Via Electronic Transmission

Ms. Dana Kosco Secretary of the Commission Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission PNC Center 101 West Washington Street, Suite 1500E Indianapolis, Indiana 46204

> RE: I&M's 2021 Integrated Resource Plan (IRP)

Dear Ms. Kosco:

Attached for submission by Indiana Michigan Power Company (I&M), in accordance with 170 IAC 4-7 (IRP rules), is an electronic copy of I&M's 2021 Integrated Resource Plan (IRP). I&M's IRP reflects the assessment of supply- and demand-side resources to costeffectively meet I&M's customers' electric service needs. I&M will provide hard copies to the Commission upon request. I&M is also providing the technical appendix containing supporting documentation required by 170 IAC 4-7-2(c). I&M will provide access to the electronic data files to the parties that have executed a non-disclosure agreement.

I&M is concurrently filing a petition and supporting affidavit requesting that the confidential, proprietary, competitively sensitive and/or trade secret information and critical energy infrastructure information included with I&M's IRP be protected from disclosure pursuant to 170 IAC 4-7-2.1(a).

By copy of this letter, I&M is providing to the Commission the information required by 170 IAC 4-7-2(d). Specifically, I&M considers that the Office of Utility Consumer Counselor and the intervenors in I&M's pending general rate case (Cause No. 45576) may be interested parties. Those interested parties include:

Indiana Office of Utility Consumer Counselor Citizens Action Coalition of Indiana, Inc. City of Auburn Electric Department City of Fort Wayne City of Marion and Marion Municipal Utilities City of Muncie City of South Bend **I&M** Industrial Group The Kroger Company Steel Dynamics, Inc. Wabash Valley Power Association, Inc.

Walmart

By copy of this letter, which I&M is serving via email, I&M notifies the above interested parties that it has submitted an IRP to the Commission that is generally described above. The Commission invites the interested parties to submit written comments on I&M's IRP. 170 IAC 4-7-2.2 provides for a ninety (90) day time period, or longer as determined by the Commission, to submit written comments.

With this letter, I&M is serving one (1) electronic copy of the documents submitted under 170 IAC 4-7-2, including a copy of its non-redacted IRP, to the OUCC pursuant to the Standard Form Non-Disclosure Agreement entered into by I&M and the OUCC. I&M will provide the OUCC with a hard copy of the public IRP upon request.

I&M is also posting a public version of its IRP on its company website and informing the stakeholders that participated in the stakeholder meetings. That electronic copy can be found by visiting www.indianamichiganpower.com and clicking on the "Integrated Resource Plan" link. The direct link is:

https://www.indianamichiganpower.com/info/projects/IntegratedResourcePlan/.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. If you have any questions, please give me a call.

Sincerely,

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