BEFORE THE ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

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IN THE MATTER OF:

PETITION OF DYNEGY FOR AN ADJUSTED STANDARD FROM 35 Ill. Admin. Code Parts 201 and 212 AS 2024-004

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PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on this day, the 12th day of September, 2024, I caused to be filed with the Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board **DYNEGY'S STATUS REPORT AND MOTION TO EXTEND STAY OF PROECEEDINGS**, copies of which are herewith served upon you.

Dated: September 12, 2024

Respectfully submitted,

Dynegy Midwest Generation, LLC; Illinois Power Generating Company; and Kincaid Generation, LLC

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, the undersigned, certify that on this 12th day of September, 2024: I have electronically served a true and correct copy of Dynegy's Status Report and Motion to Extend Stay of Proceedings by electronically filing with the Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board and by e-mail upon the following persons:

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STATUS REPORT AND MOTION TO EXTEND STAY OF PROCEEDINGS

NOW COMES Dynegy Midwest Generation, LLC, Illinois Power Generating Company, and Kincaid Generation, LLC (collectively, "Dynegy") by and through its attorneys, ArentFox Schiff LLP, and pursuant to 35 Ill. Adm. Code § 101.502 and 101.514, provides this Status Report and Motion to Extend Stay of Proceedings.

1. On September 5, 2023, the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency ("IEPA") filed a *Motion for Stay of Proceedings, or in the Alternative, Motion for Extension of Time to File Recommendation* while the Board considers Dynegy's substantively similar rulemaking proposal in R23-18(A). On September 21, 2023, the Board granted IEPA's motion to stay the proceedings for 90 days, until December 21, 2023. *See, Order of the Board*, AS 24-04 at 2. On January 4, 2024, the Board granted IEPA's unopposed motion to extend the stay until April 19, 2024. *See, Hearing Officer Order*, AS 24-04. Pursuant to 35 Ill. Adm. Code § 101.514, the Board directed the parties to file a status and any additional requests for stay of the proceedings at the close of stay. *Id*.

2. On April 16, 2024, IEPA filed a *Status Report and Motion to Extend Stay of Proceedings* ("IEPA Status Report") and requested that the Board extend the stay of proceedings "for 150 days up to and including September 16, 2024 (or a later date if deemed more appropriate by the Board)." IEPA Status Report at 5. On April 25, 2024, Dynegy filed its own status report confirming the information contained in IEPA's status report and stating no objection to IEPA's request to extend the stay of proceedings. Dynegy Status Report at 5. On April 25, 2024, the Board

granted IEPA's motion and extended the stay until September 16, 2024. *See Hearing Officer Order*, AS 24-04.

3. Since the parties' last status reports, the Board issued a final order in the R23-018(A) rulemaking adopting Dynegy's proposal and directing the Clerk to submit the adopted rules for publication in the *Illinois Register*. *Opinion and Order of the Board* at 10, R23-18(A) (Aug. 22, 2024). However, as of the date of this status report, the final rules have not yet been published by the Secretary of State in the *Illinois Register*.

Request to Extend Stay

4. Dynegy requests to extend the stay in this proceeding for 45 days to allow for the final rule to be published in the *Illinois Register* and for Dynegy to review the final rule as published. Extending the stay will allow Dynegy sufficient time to confirm that its proposal is in fact published and determine whether there is any further need to obtain an adjusted standard. Prior to the close of the 45-day stay, Dynegy will either withdraw its Petition or otherwise communicate to the Board how it would like to proceed. Dynegy has consulted with counsel for IEPA, and IEPA has no objection to the requested 45-day extension of the stay of proceedings.

WHEREFORE, for the reasons set forth above, Dynegy requests that the Board grant this unopposed Motion to Extend Stay of Proceedings for 45 days, up to and including October 31, 2024 (or such other date deemed more appropriate by the board).

Respectfully submitted,

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