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VERIFIED PETITION OF DUKE ENERGY INDIANA, INC. FOR (i) APPROVAL OF FOUR (4)) SOLAR PURCHASED POWER AGREEMENTS; (ii) TIMELY RECOVERY OF THE RETAIL JURISDICTIONAL PORTION OF PURCHASED POWER COSTS THROUGH RETAIL RATES PURSUANT TO INDIANA CODE 8-1-8.8; (iii) APPROVAL OF AN ALTERNATIVE **REGULATORY PLAN PURSUANT TO INDIANA** CODE § 8-1-2.5-1ETSEQ. FOR A MODIFICATION TO ITS GOGREEN STANDARD CONTRACT RIDER NO. 56; AND (iv) CONFIDENTIAL TREATMENT PRICING AND OF OTHER PROPRIETARY TERMS OF THE PURCHASED **POWER AGREEMENTS**

CAUSE NO. 44578) AS IN FILED MAR 0 2 2015 INDIANA UTILITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

You are hereby notified that on this date the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission ("Commission") has caused the following entry to be made:

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On February 18, 2015, Duke Energy Indiana, Inc. ("Petitioner") filed a Motion for Protection of Confidential and Proprietary Information ("Motion") in this Cause. In its Motion, Petitioner indicates that certain information ("Confidential Information") that it intends to submit in this matter contains trade secrets as that term is defined under Ind. Code § 24-2-3-2. Information containing trade secrets is excepted from public disclosure under Ind. Code § 5-14-3-4. In support of its Motion, Petitioner includes the sworn Affidavits of James S. Northrup and Suzanne E. Sieferman. The Affidavits have been placed in the Commission's official file in this matter and are incorporated by reference.

170 IAC 1-1.1-4 governs the submission of confidential or privileged information to the Commission, and requires the applicant to apply for a finding by the Commission that the information is confidential. The application must be accompanied by the sworn statement or testimony of a party that sets forth facts describing: (1) the nature of the confidential information; (2) the reasons why the information should be treated as confidential pursuant to Ind. Code § 8-1-2-29 and Ind. Code ch. 5-14-3; and, (3) the efforts the party has made to maintain the confidentiality of the information.

The Presiding Officers, having considered the Motion and accompanying Affidavits, find there is sufficient basis for a determination that the Confidential Information should be held as confidential by the Commission on a preliminary basis. Accordingly, Petitioner shall hand deliver the Confidential Information to the Presiding Administrative Law Judge. Petitioner shall

also file a Notice of Filing under this Cause specifically referencing this Docket Entry and indicating the Confidential Information has been filed with the Commission. The Confidential Information should be on light green paper, in a sealed envelope clearly marked confidential with the Cause No. noted thereon, and will be treated as confidential on a preliminary basis and excepted from public disclosure in accordance with Ind. Code §§ 8-1-2-29 and 5-14-3-4.

Petitioner may also elect to submit the Confidential Information to the Presiding Administrative Law Judge using the Commission's Electronic Filing System in lieu of submitting paper documents. Documents submitted using the "Confidential" tab of the Electronic Filing System are delivered directly to the Presiding Administrative Law Judge, and will be treated as confidential on a preliminary basis and excepted from public disclosure in accordance with Ind. Code §§ 8-1-2-29 and 5-14-3-4. The Notice of Filing should not be submitted using the "Confidential" tab of the Electronic Filing System.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

James F. Huston, Commissioner

David E. Veleta, Administrative Law Judge

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