

STATE OF INDIANA

INDIANA UTILITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

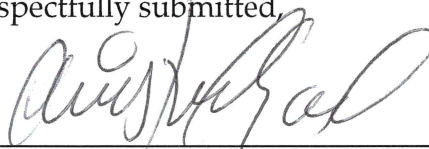
PETITION OF NORTHERN INDIANA PUBLIC)
SERVICE COMPANY FOR APPROVAL OF)
PETITIONER'S 7-YEAR ELECTRIC TDSIC)
PLAN FOR ELIGIBLE TRANSMISSION,)
DISTRIBUTION AND STORAGE SYSTEM)
IMPROVEMENTS, PURSUANT TO IND.) CAUSE NO. 44733
CODE § 8-1-39-10(a), FOR AUTHORITY TO)
DEFER COSTS FOR FUTURE RECOVERY,)
AND APPROVING INCLUSION OF NIPSCO'S)
TDSIC PLAN PROJECTS IN ITS RATE BASE)
IN ITS NEXT GENERAL RATE PROCEEDING)
PURSUANT TO IND. CODE § 8-1-2-23.)

WITHDRAWAL OF PARTIES' REQUEST TO
RESCHEDULE HEARING DATE

On March 29, 2016, Northern Indiana Public Service Company ("NIPSCO"), the Indiana Municipal Utilities Group, the Indiana Office of Utility Consumer Counselor, LaPorte County Board of Commissioners, NIPSCO Industrial Group and United States Steel Corporation submitted an agreed procedural schedule for this Cause and requested that the May 4, 2016 evidentiary hearing be rescheduled for the week of May 9, 2016. The evidentiary hearing has not been rescheduled.

All parties have now agreed that they are available on the originally noticed hearing date of May 4, 2016 and withdraw the request that the evidentiary hearing be rescheduled.

Respectfully submitted,

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