

STATE OF MICHIGAN
BEFORE THE MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

**NOTICE OF HEARING
FOR THE CUSTOMERS OF**

**THE DETROIT EDISON COMPANY
MPSC CASE NO. U-12966
BOH DOCKET NO. 2001-1172**

- The Detroit Edison Company may unbundle its existing commercial, industrial and residential electric rate schedules to separately identify charges and discrete services, if the Michigan Public Service Commission approves its request.
- The information below describes how a person may participate in this case.
- You may call or write The Detroit Edison Company, 2000 Second Avenue, Detroit, Michigan 48226, 313. 235.7706 for a free copy of its application. Any person may review the application at Detroit Edison's offices.
- Documents filed in this case must include both of the case numbers listed above.
- The Bureau of Hearings, Department of Consumer and Industry Services, conducts MPSC hearings.
- The first public hearing in this matter will be held:

DATE: August 23, 2001
This hearing will be a prehearing conference to set future hearing dates and decide other procedural matters.

TIME: 9:00 a.m.

**PRESIDING
OFFICER:** Administrative Law Judge Barbara A. Stump

LOCATION: Michigan Public Service Commission
6545 Mercantile Way, Suite 7
Lansing, Michigan

PARTICIPATION:

Any interested person may attend and participate. Persons with disabilities needing help to effectively participate should call the Commission's Executive Secretary at 517.241.6160 or 800.292.9555 a week in advance to request mobility, visual, hearing or other assistance.

The Michigan Public Service Commission (Commission) will hold a public hearing to consider The Detroit Edison Company's (Detroit Edison) June 4, 2001 application to unbundle its commercial, industrial and residential electric rates to provide customers a clear indication of the charges they will continue to pay for regulated delivery service from Detroit Edison under the retail access program. Detroit Edison states it will provide this information to customers in bill messages that list the various charges.

The Commission has selected this case for participation in its Electronic Filings program. All documents filed in this case must be submitted in both paper and electronic versions. An original and four paper copies and an electronic copy in the portable document format (PDF) should be filed with the Commission. Requirements for filing electronic documents can be found in the Commission's Electronic Filings Users Manual at: <http://efile.mpsc.cis.state.mi.us/efile/usersmanual.pdf>. You may contact Commission Staff at 800.292.9555, 517.241.6170 or by E-mail at cases.efile.mpsc@cis.state.mi.us with any questions and/or to obtain access privileges prior to filing.

Any person wishing to intervene and become a party to the case shall file an original and four copies of a petition to intervene and an electronic copy in portable document format (PDF) with this Commission by August 16, 2001. The proof of service shall indicate service upon

Detroit Edison's attorney, Mr. Bruce R. Maters, The Detroit Edison Company, 2000 Second Avenue, Detroit, Michigan 48226.

A member of the public who wishes to make a statement of position without becoming a party to the case, may participate by filing an appearance. To file the appearance, you must attend the hearing and advise the presiding administrative law judge of your wish to make a statement of position.

A copy of Detroit Edison's request may also be reviewed at the office of the Commission's Executive Secretary, 6545 Mercantile Way, Lansing, Michigan, at the Commission's electronic case filings Web site at <http://efile.mpasc.cis.state.mi.us/efile> and at the office of The Detroit Edison Company, 2000 Second Avenue, Detroit, Michigan. For more information on how to participate in a case, you may contact the Commission at the above address or by telephone at 517.241.6170 or 800.292.9555.

The Commission has jurisdiction pursuant to 1909 PA 106, as amended, MCL 460.551 et seq.; MSA 22.151 et seq.; 1919 PA 419, as amended, MCL 460.51 et seq.; MSA 22.1 et seq.; 1939 PA 3, as amended, MCL 460.1 et seq.; MSA 22.13(1) et seq.; 1969 PA 306, as amended, MCL 24.201 et seq.; MSA 3.560(101) et seq.; and the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, as amended, 1992 AACR, R 460.17101 et seq.

July 24, 2001
Lansing, Michigan



State of Michigan
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Department of Consumer & Industry Services
Kathleen M. Wilbur, Director

Public Service Commission

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July 24, 2001

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Mr. Bruce R. Maters
Attorney at Law
The Detroit Edison Company
2000 Second Avenue
Detroit, MI 48226

Dear Mr. Maters:

The Detroit Edison Company shall mail, by August 9, 2001, a copy of the enclosed notice of hearing to all cities, incorporated villages, townships and counties in its electric service area. Proof of service shall be filed by the prehearing conference on August 23, 2001.

The Detroit Edison Company shall cause the enclosed notice of hearing to be published by August 9, 2001 in daily newspapers of general circulation throughout its electric service area. Publishing requirements and a copy of the publishing format are enclosed. Affidavits of publication shall be filed by the prehearing conference on August 23, 2001.

Sincerely,

Dorothy Wideman
Executive Secretary

Enclosures

NOTICE OF HEARING FOR THE CUSTOMERS OF

COMPANY
CASE NO. U- _____

- (Company) will implement a (proposed action) if the Michigan Public Service Commission (Commission) approves (Company's) request.
- The Notice of Hearing below describes how a person may participate in this case.
- You may call or write Company, address, telephone number for a free copy of its application. Any person may review the application at (Company's) offices.
- The first public hearing in this matter will be held:

DATE: _____

TIME: _____

LOCATION: Michigan Public Service Commission
6545 Mercantile Way, Suite 7
Lansing, Michigan

PARTICIPATION: Any interested person may attend and participate.

The Michigan Public Service Commission will hold a public hearing to consider (Company's) (Date) request for (brief summary of application).

Implementation method(s)/schedule(s).

Any person wishing to intervene and become a party to the case shall file an original and 15 copies of a Petition to Intervene with this Commission by (Date). The Proof of Service shall indicate service upon (Company's) Attorney, (Name), (Address).

A member of the public who wishes to make a statement of position without becoming a party to the case, may participate by filing an appearance. To file the appearance, you must attend the hearing and advise the presiding Administrative Law Judge of your wish to make a statement of position.

A copy of (Company's) request may also be reviewed at the office of the Commission's Executive Secretary, 6545 Mercantile Way, Lansing, Michigan, and at the offices of (Company), (address). For more information on how to participate in a case, you may contact the Commission at the above address or by telephone at (517) 334-6436, or (800) 292-9555 or TDD (800) 443-8926.

The Commission has jurisdiction pursuant to (as appropriate).

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PUBLISHING REQUIREMENTS
FOR
NOTICES OF HEARING

- Published title of notice shall be printed in at least 14-point boldfaced type.
- Body of notice shall be in clearly discernible type.
- Body of notice shall be surrounded by a black border that is not less than 1/8 of an inch from the body of the notice.
- Company logo should be displayed at the end of the published notice.

PROOF OF SERVICE

STATE OF MICHIGAN)

Case No. U-12966

County of Ingham)

Marcia Hoskins, being duly sworn, deposes and says that on July 24 , 2001, A.D. she served a copy of the attached notice of hearing, by mailing copies thereof by first class mail, postage prepaid, or by inter-departmental mail, to the persons as shown on the attached service list.

Marcia Hoskins

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 24th day of July 2001

Catherine H. Bowers

Notary Public, Eaton County acting
in Ingham County, Michigan.

My Commission expires November 22, 2004

SERVICE LIST FOR DOCKET # U - 12966-
DATE OF PREPARATION: 07/20/2001

CASE #

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