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January 18, 2001

VIA ELECTRONIC FILING and U.S. MAIL

Ms. Dorothy Wideman
Executive Secretary
Michigan Public Service Commission
6545 Mercantile Way
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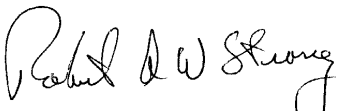
Re: MPSC Case No. U-12359

Dear Ms. Wideman:

This letter is to advise you that the Association of Businesses Advocating Tariff Equity is willing to waive Section 81 of the Administrative Procedures Act of 1969, MCL 24.281; MSA 3.560(181) in connection with this case.

Very truly yours,

CLARK HILL P.L.C.



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cc: Parties of Record

STATE OF MICHIGAN

BEFORE THE MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the mater of the Application of THE DETROIT EDISON COMPANY to recover implementation costs for the period ended December 31, 1999	)))))	Case No. U-12359

PROOF OF SERVICE

STATE OF MICHIGAN)
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COUNTY OF OAKLAND)

Lisa Ann Teets, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that she served electronically and filed a copy of "a letter to Ms. Dorothy Wideman waiving Section 81 of the Administrative Procedures Act of 1969" in the above docket on the persons identified on the attached service list by depositing the same on January 18, 2001, in the United States mail in the City of Birmingham, Michigan with first-class postage thereon fully paid.

Lisa Ann Teets

Notary Public, Oakland County, Michigan
My Commission Expires 8/18/03

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