WEST VIRGINIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY BOARD CHARLESTON, WEST VIRGINIA

APPALACHIAN POWER COMPANY dba AEP,

Appellant,

v.

Appeal No. 21-06-EQB

DIVISION OF WATER AND WASTE MANAGEMENT, WEST VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION,

Appellee,

ORDER FOR CONTINUANCE AND NOTICE OF HEARING

Appeal No. 21-06-EQB was filed with the West Virginia Environmental Quality Board ("Board") on June 23, 2021. In accordance with West Virginia Code §22B-1-7(f), an evidentiary hearing concerning matters as more fully set forth in the Notice of Appeal filed in Appeal No. 21-06-EQB is scheduled for March 10, 2022.

The parties jointly filed a motion to continue the evidentiary hearing for a period of thirty (30) days to allow the parties to continue settlement negotiations. The parties also agreed to an extension of the stay currently in place until such time that this matter is resolved through settlement before the rescheduled hearing date or the Board issues an order on the merits, should an evidentiary hearing be deemed necessary. Based on the representations of the parties, the Board does hereby order that the evidentiary hearing in Appeal No. 21-06-EQB shall be continued until the **April 14-15, 2022**, Board meeting. Said hearing will begin at 8:30 a.m. at the Board's offices located at 601 57th Street, Charleston, Kanawha County, West Virginia 25304. The stay currently in place shall be extended as set forth herein, and as agreed to by the parties.

A Prehearing Conference shall be held on **March 31, 2022**, at 10:00 a.m. before the Board's Chairman and/or legal counsel. Parties may appear in person or by telephone. If appearing in person, the

parties shall appear at the Board's offices. If appearing by telephone, the parties shall call 1-800-309-2350. After the welcome message, dial the conference ID 78252 followed by the # key.

It is so **ORDERED** and **ENTERED** this ______day of March, 2022.

Environmental Quality Board

Dr. Edward Snyder, Chairman

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I, Kenna M. DeRaimo, Clerk for the Environmental Quality Board, have this day, the 11th day of March, 2022, served a true copy of the foregoing **Order for Continuance and Notice**of Hearing via Certified U.S. First-Class Mail or Interdepartmental Mail to the following:

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Kenna M. DeRaimo, Clerk