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Via Electronic Filing

Ms. Barcy McNeal Administration/Docketing Public Utilities Commission of Ohio 180 East Broad Street, 11<sup>th</sup> Floor Columbus, OH 43215-3793

Re: NTE Ohio, LLC, OPSB Case No. 14-534-EL-BGN

Dear Ms. McNeal:

The November 24, 2014, Opinion, Order, and Certificate ("Certificate") approving NTE Ohio, LLC ("NTE") Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need to Construct the Middletown Energy Center established a set of conditions as part of the Certificate.

Within this set of conditions, **Condition No. 6** requires that:

Applicant shall coordinate with fire, safety, and emergency personnel during all stages of the project. At least 30 days before the preconstruction conference, the Applicant shall submit an emergency response plan to be used during construction for Staff's review to ensure compliance with this condition. This plan should be developed in consultation with the fire department(s) having jurisdiction over the area.

In terms of implementing the Emergency Response Plan filed on August 21, 2015 with respect to this condition, the Contractor intends to perform coordinated training and site visits with the Middletown Fire Department and emergency response personnel throughout the duration of the project. It has currently reviewed the site general arrangement plan with local emergency personnel and laid out our intent on site visits throughout the construction and start-up period on the project. Additional site visits and training will be as follows:

- a) Upon completion of clearing, grubbing, rough grading and temporary trailer complex installation Gemma Power Systems, LLC, NTE Ohio, LLC's Engineering, Procurement and Construction ("EPC") contractor will have emergency management personnel visit our on-site facilities and site.
- b) Site fire protection loop drawings will be submitted to Middletown's chief building official as a permit package highlighting raw water firefighting services. The chief building official is obligated to have emergency personnel review.

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- c) When the first HRSG structural steel and modules are set Gemma will have emergency personnel visit the site to get familiar with potential high angle rescue. A demonstration may be performed at this time. This will occur again when cooling tower is erected. The demonstration may be deferred to the latter structure.
- d) When the turbine building becomes enclosed Gemma will invite emergency personnel back out to site to see current configuration. At this time numerous large skids and equipment will be erected and the general post construction site configuration will be apparent.
- e) Prior to the introduction of combustible fuels (natural gas) emergency personnel will be notified and Gemma will recommend another site visit that will be at the emergency personnel's option to attend.
- f) Prior to the introduction of bulk ammonia, emergency personnel will be notified and Gemma will recommend another site visit that will be at the emergency personnel's option to attend. This visit may be combined with e) above.
- g) Prior to the first start-up of the combustion turbine, personnel will be notified. A site visit will not be necessary.

Thus we believe that NTE has complied with Certificate Condition No. 6. If you have any questions please call at the number listed above.

Sincerely,

Sally W. Bloomfield

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cc: Grant Zeto

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