

PPL DSPP2 – Full Requirements RFP
Performance Assurance Letter of Credit
UNACCEPTABLE Modifications¹

EXHIBIT C

PERFORMANCE ASSURANCE EVERGREEN LETTER OF CREDIT

{TO BE ISSUED ON THE LETTERHEAD OF THE ISSUING BANK}

IRREVOCABLE STANDBY LETTER OF CREDIT NO. _____

ISSUE DATE _____

EXPIRY DATE: _____

APPLICANT

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

BENEFICIARY

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CURRENCY AMOUNT USD

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WE HEREBY ISSUE IN YOUR FAVOR OUR IRREVOCABLE STANDBY LETTER OF CREDIT NO: _____ FOR THE ACCOUNT OF _____ (APPLICANT) FOR AN AMOUNT OR AMOUNTS NOT TO EXCEED IN THE AGGREGATE US DOLLARS _____ AVAILABLE BY YOUR DRAFT(S) AT SIGHT ON THE BANK OF _____ (“ISSUER”) _____ (ADDRESS), EFFECTIVE _____ AND EXPIRING AT OUR COUNTERS ON _____ AT 5:00 PM NEW YORK, NEW YORK TIME OR ANY AUTOMATICALLY EXTENDED EXPIRY DATE, AS PROVIDED HEREIN. THIS LETTER OF CREDIT IS AVAILABLE IN ONE OR MORE DRAFTS UP TO THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT SET FORTH HEREIN.

¹ Please note that this document does not contain an exhaustive list of all unacceptable modifications. Only those modifications listed in the companion document titled “Acceptable Modifications to the Performance Assurance LC” are changes accepted by PPL Electric, and any other changes are deemed unacceptable.

1. May we make the following change to the Performance Assurance Letter of Credit?

WE HEREBY ISSUE IN YOUR FAVOR OUR IRREVOCABLE STANDBY LETTER OF CREDIT NO: _____ FOR THE ACCOUNT OF _____ (APPLICANT) FOR AN AMOUNT OR AMOUNTS NOT TO EXCEED IN THE AGGREGATE US DOLLARS _____ AVAILABLE BY YOUR DRAFT(S) AT SIGHT ON THE BANK OF _____ (“ISSUER”) _____ (ADDRESS), EFFECTIVE _____ AND EXPIRING AT OUR COUNTERS ON _____ AT 5:00 PM NEW YORK, NEW YORK TIME OR ANY AUTOMATICALLY EXTENDED EXPIRY DATE, AS PROVIDED HEREIN. ~~THIS LETTER OF CREDIT IS AVAILABLE IN ONE OR MORE DRAFTS UP TO THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT SET FORTH HEREIN.~~

This change is not acceptable.

2. May we make the following change to the Performance Assurance Letter of Credit?

PERFORMANCE ASSURANCE ~~EVERGREEN~~ LETTER OF CREDIT

This change is not acceptable.

3. May we make the following change to the Performance Assurance Letter of Credit?

WE HEREBY ISSUE IN YOUR FAVOR OUR IRREVOCABLE STANDBY LETTER OF CREDIT NO: _____ FOR THE ACCOUNT OF _____ (APPLICANT) FOR AN AMOUNT OR AMOUNTS NOT TO EXCEED IN THE AGGREGATE US DOLLARS _____ AVAILABLE BY YOUR DRAFT(S) AT SIGHT ON THE BANK OF _____ (“ISSUER”) _____ (ADDRESS), EFFECTIVE _____ AND EXPIRING AT OUR COUNTERS ON _____ AT 5:00 PM NEW YORK, NEW YORK TIME ~~OR ANY AUTOMATICALLY EXTENDED EXPIRY DATE, AS PROVIDED HEREIN.~~

This change is not acceptable.

THIS LETTER OF CREDIT IS PRESENTABLE AND PAYABLE AT OUR COUNTERS AND WE HEREBY ENGAGE WITH YOU THAT DRAFTS DRAWN UNDER AND IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE TERMS OF THIS LETTER OF CREDIT WILL BE HONORED ON PRESENTATION IF ACCOMPANIED BY THE REQUIRED DOCUMENTS PURSUANT TO THE TERMS OF THIS LETTER OF CREDIT.

THE BELOW MENTIONED DOCUMENT(S) MUST BE PRESENTED ON OR BEFORE THE EXPIRY DATE OF THIS INSTRUMENT IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THIS LETTER OF CREDIT.

1. YOUR SIGNED AND DATED STATEMENT, READING AS FOLLOWS:

“THE AMOUNT FOR THIS DRAWING, USD (INSERT AMOUNT), BEING MADE UNDER THE BANK OF _____ (INSERT NAME OF BANK) LETTER OF CREDIT NUMBER (INSERT LETTER OF CREDIT REFERENCE NUMBER), REPRESENTS AN AMOUNT DUE AND PAYABLE TO BENEFICIARY FROM APPLICANT FOR PERFORMANCE ASSURANCE RELATED TO THE PPL DEFAULT SERVICE SUPPLY MASTER AGREEMENT DATED _____ BETWEEN _____ AND _____.”

2. THIS ORIGINAL LETTER OF CREDIT AND ANY AMENDMENT(S).

4. May we make the following change to the Performance Assurance Letter of Credit?

~~THE BELOW MENTIONED DOCUMENT(S) MUST BE PRESENTED ON OR BEFORE THE EXPIRY DATE OF THIS INSTRUMENT IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THIS LETTER OF CREDIT.~~

This change is not acceptable.

IF PRESENTATION OF ANY DRAWING IS MADE ON A BUSINESS DAY (AS HEREIN DEFINED) AND SUCH PRESENTATION IS MADE ON OR BEFORE 11:00 A.M. NEW YORK TIME, ISSUER SHALL SATISFY SUCH DRAWING REQUEST ON THE NEXT BUSINESS DAY. IF THE DRAWING IS RECEIVED AFTER 11:00 A.M. NEW YORK TIME, ISSUER WILL SATISFY SUCH DRAWING REQUEST ON THE SECOND FOLLOWING BUSINESS DAY.

5. May we make the following change to the Performance Assurance Letter of Credit?

IF PRESENTATION OF ANY DRAWING IS MADE ON A BUSINESS DAY (AS HEREIN DEFINED) AND SUCH PRESENTATION IS MADE ON OR BEFORE 11:00 A.M. NEW YORK TIME, ISSUER SHALL SATISFY SUCH DRAWING REQUEST ON THE ~~NEXT~~ **THIRD SUCCEEDING** BUSINESS DAY. ~~IF THE DRAWING IS RECEIVED AFTER 11:00 A.M. NEW YORK TIME, ISSUER WILL SATISFY SUCH DRAWING REQUEST ON THE SECOND FOLLOWING BUSINESS DAY.~~

This change is not acceptable.

6. May we make the following change to the Performance Assurance Letter of Credit?

IF PRESENTATION OF ANY DRAWING IS MADE ON A BUSINESS DAY (AS HEREIN DEFINED) AND SUCH PRESENTATION IS MADE ON OR BEFORE 11:00 A.M. NEW YORK TIME, ISSUER SHALL SATISFY SUCH DRAWING REQUEST ON THE ~~NEXT~~ **THIRD FOLLOWING** BUSINESS DAY. IF THE DRAWING IS RECEIVED AFTER 11:00 A.M. NEW YORK TIME, ISSUER WILL SATISFY SUCH DRAWING REQUEST ON THE ~~SECOND~~ **FOURTH** FOLLOWING BUSINESS DAY.

This change is not acceptable.

7. May we make the following change to the Performance Assurance Letter of Credit?

IF PRESENTATION OF ANY DRAWING IS MADE ON A BUSINESS DAY (AS HEREIN DEFINED) AND SUCH PRESENTATION IS MADE ON OR BEFORE 11:00 A.M. NEW YORK TIME, ISSUER SHALL SATISFY SUCH DRAWING REQUEST ON THE ~~NEXT~~ **THIRD** BUSINESS DAY. IF THE DRAWING IS RECEIVED AFTER 11:00 A.M. NEW YORK TIME, ISSUER WILL SATISFY SUCH DRAWING REQUEST ON THE ~~SECOND~~ **FOURTH** FOLLOWING BUSINESS DAY.

This change is not acceptable.

8. May we make the following change to the Performance Assurance Letter of Credit?

IF PRESENTATION OF ANY DRAWING IS MADE ON A BUSINESS DAY (AS HEREIN DEFINED) AND SUCH PRESENTATION IS MADE ON OR BEFORE 11:00 A.M. NEW YORK TIME, ISSUER SHALL SATISFY SUCH DRAWING REQUEST ON THE NEXT ~~THIRD SUCCEEDING~~ BUSINESS DAY. ~~IF THE DRAWING IS RECEIVED AFTER 11:00 A.M. NEW YORK TIME, ISSUER WILL SATISFY SUCH DRAWING REQUEST ON THE SECOND FOLLOWING BUSINESS DAY.~~

This change is not acceptable.

9. May we make the following change to the Performance Assurance Letter of Credit?

IF PRESENTATION OF ANY DRAWING IS MADE ON A BUSINESS DAY (AS HEREIN DEFINED) AND SUCH PRESENTATION IS MADE ON OR BEFORE 11:00 A.M. ~~NEW YORK~~ **PACIFIC** TIME, ISSUER SHALL SATISFY SUCH DRAWING REQUEST ON THE NEXT BUSINESS DAY. IF THE DRAWING IS RECEIVED AFTER 11:00 A.M. ~~NEW YORK~~ **PACIFIC** TIME, ISSUER WILL SATISFY SUCH DRAWING REQUEST ON THE SECOND FOLLOWING BUSINESS DAY.

This change is not acceptable.

IT IS A CONDITION OF THIS LETTER OF CREDIT THAT IT WILL BE AUTOMATICALLY EXTENDED WITHOUT AMENDMENT FOR ONE YEAR FROM THE EXPIRATION DATE HEREOF, OR ANY FUTURE EXPIRATION DATE, UNLESS AT LEAST 90 DAYS PRIOR TO ANY EXPIRATION DATE WE NOTIFY YOU AT THE ABOVE ADDRESS BY REGISTERED MAIL OR HAND DELIVERED COURIER THAT WE ELECT NOT TO CONSIDER THIS LETTER OF CREDIT RENEWED FOR ANY SUCH PERIOD.

10. May we make the following change to the Performance Assurance Letter of Credit?

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This change is not acceptable.

THIS LETTER OF CREDIT MAY BE TERMINATED PRIOR TO THE STATED EXPIRY DATE UPON BENEFICIARY'S RECEIPT OF FULL PAYMENT FROM THE APPLICANT AND ISSUER'S RECEIPT OF A WRITTEN RELEASE FROM THE BENEFICIARY RELEASING THE ISSUER FROM ITS OBLIGATIONS UNDER THIS LETTER OF CREDIT.

11. May we make the following change to the Performance Assurance Letter of Credit?

THIS LETTER OF CREDIT MAY BE TERMINATED PRIOR TO THE STATED EXPIRY DATE UPON ~~BENEFICIARY'S RECEIPT OF FULL PAYMENT FROM THE APPLICANT AND~~ ISSUER'S RECEIPT OF A WRITTEN RELEASE FROM THE BENEFICIARY RELEASING THE ISSUER FROM ITS OBLIGATIONS UNDER THIS LETTER OF CREDIT.

This change is not acceptable.

THE TERM "BUSINESS DAY" AS USED HEREIN MEANS ANY DAY OTHER THAN
(I) A SATURDAY, (II) A SUNDAY, OR (III) A DAY ON WHICH BANKING INSTITUTIONS LOCATED IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NEW YORK ARE REQUIRED OR AUTHORIZED BY LAW TO BE CLOSED.

APPLICANT'S FILING OF A BANKRUPTCY, RECEIVERSHIP OR OTHER DEBTOR-RELIEF PETITION, AND/OR APPLICANT'S DISCHARGE THEREUNDER, SHALL IN NO WAY AFFECT THE LIABILITY OF ISSUER UNDER THIS LETTER OF CREDIT AND ISSUER SHALL REMAIN LIABLE TO BENEFICIARY UNTIL THE EXPIRATION DATE OF THIS LETTER OF CREDIT FOR THE FULL AMOUNT OF APPLICANT'S OBLIGATIONS HEREIN TO BENEFICIARY NOT TO EXCEED THE AVAILABLE AMOUNT IN THIS LETTER OF CREDIT.

12. May we make the following change to the Performance Assurance Letter of Credit?

APPLICANT'S FILING OF A BANKRUPTCY, RECEIVERSHIP OR OTHER DEBTOR-RELIEF PETITION, AND/OR APPLICANT'S DISCHARGE THEREUNDER, SHALL IN NO WAY AFFECT THE LIABILITY OF ISSUER UNDER THIS LETTER OF CREDIT AND ISSUER SHALL REMAIN LIABLE TO BENEFICIARY UNTIL THE EXPIRATION DATE OF THIS LETTER OF CREDIT FOR THE FULL AMOUNT OF ~~APPLICANT'S~~ **THE ISSUER'S** OBLIGATIONS HEREIN TO BENEFICIARY NOT TO EXCEED THE AVAILABLE AMOUNT IN THIS LETTER OF CREDIT.

This change is not acceptable.

ADDITIONAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

1. ALL COMMISSIONS AND OTHER BANKING CHARGES WILL BE BORNE BY THE APPLICANT.
2. THIS LETTER OF CREDIT MAY NOT BE TRANSFERRED OR ASSIGNED.
3. THIS LETTER OF CREDIT IS IRREVOCABLE.

4. THIS LETTER OF CREDIT IS SUBJECT TO THE INTERNATIONAL STANDBY PRACTICES (1998) OF THE INTERNATIONAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE PUBLICATION NO. 590 (“ISP98”). AS TO MATTERS NOT GOVERNED BY ISP98, THIS LETTER OF CREDIT SHALL BE GOVERNED BY AND CONSTRUED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LAWS OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, INCLUDING, TO THE EXTENT NOT INCONSISTENT WITH ISP98, THE UNIFORM COMMERCIAL CODE AS IN EFFECT IN THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA. THIS LETTER OF CREDIT MAY NOT BE AMENDED, CHANGED OR MODIFIED WITHOUT THE EXPRESS WRITTEN CONSENT OF THE BENEFICIARY AND THE ISSUER.

13. May we make the following change to the Performance Assurance Letter of Credit?

4. THIS LETTER OF CREDIT IS SUBJECT TO THE INTERNATIONAL STANDBY PRACTICES (1998) OF THE INTERNATIONAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE PUBLICATION NO. 590 (“ISP98”) OR SUCH LATER REVISION(S) OF THE ISP AS MAY BE HEREAFTER ADOPTED. AS TO MATTERS NOT GOVERNED BY ISP98, THIS LETTER OF CREDIT SHALL BE GOVERNED BY AND CONSTRUED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LAWS OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, INCLUDING, TO THE EXTENT NOT INCONSISTENT WITH ISP98, THE UNIFORM COMMERCIAL CODE AS IN EFFECT IN THE STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA. THIS LETTER OF CREDIT MAY NOT BE AMENDED, CHANGED OR MODIFIED WITHOUT THE EXPRESS WRITTEN CONSENT OF THE BENEFICIARY AND THE ISSUER.

This change is not acceptable.

14. May we make the following change to the Performance Assurance Letter of Credit?

THIS LETTER OF CREDIT IS SUBJECT TO THE INTERNATIONAL STANDBY PRACTICES (1998) OF THE INTERNATIONAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE PUBLICATION NO. 590 (“ISP98”). AS TO MATTERS NOT GOVERNED BY ISP98, THIS LETTER OF CREDIT SHALL BE GOVERNED BY AND CONSTRUED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LAWS OF THE **STATE OF OHIO OR NEW YORK** COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, INCLUDING, TO THE EXTENT NOT INCONSISTENT WITH ISP98, THE UNIFORM COMMERCIAL CODE AS IN EFFECT IN THE **STATE OF OHIO OR NEW YORK** COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA. THIS LETTER OF CREDIT MAY NOT BE AMENDED, CHANGED OR MODIFIED WITHOUT THE EXPRESS WRITTEN CONSENT OF THE BENEFICIARY AND THE ISSUER.

This change is not acceptable.

5. THE BENEFICIARY SHALL NOT BE DEEMED TO HAVE WAIVED ANY RIGHTS UNDER THIS LETTER OF CREDIT, UNLESS THE BENEFICIARY OR AN AUTHORIZED AGENT OF THE BENEFICIARY SHALL HAVE SIGNED A DATED WRITTEN WAIVER. NO SUCH WAIVER, UNLESS EXPRESSLY SO STATED THEREIN, SHALL BE EFFECTIVE AS TO ANY TRANSACTION THAT OCCURS SUBSEQUENT TO THE DATE OF THE WAIVER, NOR AS TO ANY CONTINUANCE OF A BREACH AFTER THE WAIVER.

15. May we make the following change to the Performance Assurance Letter of Credit?

~~5. THE BENEFICIARY SHALL NOT BE DEEMED TO HAVE WAIVED ANY RIGHTS UNDER THIS LETTER OF CREDIT, UNLESS THE BENEFICIARY OR AN AUTHORIZED AGENT OF THE BENEFICIARY SHALL HAVE SIGNED A DATED WRITTEN WAIVER. NO SUCH WAIVER, UNLESS EXPRESSLY SO STATED THEREIN, SHALL BE EFFECTIVE AS TO ANY TRANSACTION THAT OCCURS SUBSEQUENT TO THE DATE OF THE WAIVER, NOR AS TO ANY CONTINUANCE OF A BREACH AFTER THE WAIVER.~~

This change is not acceptable.

6. A FAILURE TO MAKE ANY PARTIAL DRAWINGS AT ANY TIME SHALL NOT IMPAIR OR REDUCE THE AVAILABILITY OF THIS LETTER OF CREDIT IN ANY SUBSEQUENT PERIOD OR OUR OBLIGATION TO HONOR YOUR SUBSEQUENT DEMANDS FOR PAYMENT MADE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE TERMS OF THIS LETTER OF CREDIT.

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This change is not acceptable.

AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE: _____

TITLE: _____

PLEASE DIRECT ANY WRITTEN CORRESPONDENCE, INCLUDING DRAWING OR INQUIRIES TO:

[BANK NAME, ADDRESS AND PHONE NUMBER]