BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

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In the Matter of the :

Application of Ohio Valley : Case No.

Electric Corporation for : 15-892-EL-AEC

Approval of Termination : of Service. :

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Before Dick Bulgrin, Attorney Examiner, held at the offices of the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio, 180 East Broad Street, Hearing Room 11-D, Columbus, Ohio, on Thursday, May 17, 2018, at 10:00 A.M.

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5 1 Thursday Morning, 2 May 17, 2018. 3 4 ATTORNEY EXAMINER: Good morning. 5 The hearing is Case No. 15-892-EL-AEC being In 6 the Matter of the Application of Ohio Valley 7 Electric Corporation for Approval of Termination of Service. 8 9 My name is Dick Bulgrin, I am 10 Attorney Examiner assigned by the Commission to 11 conduct the hearing this morning. And with me 12 is Steven Darnell, intern who we will probably 13 lose to the feds shortly. 14 But, let's begin with appearances by 15 the parties. 16 MR. LESSER: On behalf of the Ohio 17 Valley Electric Corporation Steven D. Lesser and 18 Trevor Alexander, of the law firm of Calfee, 19 Halter & Griswold, 41 South High Street, 20 Columbus, Ohio 43215. MR. PRITCHARD: On behalf of 2.1 22 Industrial Energy Users-Ohio, Matt Pritchard, 23 the law firm McNees, Wallace & Nurick, 21 East 24 State Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215. MR. MCNAMEE: On behalf of the Staff 25

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6 of the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio, I am 1 2 Thomas McNamee. The address is 30 East Broad Street, 16th Floor, Columbus, Ohio 43215. 3 MR. NOURSE: And on behalf of Ohio 4 5 Power Company, Steven T. Nourse, 1 Riverside 6 Plaza, Columbus, Ohio 43215. 7 ATTORNEY EXAMINER: Okay. 8 MR. HELLSTROM: On behalf of the 9 Department of Energy, George Hellstrom, 1710 10 Majestic Drive, Lexington, Kentucky. 11 ATTORNEY EXAMINER: Thank you. All 12 right, then. Mr. Nourse. 13 MR. NOURSE: Thank you, Your Honor. 14 If I could mark a couple of exhibits. We have 15 got Joint Exhibit No. 1, April 10th, 2018 16 settlement that was docketed. I should say 17 Joint Stipulation and Recommendation is the 18 title. 19 And the other document I would like 20 to mark AEP Ohio Exhibit 1, the direct testimony 2.1 of Andrea Moore filed in the docket on May 15th. 22 ATTORNEY EXAMINER: Okay. They will

(EXHIBITS HEREBY MARKED FOR IDENTIFICATION PURPOSES)

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be so marked.

7 MR. NOURSE: Thank you. We call 1 2 Andrea Moore to the stand. 3 (WITNESS SWORN) 4 5 ANDREA E. MOORE 6 called as a witness, being first duly sworn, 7 testified as follows: DIRECT EXAMINATION 8 9 By Mr. Nourse: 10 Good morning, Ms. Moore. Q. 11 Good morning. Α. 12 Do you have the documents I just Q. 13 referred to, the Joint Stipulation, and your prefiled testimony? 14 15 Α. Yes. And with regard to AEP Ohio Exhibit 16 Ο. 17 No. 1, the prefiled testimony, was this your 18 testimony prepared by you or under your direction? 19 20 Α. Yes. 2.1 Q. And could I just back up and ask you 22 to state your business address and by whom you are employed and in what capacity? 23 24 My business address is 700 Morrison Road, Gahanna, Ohio 43230. And I am employed by 25

- Ohio Power Company as the Director of Regulatory

 Services.
 - Q. Thank you. And the purpose of your testimony is to support and sponsor the settlement, Joint Exhibit No. 1; correct?
 - A. Correct.
 - Q. Do you have any changes, additions or corrections to your written testimony?
 - A. No.
 - Q. If I were to ask you the same questions under oath today would your answers be the same?
- 13 A. Yes.

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- MR. NOURSE: Thank you. Your Honor, we would move for admission of AEP Ohio Exhibit 1 subject to any questions anyone has. And also move for admission of Joint Exhibit No. 1, the stipulation.
- ATTORNEY EXAMINER: Very good. Any questions?
- MR. MCNAMEE: No questions from the Staff, Your Honor.
- 23 ATTORNEY EXAMINER: Any objections 24 to the admission?
- MR. MCNAMEE: No objection from the

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     Staff, Your Honor.
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                 ATTORNEY EXAMINER: Both exhibits
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     are admitted.
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                 (EXHIBITS ADMITTED INTO EVIDENCE)
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                 MR. NOURSE: Thank you, Your Honor.
                 ATTORNEY EXAMINER: This matter
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     will be submitted to the Commission and
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     the record in this case will be closed.
                 And thank you all for your
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     attendance this morning.
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                 (At 10:05 A.M. the hearing was
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CERTIFICATE I do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct transcript of the proceedings taken by me in this matter on May 17, 2018, and carefully compared with my original stenographic notes. Michael O. Spencer, Registered Professional Reporter.

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