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Re: Case No. 12-1641-EL-CSS

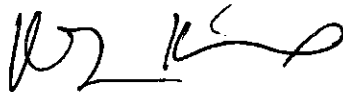
Dear Mr. Lynn,

Confirming my conversation with you on October 10, 2012, I wish to withdraw my complaint against the Cleveland Electric Illuminating Co., on behalf of my company, RH Development, LLC. I am withdrawing due to the practical matter of the costs involved to pursue this further.

In fact, I strongly believe that CEI, after having been allowed by PUCO to renege on their promise of a lifetime reduced rate for electric heat, has additionally been allowed to charge for the second meter in each of my vacant units, even though no power is being run through them. These meters were required by CEI to segregate the power used for the "reduced rate".


Although technically, CEI is only doing what PUCO has permitted, I'm quite comfortable in stating that they never brought this convenient nuance to PUCO's attention, either. I therefore strongly suggest that PUCO change this by disallowing any charges for second meters used initially for the prior "dual rate" electric heat incentives in any future rate reviews.

Sincerely,



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