

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE

IN THE MATTER OF INERGRATED RESOURCE)
PLANNING FOR THE PROVISION OF STANDARD)
OFFER SERVICE BY DELMARVA POWER & LIGHT) PSC DOCKET NO. 12-544
COMPANY UNDER 26 DEL.C. §§1007(c) & (d))
(Opened December 18, 2012))

ORDER No. 8307

FOR ADMISSION AS AN INTERVENOR

AND NOW, this 28th day of February, 2013, pursuant to the authority granted to me in PSC Order No. 8259 dated December 18, 2012, this Hearing Examiner having considered the Petition for Leave to Intervene ("the Petition") filed by Mid-Atlantic Renewable Energy Coalition("MAREC") on February 21, 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. 8259, the Commission ordered that the deadline for filing petitions for intervention was February 22, 2013. (See Order, ¶8.)
3. Thus, MAREC's Petition to Intervene was timely filed.
4. In Paragraphs 2 through 3 of its Petition to Intervene, MAREC describes the reasons why it should be permitted to intervene as follows:

2. MAREC is a nonprofit corporation, which was formed to help enhance the opportunities for renewable energy development primarily in the region where the Regional Transmission Organization, PJM Interconnection, LLC ("PJM"), operates. MAREC's footprint includes Delaware, Maryland, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Virginia, Ohio, West Virginia, North Carolina, and the District of Columbia. MAREC's membership consists of wind developers, wind turbine manufacturers, service companies, nonprofit organizations and a transmission company....
3. MAREC has a substantial interest in this matter that is not adequately represented by other parties in the proceeding. MAREC members are committed to significant growth in renewable energy technologies to support economic development in the region and helping to meet the aggressive legislative mandate for renewable energy through Delaware's renewable portfolio standard. MAREC is in the position of providing its experienced position on Delmarva Power's long-term planning as it relates to renewables. The interests of MAREC's members may not be fully developed if MAREC is not permitted leave to intervene.

5. MAREC's petition raises a number of substantive issues in the docket which must be addressed.

6. By my granting its intervention, MAREC is on notice that it must comply with the Procedural Schedule when issued. Additionally, MAREC 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