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**RE: Notification of Start of Construction
PUCO Case No. 16-0702-EL-BTX
Macksburg-Devola 138kV Transmission Line Rebuild Project**

Dear Chairman Haque:

In accordance with Ohio Administrative Code Rules 4906-3-13(B) and 4906-3-14(B), AEP Ohio Transmission Company, Inc. submits this notice to inform you that:

1. A preconstruction meeting was held on-site for tree clearing on October 10, 2018;
2. A preconstruction meeting for access roads, foundations, and transmission line construction was held on November 28, 2018 for the northern half of the project;
3. Another preconstruction meeting will occur prior to construction of the southern half of the project; and
4. Construction for this project began on October 10, 2018.

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

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Christen Blend

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Summary: Notice of Preconstruction Conferences and Start of Construction electronically filed by Ms. Christen M. Blend on behalf of AEP Ohio Transmission Power Company, Inc.