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Ms. Barcy F. McNeal Secretary Docketing Division The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio 180 East Broad Street Columbus, OH 43215-3793 October 2, 2015

Lake Avenue Substation Project Start of Construction Notification <u>Case Number 14-2162-EL-BSB</u>

Dear Ms. McNeal,

In the Board's September 17, 2015 Opinion and Order granting a Certificate for the Lake Avenue Substation Project, the Board required American Transmission Systems, Incorporated ("ATSI") to hold a preconstruction meeting with the Staff of the Board and to provide the Board with Notice of the preconstruction meeting and the date of the planned start of construction on the Project..

Please take note that in accordance with the Board's Certificate, a preconstruction meeting with OPSB Staff attending was held on September 30, 2015. Based on the discussion with the OPSB Staff during the meeting, ATSI understands that all required documentation has been submitted to the Board's Staff.

Please be advised that construction on this Project is therefore expected to begin on approximately October 15, 2015.

ATSI will notify the Board once the Project has been completed and placed in service.

If you have any questions regarding this project, please contact me at (330) 761-4473.

Sincerely,

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