BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

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)	Case No. 19-438-GA-RDR
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STATEMENT OF COLUMBIA GAS OF OHIO, INC., INFORMING THE COMMISSION WHETHER ISSUES RAISED HAVE BEEN RESOLVED

Now comes Columbia Gas of Ohio, Inc. ("Columbia") in accordance with the Attorney Examiner's Entry dated July 16, 2019, submitting this Statement informing the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio ("Commission") whether the issues have been resolved.

On July 15, 2019, Staff filed its Staff Review and Recommendation recommending approval of Columbia's Rider CEP rates as filed on February 28, 2019 and as modified by the Blue Ridge Consulting Services Audit Report filed on July 10, 2019. Staff also recommended the adoption of the enumerated recommendations in the Blue Ridge Consulting Services Audit Report. Columbia agrees with Staff's Conclusions and Recommendations filed in this proceeding.

On July 26, 2019, the Office of the Ohio Consumers' Counsel ("OCC") filed its Objections to the Staff Review and Recommendation. Columbia agrees to work with OCC after the conclusion of this proceeding to address those issues raised in its Objections to the Staff Review and Recommendation.

Columbia, Staff, and OCC have resolved all issues in this case. Therefore, Columbia anticipates a hearing in this case is not necessary.

Respectfully submitted,

COLUMBIA GAS OF OHIO, INC.

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