BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF  )
DELMARVA POWER & LIGHT COMPANY FOR  )
APPROVAL OF THE 2013 PROGRAM FOR THE  )    PSC DOCKET NO. 12-526
PROCUREMENT OF SOLAR RENEWABLE ENERGY  )
CREDITS (FILED NOVEMBER 20, 2012)  )

ORDER No. 8276

FOR ADMISSION AS AN INTERVENOR

AND NOW, this 15th day of January, 2013, pursuant to the authority granted to me in PSC Order No. 8254 dated December 18, 2012, this Hearing Examiner having considered the Petition for Leave to Intervene (“the Petition”) filed by Caesar Rodney Institute ("CRI") on January 3, 2013, and there being no objection thereto filed by any party of record;

NOW, THEREFORE,

1. The Petition is granted.

2. In PSC Order No. 8254, the Commission ordered that the deadline for filing petitions for intervention and written comments was January 4, 2013. (See Order, ¶3.)

3. Thus, CRI’s Petition to Intervene was timely filed.

4. CRI intervened in the Commission’s dockets involving: a) the docket involving the Pilot Procurement Program, PSC Docket No. 11-399 b) Delmarva Power’s Integrated Resource Plan (“IRP”); and c) the 2011 Qualified Fuel Cell Provider Project Tariff proposed by Delmarva
Power. In the course of these dockets, CRI alleges that it “has undertaken extensive research” ... “to ensure Delaware citizens have competitive energy rates.” (Application, ¶2.)

5. Paragraph 5 of CRI’s Petition states that: “Petitioner supports the proposed 2013 Program and wishes to continue close review of the evidentiary process.”

6. By my granting its intervention, CRI is on notice that it must comply with the Procedural Schedule when issued. Additionally, CRI is required to comply with the Commission’s Rules of Practice and Procedure.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

/s/ Mark Lawrence
Mark Lawrence
Hearing Examiner