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ENERGY

IN THE MATTER OF JERSEY CENTRAL POWER) ORDER OF EXTENSION
& LIGHT COMPANY'S ATTAINMENT OF)
MINIMUM RELIABILITY LEVELS) DOCKET NO. EO25070453

Parties of Record:

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BY THE BOARD:

By this Decision and Order, the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities ("Board") considers Jersey Central Power & Light Company's ("JCP&L" or "Company") request for an extension of time to file its answer in this proceeding ("Answer").

BACKGROUND

By Order dated August 13, 2025, the Board ordered JCP&L to show cause, via the Answer filed on or before September 10, 2025, why the Board should not impose certain penalties upon the Company for failure to comply with the Board's Electric Distribution Service Reliability and Quality Standards, as codified at N.J.A.C. 14:5-8.1 *et seq.*, and for the Company's failure to meet the Board's Minimum Reliability Levels ("MRL") for calendar years 2022, 2023, and 2024.¹

By letter dated August 21, 2025 ("Letter"), JCP&L requested that the Board grant an extension of time for the Company to file the Answer. Specifically, JCP&L identified that the allegations contained in the August 2025 Order require a thorough examination of the Company's reliability measures, including past measures that would have affected the Company's attainment of the Board's MRLs for 2022 through 2024. The Company identified that an extension would enable JCP&L to more effectively and completely respond to the directives contained in the August 2025 Order. Therefore, JCP&L requested that the Board grant a one (1)-month extension of time for the Company to file the Answer to October 10, 2025.

¹ In the Matter of Jersey Central Power & Light Company's Attainment of Minimum Reliability Levels, BPU Docket No. EO25070453, Order dated August 13, 2025 ("August 2025 Order").

DISCUSSION AND FINDINGS

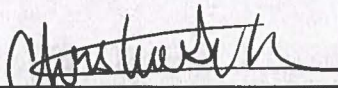
The Board, having reviewed the Letter and having received no objection to the Company's request for an extension, **HEREBY FINDS** it is reasonable, to allow the Company adequate time to prepare a full and complete response to all allegations and directives contained within the August 2025 Order, to extend the time for JCP&L to file its Answer. Accordingly, the Board **HEREBY GRANTS** the Company's request for a one (1)-month extension of time and **HEREBY EXTENDS** the date on or before which JCP&L must file the Answer to October 10, 2025.

The Board **HEREBY DIRECTS** JCP&L to file the Answer on or before October 10, 2025.

This Order shall be effective September 10, 2025.

DATED: September 10, 2025

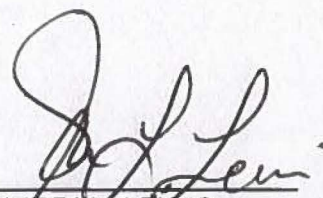
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