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RE: Pre-Application Notification Letter

In the matter of AEP Ohio Transmission Company, Inc. for a letter of notification for the Poston-Good Hope 138kV Transmission Line Rebuild Project in PUCO Case No. 16-1486-EL-BLN

Dear Ms. McNeal:

AEP Ohio Transmission Company, Inc., ("AEP Ohio Transco") files this pre-application notification letter in accordance with Rule 4906-6-03(A) Ohio Administrative Code ("O.A.C."). According to this provision, a prospective applicant must file a pre-application letter at least five days prior to the filing of an accelerated application requesting an expedited review.

The proposed Project consists of rebuilding 24.5 miles of the existing 138 kV single-circuit transmission line within an existing right-of-way between Poston Station and Good Hope Switch in Hocking and Athens Counties in Ohio.

The construction schedule for this Project will be further described in the Letter of Notification. AEP Ohio Transco anticipates that construction of the transmission line will begin in approximately November 2016. The in-service date for the Project is approximately December 2018.

Please be advised that pursuant to O.A.C. 4906-6-04, AEP Ohio Transco is requesting an expedited review of this Project.

Cordially,
/s/ Erin C. Miller
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AEP Ohio Transmission Company, Inc.

cc: Jon Pawley, OPSB Staff

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Summary: Notification - Pre-Application Notification Letter (Poston-Good Hope) electronically filed by Mrs. Erin C Miller on behalf of AEP Ohio Transmission Company