

STATE OF INDIANA

INDIANA UTILITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

**PETITION OF DUKE ENERGY INDIANA,)
LLC FOR APPROVAL OF A SOLAR)
SERVICES PROGRAM TARIFF, RIDER NO.)
26, AND APPROVAL OF ALTERNATIVE) CAUSE NO. 45145
REGULATORY PLAN (“ARP”) AND)
DECLINATION OF JURISDICTION TO THE)
EXTENT REQUIRED UNDER IND. CODE 8-)
1-2.5-1, *ET. SEQ.*)**

**SUBMISSION OF DUKE ENERGY INDIANA, LLC’S
RESPONSE TO DOCKET ENTRY**

In response to the Commission’s January 24, 2019 Docket Entry, Duke Energy Indiana, LLC (“Duke Energy Indiana”), by counsel, respectfully submits its response to the following:

Request No. 1:

Please explain the pricing construct that will ensue for customers participating in this ARP when net metering ends in 2032.

Response:

Pricing will follow the rules established under Indiana Code 8-1-40, as follows:

- a. Until 2032:
 - i. Retail credit for energy that is generated and consumed onsite
 - ii. Retail credit for exported energy
- b. After 2032:
 - i. retail credit for the energy that is generated and consumed onsite
 - ii. market/wholesale credit plus a 25% premium for exported energy

Request No. 2:

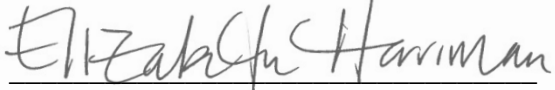
Duke’s Petition and Mr. Ritch’s Direct Testimony state that participation in its solar leasing program would be limited to a total of 12 MW in the aggregate. However, in Mr. Ritch’s Rebuttal Testimony, he states that the cap for participation would be 10 MW. Please confirm that Duke proposes capping the solar leasing program at 12 MW in the aggregate.

Response:

In light of issues raised with this program, Duke Energy Indiana is now proposing a more limited cap on participation of 10 MW in the aggregate, or after five years, whichever comes first.

Respectfully submitted,

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