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

Re: *In the Matter of the Application of Duke Energy Ohio, Inc., for Approval of a Distribution Decoupling Rider*, Case No. 11-5905-EL-RDR.

Dear Ms. McNeal:

In the above-captioned case, Duke Energy Ohio, Inc. submitted an application for approval of a distribution decoupling rider, (Rider DDR). The application explained that the rider would provide for a three-year pilot to run from January 1, 2012, through December 31, 2014. The application further provided that the rider would be updated on a yearly basis such that the Company would file an application by March 1 of each year, Staff and intervenors would have until May 1 to file comments, and without Commission action, the proposed rate changes would become effective July 1 of each year.

The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio approved the Company's application on May 30, 2012.¹

Duke Energy Ohio submitted its most recent application to adjust and set Rider DDR on February 25, 2015. With this letter, the Company is providing a copy of the tariff sheet with appropriate changes to the rates to become effective on July 1, 2015.

Should you have any questions please feel free to contact me.

Respectfully submitted,

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¹ *In the Matter of the Application of Duke Energy Ohio, Inc., for Approval of a Distribution Decoupling Rider*, Case No. 11-5905-EL-RDR, Finding and Order, (May 30, 2012).

RIDER DDR

DISTRIBUTION DECOUPLING RIDER

APPLICABILITY

Applicable to all customers taking service under the Company's rate schedules listed below.

DECOUPLING RIDER RATES

As a three-year pilot program or until the Company's next distribution rate case, applicable customers shall be assessed a monthly charge or credit which reflects an adjustment to rates that will effectively remove Duke Energy Ohio's distribution-related through-put incentive.

CHARGES/CREDITS

Beginning July 1, 2015, the following Rider DDR rates apply:

<u>Tariff Sheet</u>	<u>DDR Charge/Credit</u> (Per kWh)
Rates RS, RS3P, RSLI, Residential Service	
All kWh	(\$0.000085)
Rate ORH, Optional Residential Service With Electric Space Heating	
All kWh	(\$0.000085)
Rate TD, Optional Time-of-Day Rate	
All kWh	(\$0.000085)
Rate TD-13, Optional Time-of-Day Rate For Residential Service With Advanced Metering	
All kWh	(\$0.000085)
Rate CUR, Common Use Residential Service	
All kWh	(\$0.000085)
Rate EH, Optional Rate For Electric Space Heating	
All kWh	\$0.000744
Rate DM, Secondary Distribution Service, Small	
All kWh	(\$0.000231)

Filed pursuant to an Order dated May 30, 2012 in Case No. 11-5905-EL-RDR before the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio.

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Summary: Tariff filing Sheet 122.2 Rider DDR electronically filed by Dianne Kuhnell on behalf of Duke Energy Ohio, Inc. and Spiller, Amy B. and Watts, Elizabeth H.