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Dear Docketing Clerk:

Attached for filing is a Notice of Initiation of Utility Contact, and of Existence of  
 Electrical Service.

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Very truly yours,

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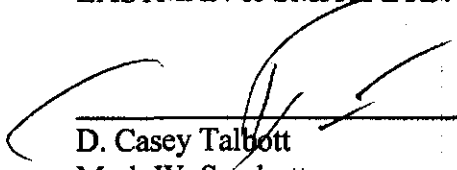
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A copy of the foregoing *Notice of Initiation of Utility Contact, and of Existence of Electrical Service* was mailed this 8<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2011 to: **Bill Cochensparger**, Personnel Director, 1501 N. Sugar Street, Lima, Ohio 45801-3136; **American Electric Power**, 1 Riverside Plaza, 29<sup>th</sup> Floor, Columbus, Ohio 43215; **David Keller**, Liberty Township Trustees, 816 W. Market Street, Baltimore, Ohio 43105; **Susan J. Kirkland**, Manager, Safety Programs, Ohio Rail Development Commission, 1980 West Broad Street, 2nd Floor, Columbus, Ohio 43223; and **South Central Power Company**, P.O. Box 250, Lancaster, Ohio 43130.



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