

**BEFORE THE
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO**

In the Matter of the Application)	
of Ohio Power Company to Adjust)	Case No. 18-1256-EL-RDR
The Economic Development Cost)	
Recovery Rider Rate)	

MOTION FOR PROTECTIVE ORDER

Ohio Power Company (“AEP Ohio” or the “Company”), pursuant to Rule 4901-1-24, Ohio Admin. Code, hereby moves the Commission for a protective order regarding information claimed by TimkenSteel Corp. (“TimkenSteel”), Eramet Marietta, Inc. (“Eramet”) and Globe Metallurgical, Inc. (“Globe”) to be confidential and proprietary which information is being included in the confidential/unredacted versions of Schedules 2, 3, 4 and 5 supporting the amended application in this case, which contain confidential load data for the affected customers. These customers are expected to move for intervention in this case and file motions for protective orders for the similar data reflected in the original schedules filed in support of the Amended Application.

MEMORANDUM IN SUPPORT

As more fully explained in separate motions for protection anticipated to be filed by TimkenSteel, Eramet and Globe (collectively “the Customers”), the unredacted Schedules 2, 3, 4 and 5 contain confidential and proprietary customer load information that merits protection from disclosure. The Company takes no position as to whether the customers’ load data is confidential and proprietary under Ohio law, but wanted to ensure that the Customers had a timely opportunity to seek protection.

Respectfully submitted,

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