

**MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AND INDUSTRY SERVICES
MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
INTEROFFICE COMMUNICATION**

TO: The Commission

FROM: ALJ Daniel E. Nickerson, Jr.

DATE: 6/22/04

COMPANY NAME: Consumers Energy Company

CASE NOS. U-11955; U-12358; 12891 & 13340

HEARING DATE(S): 6/22/04

APPEARANCES: Richard Chambers, Attorney for Applicant

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Steven D. Hughey, Assistant Attorney General on behalf of the
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The above-referenced matter is hereby transmitted to the Commission for its consideration. The Commission has stated that it would read the record in the above captioned cases.

The evidentiary hearing was held on 6/22/04 pursuant to the Commission order in the above captioned cases dated June 3, 2004. Written testimony was not filed prior to the 6/11/04 deadline established in the Commission order. There was not any testimony presented at the evidentiary hearing. However, Applicant requested that the Commission take official notice of its report entitled "Status of Electric Competition in Michigan", dated February 1, 2004. The report which has been submitted to the Legislature was marked as Exhibit A-1. A copy of the transcript is being requested. The record was closed.

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