

**BEFORE
THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO**

In the Matter of the Application of Ohio)	
Edison Company, the Cleveland Electric)	
Illuminating Company, and the Toledo)	
Edison Company for Approval of their)	Case No. 16-743-EL-POR
Energy Efficiency and Peak Demand)	
Reduction Program Portfolio Plans for)	
2017 through 2019.)	

**NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL BY
ENERGY MANAGEMENT SOLUTIONS, INC.
OF ITS OBJECTIONS TO THE PROPOSED ENERGY EFFICIENCY AND
PEAK DEMAND REDUCTION PROGRAM PORTFOLIO PLAN OF OHIO EDISON,
CLEVELAND ELECTRIC ILLUMINATING COMPANY AND THE TOLEDO EDISON
COMPANY AND THE DIRECT TESTIMONY OF GARY SWANSON.**

Now comes intervenor Energy Management Solutions, Inc., by and through undersigned counsel, and provides notice that it is withdrawing its objections to the proposed energy efficiency and peak demand reduction program portfolio plan of Ohio Edison, Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company And The Toledo Electric Company.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Notice of Withdrawal was delivered via electronic mail on this 4th day of November, 2016 to the following parties.

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