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> Re: In the Matter of the Application of the Ohio Development Services Agency for an Order Approving Adjustments to the Universal Service Fund Rider of Jurisdictional Ohio Electric Distribution Utilities, Case No. 18-976-EL-USF; Ohio Power Company, Case No. 89-6007-EL-TRF

Dear Ms. McNeal:

Enclosed are Ohio Power Company's (AEP Ohio's) compliance tariffs, which are being filed in accordance with the Commission's Opinion and Order dated December 19, 2018 in Case No. 18-976-EL-USF. Starting 2019, CSP and OP rate zone is combined into one. The Commission ordered AEP Ohio to apply the undistributed FAC Refund balance (\$16,123,501) and the SEET Refund balance (\$375,651), totaling \$16,499,152, to the USF Revenue requirement. Accordingly, the proposed USF rate reflects application of a credit of \$1,374,929.33 per month for twelve months.

The Company will update its tariffs previously filed electronically with the Commission's Docketing Division.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Respectfully Submitted,

//s/ Steven T. Nourse

cc: Parties of Record

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OAD -UNIVERSAL SERVICE FUND RIDER (Open Access Distribution – Universal Service Fund Rider)

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Summary: Tariff electronically filed by Mr. Steven T Nourse on behalf of Ohio Power Company