

Legal Department

Chairman Andre T. Porter Ohio Power Siting Board 180 East Broad Street Columbus, Ohio 43215

May 4, 2015

Re: In the Matter of a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the 138kV Melmore Substation Project, Case No. 13-0522-EL-BSB

Dear Chairman Porter,

In reference to the Melmore Station Project pre-construction meeting held on April 30, 2014, and per the OPSB Staff's and subsequent construction start approval filed on August 8, 2014, please be advised that construction on the project will commence as early as May 4, 2015.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Respectfully Submitted,

/s/ Ajay K. Kumar

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