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Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Docketing Division
180 East Broad Street, 11th Floor
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Re: Ohio Power Company's Application to Update its gridSMART Rider
Case No. 13-345-EL-RDR

Dear Sir or Madam:

On February 1, 2013, Ohio Power Company filed an application to update its gridSMART Rider. The Attorney Examiner established a procedural schedule, including the filing of Initial Comments by October 31, 2013 and the filing of Reply Comments by November 15, 2013.

The Retail Energy Supply Association ("RESA") filed a motion to intervene in this proceeding on October 24, 2013, which is still pending.

RESA plans to participate in this docket. However, RESA will not be filing Initial Comments at this time. RESA reserves the right to file reply comments per the established schedule.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "MHP", followed by a stylized flourish.

M. Howard Petricoff

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a true and accurate copy of the foregoing document was served by electronic mail on the following parties in Case No. 13-345-EL-RDR this 31st day of October 2013.



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