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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In the Matter of the Application of Columbia Gas of Ohio, Inc. for Approval of Tariffs to Recover Through an Automatic Adjustment Clause Costs Associated with the Establishment of an Infrastructure Replacement Program and for Approval of Certain Accounting Treatment.

In the Matter of the Application of Columbia Gas of Ohio, Inc. for Authority to Modify its Accounting Procedures to Provide for Deferral of Expenses Related to the Commission's Investigation of the Installation, Use, and Performance of Natural Gas Service Riders.

Case No. 07-478-GA-UNC PUCO PUCO

Case No. 07-237-GA-AAM

PREPARED DIRECT TESTIMONY

OF

JILL A. HENRY

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SERVICE MONITORING AND ENFORCEMENT DEPARTMENT
ON BEHALF OF THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF
OHIO

IN SUPPORT OF THE STIPULATION

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- 1. Q. Please state your name and business address.
- A. My name is Jill A. Henry. My business address is 180 East Broad Street,

 Columbus, Ohio, 43215.
- 4 2. Q. What is your current position?
- A. I am employed by the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio as a Gas

 Pipeline Safety Investigator in the Gas Pipeline Safety Section, Facility and

 Operations Field Division, Service Monitoring and Enforcement

 Department.
- 9 3. Q. Please summarize your education and professional qualifications.
- 10 A. I am a graduate of the Ohio State University, where I obtained a Bachelor 11 of Science degree in civil engineering. I also have completed 10 week long classes on pipeline safety at the Transportation Safety Institute in 12 13 Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. I also completed the three Appalachian Underground Corrosion Short Courses offered at West Virginia University 14 15 in Morgantown, West Virginia. I also have served as a National 16 Association of Pipeline Safety Representatives (NAPSR) representative on 17 the Gas Piping Technology Committee (GPTC) since March 2000, which is 18 sponsored by the American Gas Association. I am also a member of the 19 Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration, Gas Integrity 20 Management Team which worked on developing the inspection materials, 21 interpretations, and implementation of the gas integrity regulations.
- 22 4. Q. Please summarize your business experience.

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I have worked for the Public Utilities Commission since 1994 as a Gas Pipeline Safety Compliance Investigator in the Gas Pipeline Safety Section. My responsibilities include the inspection of gas company facilities, records and procedures for compliance with state and federal regulations. I prepare reports on these inspections, and, when applicable, prepare probable violation reports. My responsibilities have grown to include the coordination of gas pipeline safety staff reports, stipulation agreements, and stipulation monitoring. Additionally, I monitor the federal register and other publications for interpretations and changes to the gas pipeline safety regulations. I am the lead integrity management investigator for Ohio and have been involved in every phase of the riser investigation, Case No. 05-463-GA-COI.

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I hereby certify that a true copy of the foregoing Prepared Testimony of Jill A.

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