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## **AEP**

### **OMAEG Intervenes in AEP's Service Reliability Case (Case No. 20-1111-EL-ESS)**

**Summary:** OMAEG intervened in AEP's pending service reliability proceeding where AEP proposed to revise its reliability performance standards and methodology. These standards are an essential component in ensuring that AEP customers receive safe and reliable electric service, but the adequacy of those standards were called in question during the week of June 12, 2022 when power outages across the state left as many as 200,000 residents and businesses without power.

## **AES**

### **OCC Requests an Unprecedented, Immediate \$60 Million Refund and Sanctions Against AES (Case Nos. 08-1094-EL-SSO et al.)**

**Summary:** Last year, the Commission ordered AES to file new tariffs providing that its Rate Stability Charge (RSC) will be refundable if the Supreme Court of Ohio deems the RSC unlawful. OCC is arguing that AES' tariff containing the refund language was not properly and timely made effective in accordance with the PUCO's order, which would reduce any potential refund by \$60 million. OCC also claims that AES purposefully delayed putting its new tariff in effect and requests that AES be sanctioned and assessed forfeitures of \$9.4 million for not complying with the Commission's order. OCC is also asking that the \$60 million be refunded immediately because AES collected the charge without having a valid and approved tariff in place. As you may recall, OMAEG previously signed a settlement providing an offset to the RSC charges for the period that they are in effect, as well as an end date to the charge. In exchange for this rate mitigation, OMAEG agreed not to participate in the appellate process.

### **AES Proposes to Decrease its Infrastructure Investment Rider (Case No. 22-0477-EL-RDR)**

**Summary:** AES proposed to decrease its monthly Infrastructure Investment Rider charge to 2.4390% of base distribution charges from 3.7710% of base distribution charges. If approved, the proposed decrease will become effective October 1, 2022.