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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

James J. McNulty, Secretary
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**Re: Petition of Duquesne Light Company for Approval of its
Smart Meter Procurement and Installation Plan
Docket No: M-2009-2123948**

Dear Secretary McNulty:

Duquesne Light will not be filing Exceptions to Administrative Law Judge Meehan's Initial Decision, issued on January 28, 2010, in the above-referenced proceeding.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "EHC", with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

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c: Administrative Law Judge Meehan (via E-Mail and United States Mail)
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**BEFORE THE
PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**

DUQUESNE LIGHT COMPANY :
Smart Meter Procurement and : Docket No. M-2009-2123948
Installation Program :

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the Letter of Duquesne Light Company in the above-referenced proceeding has been served upon the following persons, in the manner indicated, in accordance with the requirements of § 1.54 (relating to service by a participant):

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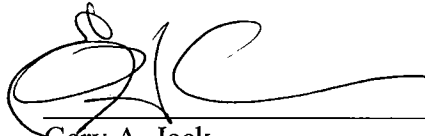
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