Dear Mr. Guy:

On January 30, 2015, Baltimore Gas and Electric Company (BGE) filed proposed revisions to the stated depreciation rates contained in its transmission formula rate under Attachment H-2A of the PJM Interconnection, L.L.C. Open Access Transmission Tariff (OATT).¹ You state that the revised depreciation rates are estimated to decrease BGE’s annual depreciation expense by approximately $1.41 million.

Pursuant to the authority delegated to the Director, Division of Electric Power Regulation – East, under 18 C.F.R. §375.307, your submittal is accepted for filing, effective March 30, 2015, as requested.

The filings were noticed on February 2, 2015 with comments, interventions, and protests due on or before February 20, 2015. Pursuant to Rule 214 (18 C.F.R. § 385.214 (2015)), to the extent that any timely filed motions to intervene and any motion to intervene out-of-time were filed before the issuance date of this order, such interventions are granted. Granting late interventions at this stage of the proceeding will not disrupt the proceeding or place additional burdens on existing parties.

This acceptance for filing shall not be construed as constituting approval of the referenced filing or of any rate, charge, classification, or any rule, regulation, or practice affecting such rate or service contained in your filing; nor shall such acceptance be deemed as recognition of any claimed contractual right or obligation associated therewith; and such acceptance is without prejudice to any findings or orders which have been or may hereafter be made by the Commission in any proceeding now pending or hereafter instituted by or against BGE.

This order constitutes final agency action. Requests for rehearing by the Commission may be filed within 30 days of the date of issuance of this order, pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 385.713.

Sincerely,

Daniel Nowak, Acting Director
Division of Electric Power
Regulation – East