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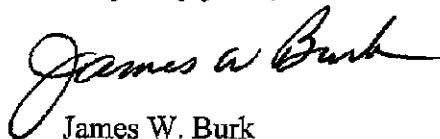
RE: PUCO Case No. 07-1165-EL-ATA
In the Matter of the FirstEnergy Companies Shopping Credit Adder Rider
Letter

Dear Ms. Jenkins:

Enclosed for filing please find the original and twelve (12) copies of *Letter* for docketing regarding the above-referenced case which was fax-filed today. Please file the attached. File-stamp the two extra copies and return them to the undersigned in the enclosed envelope.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter. Please contact me if you have any questions concerning this matter.

Very truly yours,



James W. Burk

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RE: In the Matter of the FirstEnergy Companies Shopping Credit Adder Rider, Case
No. 07-1165-EL-ATA

Dear Ms. Jenkins:

Please docket this letter in the above-mentioned case number. On November 5, 2007, Ohio Edison Company, The Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company, and The Toledo Edison Company ("Companies") filed an application in Case No. 07-1165-EL-ATA to continue and revise each Company's Shopping Credit Adder Rider for 2008. If no action is taken by the Commission to approve the continuation of the Shopping Credit Adder Rider by the end of the year, the Rider will terminate by its own terms. To date, the Commission has not taken action to approve the application, and no such approval can reasonably be expected prior to the end of the year. Therefore, the Companies' request that the current Shopping Credit Adder Rider, currently set to terminate after bills rendered on December 31, 2007, be extended at the current cents/kWh level. Such extension would continue until such time that the Commission acts requiring an adjustment to the current Shopping Credit Adder Rider or March 31, 2008, whichever occurs sooner.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "James W. Burk".

cc: Parties of record