Detroit Edison's progress and making a recommendation regarding whether the docket may be closed.

On June 1, 2007, the Staff filed its report, indicating that reporting and monitoring should continue. Pursuant to an order issued in this docket on June 12, 2007, Detroit Edison continued to file reports every six months thereafter, with the last report filed on June 30, 2008, and the Staff's final report filed on August 29, 2008.

In the August 12, 2008 order in Case No. U-14528, the Commission adopted a uniform pole attachment tariff specifically for educational telecommunications facilities. That tariff has now been in place for one year. The Commission currently has no pending complaints from any educational telecommunications facility. The Commission finds that such complaints, if any should arise in the future, should be addressed as tariff violations. The reporting required in this docket is complete, and the docket should be closed.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that this docket is closed.

The Commission reserves jurisdiction and may issue further orders as necessary.

Any party desiring to appeal this order must do so in the appropriate court within 30 days after issuance and notice of this order, under MCL 462.26.

MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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Orjiakor N. Isiogu, Chairman

By its action of August 11, 2009.

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Monica Martinez, Commissioner

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Mary Jo Kunkle, Executive Secretary

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Steven A. Transeth, Commissioner