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March 23, 2011

Ms. Renee J. Jenkins
Director, Administration Department
Secretary to the Commission
Docketing Division
The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43215-3793

RE: Columbia Gas of Ohio, Inc.
Construction Notice:
Manhattan and Suder Regulator Station Rebuild – Toledo, Ohio
PUCO Case No. 11-xxx-GA-BNR

11-1426-GA-BNR PUCO

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Dear Ms. Jenkins:

In accordance with Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) §4906-11-02, Columbia Gas of Ohio, Inc. (Columbia) hereby transmits one (1) original and ten (10) copies of the enclosed proposed project known as the Manhattan and Suder Regulator Station Replacement – Toledo, Ohio.

The project area is located at 3258 E. Manhattan Boulevard at the intersection of Terrace Drive in the City of Toledo, Lucas County, Ohio.

Please be advised of the following:

1. **Project Name:** Manhattan and Suder Regulator Station Rebuild – Toledo, Ohio.
2. **Project Description:** This is a condition replacement project initiated by Columbia to rebuild the existing regulator station known as District Regulator Station #316, which was destroyed by fire on November 16, 2010. A map of the proposed work by Columbia is attached with this submission.

This project is being submitted as a Construction Notice (BNR) because it is viewed as meeting the requirements in OAC 4906-1 'General Provisions for

Filings and Proceedings before the Ohio Power Siting Board' as indicated by the following:

- A) 4906-1-01 (Q); Definition of a Gas Transmission Line
 - B) 4906-1-01 Appendix B; item (1)(a) of the 'Application Requirement Matrix for Gas Transmission Lines'.
3. **Project Need:** This project is a condition replacement project initiated by Columbia.
 4. **Schedule:** Construction is planned to start July 26, 2011 with an expected end date of September 15, 2011.
 5. **Estimated Capital Cost:** The capital cost of the Manhattan and Suder Regulator Station Rebuild is approximately \$790,000. This figure includes approximately \$65,000 that was spent in 2010 to install a temporary regulator setting required to maintain system integrity during the winter.
 6. **Operating Characteristics:** The proposed Manhattan and Suder Regulator Station Rebuild project includes the installation of the following facilities:

Facility	Size	Quantity	System	MAOP
12-inch Gate Valve (installed in 2010)	12-inch	1 each	34002116	145psig
Temporary Regulator Setting (installed in 2010)	N/A	1 each	34002116	145psig
New Regulator Facilities	6-inch	1 each	34002116	145psig
New High Pressure Inlet Main	12-inch	100'±	34002116	145psig
New Medium Pressure Outlet Main	16-inch	35'±	34002120	58psig
New Medium Pressure Outlet Main	12-inch	550'±	34002120	58psig
New Outlet Valve Setting	12-inch	1 each	34002120	58psig
New Regulator Building	20' x 20'	1 each		N/A

The proposed regulator facilities, building, outlet valve setting, high pressure inlet main, and portions of the medium pressure outlet mainline facilities will be installed on the existing lot owned by Columbia. The remaining segments of the

medium pressure outlet mainline facilities will be installed within the Manhattan Boulevard public right-of-way.

7. **Map and Directions:** A Vicinity Map of the project location along with a more detailed overview drawing is attached to this Construction Notice. In order to locate the proposed site from 180 East Broad Street navigate to I-75 north to exit 195 State Route 795. Travel east on State Route 795 for approximately 6¾ miles to I-280. Travel north on I-280 for approximately 10 miles to exit 12 Manhattan Boulevard. Turn right on Manhattan Boulevard and travel just under 1 mile to the project location at the cross street of Terrace Drive.
8. **Property List of Additional Easements:** No new pipeline easements or facility easements are planned in order to construct this project. Columbia owns the entire parcel located at 3258 E. Manhattan Boulevard on which the proposed regulation facilities will be constructed.

We have provided a copy of the Construction Notification by certified mail, with return receipt requested, to each official of the political subdivisions immediately affected by the proposed project as listed in the attached Exhibit 1. Copies of the transmittal letters addressed to the local government representatives of the City of Toledo are enclosed for your file.

Should staff of the Ohio Power Siting Board desire further information or discussion of this submittal, please contact me at (419) 539-6064

Sincerely,



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