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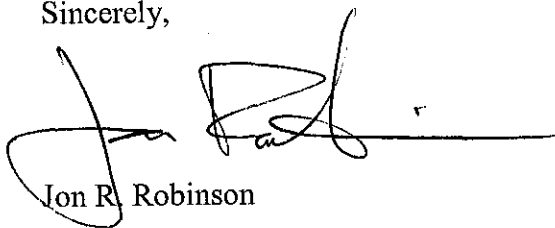
Ms. Dorothy Wideman
Executive Secretary
Michigan Public Service Commission
6545 Mercantile Way
P.O. Box 30221
Lansing, MI 48909

Re: Case No. U-12780/U-12781

Dear Ms. Wideman:

Enclosed for filing in the above-captioned case are an original and four copies of the **Verification** of Frank Johnson and an original Proof of Service. This document is also being filed electronically in a portable document format (PDF) as part of the Commission's Electronic Filings Program.

Sincerely,



Jon R. Robinson

CC: Hon. James N. Rigas, ALJ
Parties of Record

STATE OF MICHIGAN

BEFORE THE MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the matter of the application of)
INDIANA MICHIGAN POWER COMPANY,)
d/b/a AMERICAN ELECTRIC POWER,) Case No. U-12780
for certain approvals in connection with)
2000 PA 141 Section 10v.)
_____)

In the matter of the application of)
INTERNATIONAL TRANSMISSION)
COMPANY, CONSUMERS ENERGY) Case No. U-12781
COMPANY, and GREAT LAKES ENERGY)
COOPERATIVE for certain approvals in)
connection with 2000 PA 141 Section 10v.)
_____)

VERIFICATION

Frank Johnson, being first duly sworn, deposes and says as follows:

1. I am Senior Vice President, Electric Transmission and Distribution for Consumers Energy Company.

2. In that capacity, my duties included overseeing the completion of the Consumers Energy Company system transmission projects identified in the "Joint Report" submitted by the Company in MPSC Cases No. U-12780/U-12781. Those projects were identified as necessary and sufficient to comply with MCL 460.10v (2000 PA 141, Section 10v) that required, for electric utilities serving more than 100,000 retail customers in Michigan, an expansion of transmission capability by 2000 megawatts over that in place as of January 1, 2000. A listing of the Consumers Energy system projects was set forth in Exhibit A-5, page 23 of 25. A copy of those projects is attached to this Verification as Attachment 1.

3. On July 23, 2002, the Commission issued an order in Cases No. U-12780/
U-12781 that stated, in part, as follows:

“First, the Joint Report technically complies with Section 10v because the record shows that it will achieve the required increase in transmission capacity. Second, once a utility has completed the projects identified in the Joint Report for its system and submitted appropriate verification, it will be deemed to be in technical compliance with Section 10v.”

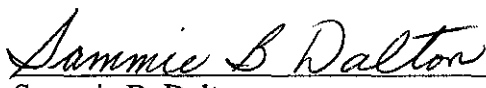
4. The projects listed on Attachment 1 to this Verification have been completed and are in commercial operation. Certain of the projects were completed subsequent to the sale of Consumers Energy’s transmission system. Those projects were completed by Consumers Energy on behalf of the current owner of the transmission system, Michigan Electric Transmission Company, LLC (“METC”).

5. The statements in this Verification are true and correct to the best of my information, knowledge and belief. If called to testify in this matter, I would testify as set forth above.



Frank Johnson
Senior Vice President, Electric Transmission
and Distribution, Consumers Energy Company

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of December, 2002.



Sammie B. Dalton
Notary Public, Jackson County, Michigan
My commission expires: 01/04/04

Attachment 1

Battle Creek-Verona 138 kV line reconfigure

Race Street-Spaulding 138 kV line

Battle Creek Substation – add 2nd 345-138 kV transformer

Oneida 345 kV loop

Morrow Substation – replace switches

Argenta Substation – replace wavetrap and circuit connector

Palisades Substation – replace wavetraps

Island Road Substation – change current transformer taps

Delhi-Tompkins-Tihart 138 kV lines and sub reconfigure

138 kV capacitor installations

STATE OF MICHIGAN

BEFORE THE MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the matter of the Application of Indiana)
Michigan Power Company, d/b/a American)
Electric Power, for certain approvals in)
Connection with 2000 PA 141, Section 10v.)
_____)

Case No. U-12780

In the matter of the Application of)
International Transmission Company,)
Consumers Energy Company, and Great)
Lakes Energy Cooperative.)
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Case No. U-12781

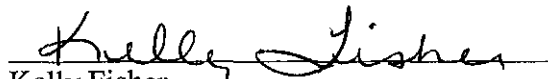
PROOF OF SERVICE

STATE OF MICHIGAN)
) SS
COUNTY OF JACKSON)

Sammie B. Dalton, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that she is employed in the Legal Department of Consumers Energy Company; that on December 6, 2002 she served an electronic copy of the **Verification** of Frank Johnson upon the persons listed in the attached Service List at the e-mail addresses listed therein. She further states that a hard copy of the same document was served on the same parties, at the mailing addresses listed therein, by depositing the same on December 6, 2002, in the United States mail in the City of Jackson, Michigan with first-class postage thereon fully paid.



Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of December, 2002.



Kelly Fisher
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My Commission Expires: 01/18/06

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