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Detroit Thermal Comments on MPSC Order

The following statement is from Chuck French, president and general manager of Detroit Thermal, a district energy company that provides steam to heat and cool 131 business customers in and around downtown Detroit's business district. In the statement, French offers comment on today's rate order (Case No. U-13691) by the Michigan Public Service Commission (MPSC).

“While we continue to review what is a lengthy order from the MPSC, our initial reaction is that we now have a rate structure in place that supports Detroit Thermal's plans to invest in the ongoing modernization of our steam system and contribute to downtown Detroit's revitalization. We believe the order gives us the ability to modernize our system to benefit all of our customers and also will result in many customers receiving reduced rates and refunds. Finally, the order provides the foundation to work more closely with our customers and offer customized long-term contracts with discounts when appropriate. We will continue to analyze the order and, in the near future, communicate what it means to our customers and the community.”

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