

October 31, 2019

Mrs. Barcy McNeal  
Commission Secretary  
The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio  
180 East Broad Street  
Columbus, OH 43215

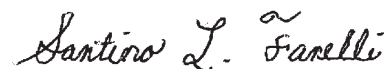
SUBJECT: Case Nos. 19-1038-EL-ATA  
89-6001-EL-TRF

Dear Mrs. McNeal:

Pursuant to the Commission's Entry dated February 25, 2015 in Case No. 13-579-AU-ORD, the Order dated September 7, 2016 in Case No. 15-975-EL-ATA (Order) and the Entry on Rehearing dated August 28, 2019 in Case No. 18-563-EL-ATA, The Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company (CEI) is submitting this application in the above referenced docket. A 60-day notice has been given to affected attaching entities, prior to this filing, to inform them of the upcoming tariff adjustment.

The filing herein includes redline and clean pages from the Pole Attachment Tariff (Exhibit A and Exhibit B, respectively), along with workpapers supporting the proposed changes to update the annual rental fees based on 2018 FERC Form 1 data (Exhibit C). Please file the attached Pole Attachment Tariff pages on behalf of CEI. Pursuant to the Order, the proposed changes shall become effective January 1, 2020, unless otherwise ordered by the Commission. Please file one copy of the tariffs in Case Nos. 19-1038-EL-ATA and 89-6001-EL-TRF and provide two copies to the Staff

Sincerely,



Santino L. Fanelli  
Director, Rates & Regulatory Affairs

Enclosures

**BEFORE  
THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO**

**Application for Tariff Adjustment  
pursuant to Section 4909.18 Revised Code**

In the Matter of the Application of )  
The Cleveland Electric Illuminating ) Case No. 19-1038-EL-ATA  
Company for Approval of a Tariff Change )

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1. APPLICANT RESPECTFULLY PROPOSES: (Check applicable proposals)

<input type="checkbox"/> New Service	<input type="checkbox"/> Change in Rule or Regulation
<input type="checkbox"/> New Classification	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Rate Change
<input type="checkbox"/> Change in Classification	<input type="checkbox"/> Correction of Error
<input type="checkbox"/> Other, not involving increase in rates	
<input type="checkbox"/> Various related and unrelated textual revision, without change in intent	

2. DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSAL:

Annual update to Pole Attachment rates.

3. TARIFFS AFFECTED: (If more than 2, use additional sheets) Only the Pole Attachment Tariff is affected.

4. Attached hereto and made a part hereof are: (Check applicable Exhibits)

☒ Exhibit A - existing schedule sheets (to be superseded) if applicable

☒ Exhibit B - proposed schedule sheets

☒ Exhibit C - workpapers supporting the proposed changes to update the annual rental fees based on 2018 FERC Form 1 data

☐ Exhibit C-2 - if a change of classification, rule or regulation is proposed, a statement explaining reason for change.

X   Exhibit C-3 – statement explaining reason for any proposal not covered in Exhibits C-1 or C-2.

5. This application will result in an increase in rate, joint rate, toll, classification, charge or rental.
6. Applicants respectfully request the Commission to review the proposed filing attached hereto and advise the Applicants on further action.

Respectfully Submitted,

/s/Robert M. Endris

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EXHIBIT A

The Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company  
Cleveland, Ohio

6<sup>th</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> Revised  
Sheet No. 14

P.U.C.O. NO. 1  
POLE ATTACHMENT TARIFF

PART A – RATES, TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR POLE ATTACHMENTS  
BY CABLE TELEVISION AND PRIVATE COMMUNICATION SYSTEMS (Cont'd)

VIII. Pole Attachment Rental Fees

A. The cable television or private communication system shall pay to the Company the following pole attachment rental fees:

1. ~~\$11.88~~\$12.06 per year rental for each pole attachment.
2. \$7.00 per year rental for each anchor attachment.

~~The Company will only file to adjust pole attachment rates once in a given calendar year period, unless otherwise required by law. The rates will become effective within sixty days unless otherwise ordered by the Commission. The rates contained in this tariff shall be updated on an annual basis. No later than May 1st of each year, the Company shall file with the PUCO a request for approval of the tariff charges which, unless otherwise ordered by the PUCO, shall become effective on July 1st of each year.~~

B. January billing for pole and anchor attachment rental fees shall be at the rate of 50% of the annual rental fee for all attachments accepted during the preceding year, plus a 100% annual rental fee for all attachments for the current year.

C. Attachment fees shall be due and payable annually, in advance, on the 31st day of January of each year. Failure to pay such fees within twenty (20) days after presentment of the bill or on the specified payment date, whichever is later, shall constitute a default under this tariff.

D. If the Company finds or learns of any equipment or facilities of the cable television or private communication system on a pole for which no attachment is authorized, then the Company may take the following actions:

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2. The Company may remove the facilities and equipment at the cable television or private communication system's expense and without liability to the Company, or
3. The Company may impose a charge and may require the cable television or private communication system to file and have processed the Company's application for pole attachment.

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~~EL-ATA,~~ respectively, before

The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio

Issued by: Samuel L. Belcher, President

Effective: ~~July 17~~January 1, 2019~~2020~~

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## EXHIBIT C

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	L
1	Case No. 19-1038-EL-ATA										
2	<b>The Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company</b>										
3	<b>Annual Pole Cost Calculation (Year-End 2018)</b>										
4											
5		<b>Net Cost of a Bare Pole Calculation</b>						<a href="#">Source</a>			
6											
7	Gross Distribution Plant					2,462,972,990		207, line 75(g)			
8	Gross Pole Investment (Acct. 364)					396,240,203		207, line 64(g)			
9	Distribution Plant Accumulated Depreciation					987,630,122		219, line 26(b)			
10	Depreciation Reserve (Poles)					158,888,774.5		F8/F7*F9			
11	Gross Plant Investment (Electric)					3,230,679,355		200, line 8(c)			
12	Accumulated Deferred Taxes (Electric)(190, 281-3, 254)					543,554,455		273, 8(k)+275, 2(k)+277, 9(k)-234, 8(c) + 278.1 8(f)			
13	Accumulated Deferred Taxes(Accts. 190, 281-3)(Poles)					66,666,513		F8/F11*F12			
14	Net Pole Investment					170,684,915		F8-F10-F13			
15	Appurtenances Factor					0.790499126		Account 364 Continuing Property Records			
16	Net Pole Investment Allocable to Attachments					134,926,276.39		F14*F15			
17	Total Number of Poles					393,982		CEI Books			
18	<b>Net Cost of a Bare Pole</b>					<b>342.47</b>		<b>F16/F17</b>			
19											
20		<b>Carrying Charge Calculation</b>									
21											
22	Total General and Administrative					42,494,114		323, line 197(b)			
23	Gross Plant Investment (Electric)					3,230,679,355		200, line 8(c)			
24	Depreciation Reserve (Electric)					1,361,838,326		200, line 22(c)			
25	Accumulated Deferred Taxes (Electric)(190, 281-3, 254)					543,554,455		273, 8(k)+275, 2(k)+277, 9(k)-234, 8(c) + 278.1 8(f)			
26	<b>Administrative Carrying Charge</b>					<b>0.0321</b>		F22/(F23-F24-F25)			
27											
28	Account 593 (Maintenance of Overhead Lines)					31,699,496		322, line 149(b)			
29	Investment in Accts. 364,365 & 369					997,968,034		207, lines 64(g)+65(g)+69(g)			
30	Depreciation (Poles) related to Accts. 364, 365 & 369					400,176,248		F29/F7*F9			
31	Accumulate Deferred Income Taxes for 364, 365 & 369					167,905,852		F29/F11*F12			
32	<b>Maintenance Carrying Charge</b>					<b>0.0737</b>		F28/(F29-F30-F31)			
33											
34	Gross Pole Investment (Acct. 364)					396,240,203		207, line 64(g)			
35	Net Pole Investment					170,684,915		F14			
36	Depreciation Rate for Gross Pole Investment					0.0465		Current Approved Rate			
37	<b>Depreciation Carrying Charge</b>					<b>0.1079</b>		F34/F35*F36			
38											
39	Taxes (Accts. 408.1 + 409.1 + 410.1 + 411.4 - 411.1)					234,619,026		114, line 14(c)+15(c)+16(c)+17(c)+19(c)-18(c)			
40	Gross Plant Investment (Total Plant)					3,230,679,355		200, line 8(b)			
41	Depreciation Reserve (Total Plant)					1,361,838,326		200, line 22(b)			
42	Accumulated Deferred Taxes (Total Plant)(190, 281-3, 254)					543,554,455		273, 17(k)+275, 9(k)+277, 19(k)-234, 18(c) + 278.1 8(f)			
43	<b>Taxes Carrying Charge</b>					<b>0.1770</b>		F39/(F40-F41-F42)			
44											
45	Rate of Return					0.0848		Latest ROR approved by PUCO			
46	<b>Return Carrying Charge</b>					0.0848					
47											
48	<b>Total Carrying Charges</b>					<b>0.4756</b>		F26+F32+F37+F43+F46			
49											
50		<b>Attacher Responsibility Percentage</b>									
51											
52	Space Occupied					1		Other/FirstEnergy Joint Use Agreements			
53	Usable Space					13.5		FCC Presumption			
54	<b>Attacher Responsibility Percentage</b>					<b>0.0741</b>		F52/F53			
55											
56		<b>Pole Attachment Rate</b>									
57											
58	Attacher Responsibility Percentage					0.0741		F54			
59	Net Cost of a Bare Pole					342.47		F18			
60	Total Carrying Charges					0.4756		F48			
61	<b>Pole Attachment Rate</b>					<b>\$12.06</b>		F58*F59*F60			

## EXHIBIT C-3

Per Commission approved tariffs, the annual pole attachment rates shall be updated on an annual basis.

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Summary: Application Update to Pole Attachment Tariff electronically filed by Karen A Sweeney on behalf of The Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company and Fanelli, Santino L. Mr.