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Re: Case No. 17-2521-EL-RDR

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Dear Ms. McNeal:

Ohio Power Company (AEP Ohio) was approved for a continuation of the Distribution Investment Rider (DIR) under Case Number 13-2385-EL-SSO, et al. As such, AEP Ohio is required to annually file its DIR Plan on the docket. Although AEP Ohio had planned on filing the 2018 DIR Work Plan on December 15, 2017, a delay in finalizing the 2017 AEP Ohio Budget has arisen. Due to the unforeseen change, AEP Ohio has discussed the matter with Staff who agreed to allow AEP Ohio to file on January 17, 2018. Therefore AEP Ohio now plans to file its 2017 DIR Work Plan on January 6, 2017.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Respectfully Submitted,  
/s/ Steven T. Nourse

cc: Parties of Record

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Summary: Correspondence - in reference to AEP Ohio filing its 2017 DIR Work Plan electronically filed by Mr. Steven T Nourse on behalf of Ohio Power Company