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

Construction Notice Inland-Harding (S-8) 345 kV Transmission Line Structure Addition Project Case No. 17-1571-EL-BNR

Dear Ms. McNeal,

American Transmission Systems, Incorporated ("ATSI"), a FirstEnergy company, by this letter withdraws the Construction Notice application for the Inland-Harding (S-8) 345 kV Transmission Line Structure Addition Project ("Project"), Case Number 17-1571-EL-BNR, that was filed on July 31, 2017. Because alternatives are being considered by the developer that will meet the Project's objectives, ATSI no longer requires the approval of the proposed application and hereby withdraws it. The docket in this matter should be closed.

If there are any questions concerning this matter, please contact me at (330) 384-2740.

Sincerely,

William R. Beutler

William R. Beutler, P.E. Engineer III Energy Delivery Transmission and Substation Design FirstEnergy Service Company

cc: J. O'Dell E. Steele

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Summary: Notice of Withdrawal of Application electronically filed by Mr. Robert J Schmidt on behalf of American Transmission Systems Inc.