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Re: In re: Duke Energy Ohio, Case Nos. 14-841-EL-SSO, 14-842-EL-ATA

Ms. Barcy F. McNeal Secretary Docketing Division Public Utilities Commission of Ohio 180 East Broad Street, 11th Floor Columbus, Ohio 43215

Dear Ms. McNeal:

I write to withdraw my appearance in the above-captioned cases on behalf of the non-party Ohio Valley Electric Corporation ("OVEC"). Effective April 3, 2015, I will be leaving the firm of Simpson Thacher & Bartlett LLP. OVEC will continue to be represented by Simpson Thacher in this matter and any further correspondence regarding non-party OVEC can be directed to Brian Chisling of Simpson Thacher at the above address or at bchisling@stblaw.com.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/

Michael J. Castiglione

cc: All Counsel of Record (via Electronic Filing)

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Summary: Letter of Notification Letter To Withdraw Appearance of Michael J. Castiglione (OVEC will continue to be represented by Simpson Thacher & Bartlett LLP) electronically filed by Mr. Michael J. Castiglione on behalf of Ohio Valley Electric Corporation