## Staff Investigation Report and Recommendation

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Case No.: 09-44-EL-BLN

**Project:** Delta-Wauseon 138 kV Transmission Line Tap to Zinc Ox

Applicants: American Transmission Systems, Inc. Toledo Edison Company

Report Date: 2 March 2009

Automatic Approval Date: 9 March 2009 (Letter of Notification process)

Waiver Request: None

Inspection Date(s): 29 January 2009 & 10 February 2009 Staff Assigned: J. O'Dell

# Summary of Staff Recommendations (see report text for discussion):

Application:	[X] Approval	[ ] Disapproval	[ ] Approval with Conditions
Waiver:	[ ] Approval	[ ] Disapproval	[X] Not Applicable

## Summary of Staff Recommended Conditions (see report text for discussion):

• None

### Projected Docket Closure Date (if automatically approved): 1 October 2011

### **Investigation Report**

**Project Description**: This project involves the installation of approximately one mile of 138 kV transmission line, utilizing 19 new wood pole structures. The line would provide service to the Zinc Ox Substation, a new industrial customer.

**Site Description:** The project is located in York Township, Fulton County. Land use is confined to industrial and agricultural uses. The new poles will be installed and maintained using nearby service roads. This project is not expected to require any appreciable vegetative clearing.

**Discussion/Comments/Concerns:** The construction of this project should pose only minimal negative social and ecological impacts.

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