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Ms. Tanowa M. Troupe, Secretary
Ohio Power Siting Board
Docketing Division
180 East Broad Street, 11th Floor
Columbus, OH 43215-3716

Re: OPSB Case No. 19-1384-EL-BNR / Duke Energy Ohio Construction Notice for the Duke Energy Ohio St. Annes Avenue Tower Replacement Project

Dear Ms. Troupe:

Duke Energy Ohio, Inc. (Duke Energy Ohio), filed a Construction Notice, pursuant to O.A.C. Chapter 4906-6, on July 10, 2019, concerning a proposed project known as the Duke Energy Ohio St. Annes Avenue Tower Replacement Project. The Ohio Power Siting Board (OPSB) Staff issued its report recommending automatic approval of the project on August 1, 2019, provided that, among others, the following condition was satisfied:

(3) Prior to the commencement of construction, the Applicant shall obtain a coordination letter from the ODNR regarding impacts to state and federal listed species and/or their suitable habitat, and shall coordinate with the ODNR and with Staff regarding compliance with the letter.

Duke Energy Ohio is filing said letter today with Docketing.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Jeanne W. Kingery

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