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Re: AEP, PUCO Case Nos. 08-917-EL-SSO and 08-918-EL-SSO

Dear Hon. Kim Bojko and Hon. Greta See,

This letter is simply to clarify the record in this proceeding as it relates to the PUCO Staff's Motion for Extension of Time, filed October 5, 2008, and the PUCO Staff's letter to the Attorney Examiners filed October 6, 2008. In the Staff's letter, it is stated "OCC served its AEP testimony to parties on its FirstEnergy case service list. Numerous parties in this case did not receive electronic service of OCC's testimony, including AEP."

OCC did inadvertently send electronic courtesy copies of its testimony in these cases to the FirstEnergy service list on October 31, 2008, and regrets any inconvenience. OCC did, however, properly serve copies of its testimony to AEP, the PUCO Staff, and all other parties to the above-referenced cases by U.S. Mail the same day, in compliance with PUCO service requirements. The envelope for OCC's service by mail to the Staff's counsel included on the mailing label the names of Mr. Margard and Mr. Jones. Further, AEP's counsel and the PUCO Staff's counsel, Mr. Jones, were also sent copies of OCC's testimony via email on October 31, 2008.

OCC appreciates the PUCO's Staff's retraction of certain averments that it made in its motion for extension with regard to OCC's service. The fact that OCC sends courtesy copies by email reflects that OCC seeks to provide a convenience to the PUCO Staff and other parties.

Sincerely,

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Assistant Consumers' Counsel

Cc: Parties of Record (by U.S. Mail and courtesy copies via e-mail)

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