

**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES**

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Petition of Massachusetts Municipal Wholesale )  
Electric Company (MMWEC) for authorization and )  
approval to issue revenue bonds, notes or other ) D.P.U. 21-29  
evidence of indebtedness in an amount not to )  
exceed \$170,000,000 pursuant to St. 1975, c. 775, )  
§§ 5(p), 9, 11, and 17. )  
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**COMMENTS OF THE CHICOPEE MUNICIPAL LIGHTING PLANT**

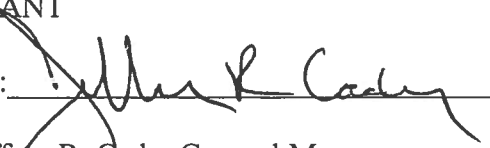
On March 23, 2021, the Department of Public Utilities’ (“DPU” or “Department”) issued a Notice of Filing and Request for Comments in the above-captioned proceeding, requesting that written comments be submitted on or before April 26, 2021. Chicopee Municipal Lighting Plant (“CMLP”) appreciates this opportunity to submit the following comments.

CMLP is a signatory to the MMWEC Project 2015A Power Sales Agreement (“PSA”) dated February 2, 2017. The PSA is for output from the 60 megawatt peaking generating facility to be constructed in Peabody, MA (the “Project”). On October 25, 2019, pursuant to Section 12.1 of the PSA entitled “Sale of Project Capability,” CMLP informed MMWEC that it was exercising its rights to request that MMWEC use its best efforts to sell or transfer the entire share of CMLP’s project capability to another party and that it seeks to withdraw its participation from the Project under the PSA. Accordingly, CMLP wishes to inform the Department via these comments that notice has been provided to MMWEC to sell or transfer CMLP’s entire share and withdraw from the Project as it is no longer part of CMLP’s long-term power supply plan.

Respectfully submitted,

CHICOPEE MUNICIPAL LIGHTING  
PLANT

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