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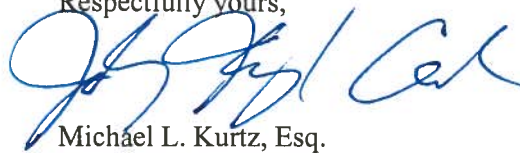
In re: Case Nos. 13-0729-EL-ATA

Dear Sir/Madam:

Please find attached the COMMENTS OF THE OHIO ENERGY GROUP for filing in the above-referenced matter.

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**BEFORE THE
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO**

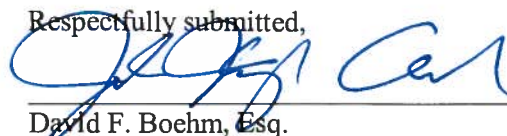
In the Matter of the Application of Ohio Power Company to :
Amend Its Supplier Coordination Tariff and Related Contracts : **Case No. 13-729-EL-ATA**

**COMMENTS OF THE
THE OHIO ENERGY GROUP**

The Ohio Energy Group ("OEG") hereby submits the following Comments to the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio ("Commission"). OEG's principal concern is that the Application filed by Ohio Power Company ("AEP" or "Company") in this proceeding lacks fundamental information that the Commission should require the Company to provide before ruling on its request.

AEP's Application proposes sweeping changes to its Electric Generation Supplier Tariff and related contracts, which may ultimately impact the rates that shopping customers pay. Yet AEP provided no testimony in support of those proposed changes. AEP did not even provide an explanation of the perceived problem that it is attempting to address through those proposed changes. Though it may be that AEP's request in this case is perfectly reasonable, the Commission should require AEP to explain the purpose and implications of its proposed changes to ensure that this is the case. AEP's request should not be decided in a vacuum. Accordingly, the Commission should require AEP to provide explanatory information by either: 1) scheduling a Technical Conference at which AEP must provide such information; or 2) requiring AEP to file testimony in support of its request in this proceeding.

Respectfully submitted,



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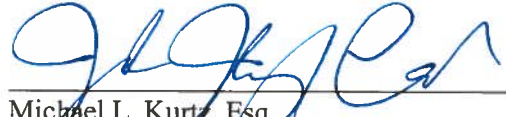
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