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Subject: DN 2018-318-E - Request of Duke Energy Progress to Terminate the Filing of Annual Reports Regarding Customer Savings Related to AMI Meter Deployment

Question for Attorneys for Duke Energy Progress:
The Commission carried over this item when it appeared on the agenda at your request, so that the Company could reply to ORS. Also, ORS contends that any incremental O&M savings should be offset against the deferral balance in the Company's next general rate case. ORS cites Order No, 2019-454 as authority for this proposition. On behalf of the Commission, I am checking on the status of these matters. Please advise.
Thanks,
David Butler

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Dear all:

Duke concurs with Andrew's description. The EDIT riders are the decrement riders to return monies to customers as set out in the orders for Docket Nos 2018-318 and 319. They are adjusted annually.

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Josh,

It's ORS's understanding that pursuant to the Commission Order Nos. 2019-341 and 2019-323, the EDIT return amount varies year to year according to the ARAM. As such, the companies have updated their respective EDIT amounts to return to customers and made filings accordingly. The ORS has reviewed and concurs with the amounts proposed by the Companies to be returned to their customers.

Thank you,

Andrew

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On March 31, 2020, DEP filed a letter (DEP Updated EDIT Letter) regarding its updated Excess Deferred Income Tax ("EDIT") Rider, stating "[t]he EDIT Tax Savings Rider will remain in place until base rates are reset to reflect these savings in a future rate case proceeding." On April 13, 2020, ORS filed a review letter (Letter) stating "[t]he Company requests approval to update its EDIT Rider to return this updated amount during Year 2."

Would Duke and ORS please clarify?

Similarly, for Docket No. 2018-319-E:
On March 31, 2020, DEC filed a letter (DEC Letter re: EDIT Rider) regarding its updated Excess Deferred Income Tax ("EDIT") Rider, requesting approval of the EDIT Rider but seemingly with no information about the ultimate disposition of the money. On April 13, 2020, ORS submitted its review letter (Letter) stating the same as above: "The Company requests approval to update its EDIT Rider to return this updated amount during Year 2."

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Would you also please help clarify in this docket too?

Thank you. I apologize in advance if I'm overlooking something.

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Cc: Butler, David <David.Butler@psc.sc.gov>
Subject: [External] RE: Question Regarding Ultimate Disposition of EDIT Rider

Dear all:

Duke concurs with Andrew's description. The EDIT riders are the decrement riders to return monies to customers as set out in the orders for Docket Nos 2018-318 and 319. They are adjusted annually.

Heather

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Josh,

It's ORS's understanding that pursuant to the Commission Order Nos. 2019-341 and 2019-323, the EDIT return amount varies year to year according to the ARAM. As such, the companies have updated their respective EDIT amounts to return to customers and made filings accordingly. The ORS has reviewed and concurs with the amounts proposed by the Companies to be returned to their customers.

Thank you,

Andrew

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Duke and ORS:

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For Docket No. 2018-318-E:
On March 31, 2020, DEP filed a letter (DEP Updated EDIT Letter) regarding its updated Excess Deferred Income Tax ("EDIT") Rider, stating "[t]he EDIT Tax Savings Rider will remain in place until base rates are reset to reflect these savings in a future rate case proceeding." On April 13, 2020, ORS filed a review letter (Letter) stating "[t]he Company requests approval to update its EDIT Rider to return this updated amount during Year 2."

Would Duke and ORS please clarify?

Similarly, for Docket No. 2018-319-E:
On March 31, 2020, DEC filed a letter (DEC Letter re: EDIT Rider) regarding its updated Excess Deferred Income Tax ("EDIT") Rider, requesting approval of the EDIT Rider but seemingly with no information about the ultimate disposition of the money. On April 13, 2020, ORS submitted its review letter (Letter) stating the same as above: "The Company requests approval to update its EDIT Rider to return this updated amount during Year 2."

Would you also please help clarify in this docket too?

Thank you. I apologize in advance if I'm overlooking something.

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Actually, Heather, it is not on the upcoming agenda anyway...
Thanks,
David Butler

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David:

We will be making our filing early next week, anticipated on Monday, and request this matter be carried over for one more week.

Thank you,

Heather

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Question for Attorneys for Duke Energy Progress:
The Commission carried over this item when it appeared on the agenda at your request, so that the Company could reply to ORS. Also, ORS contends that any incremental O&M savings should be offset against the deferral balance in the Company's next general rate case. ORS cites Order No, 2019-454 as authority for this proposition. On behalf of the Commission, I am checking on the status of these matters. Please advise.
Thanks,
David Butler

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