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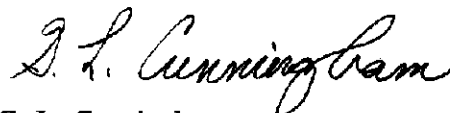
Ms. Kim Wissman, Chief
Ohio Power Siting Board
Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Borden Bldg., 12th Floor
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43266-0573

Dear Ms. Wissman:

Standard Application
Cardington 138 kV Transmission Line Project
Case No. 96-168-EL-BTX

In the Ohio Power Siting Board's Opinion and Final Order granting a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the subject project, it was ordered that Ohio Edison provide the Board Staff the date on which construction was completed and the date on which the facility began commercial operation. Be advised that construction of the subject project was completed on January 5, 1998, and was energized on January 9, 1998.

Sincerely,



G. L. Cunningham
Technical Specialist

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