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Hector Garcia Christen M. Blend Senior Counsel – Regulatory Services (614) 716-3410 (P) (614) 716-1915 (P) hgarcia1@aep.com cmblend@aep.com The Honorable Asim Z. Haque, Chairman Ohio Power Siting Board 180 East Broad Street Columbus, Ohio 43215

RE: Notification of Change of Start of Construction PUCO Case No. 17-0805-EL-BLN Rhodes Station Project

Dear Chairman Haque:

In accordance with Ohio Administrative Code Rule 4906-6-11(B), AEP Ohio Transmission Company, Inc. submits this notice to inform you that construction of the above-referenced project is planned to begin on April 30, 2018.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Christen Blend

Christen Blend (0086881), Counsel of Record Hector Garcia (0084517) Counsel for AEP Ohio Transmission Company, Inc.

cc: Jon Pawley, OPSB Staff

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Summary: Notification of Change of Start of Construction electronically filed by Ms. Christen M. Blend on behalf of AEP Ohio Transmission Power Company, Inc.