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In re: <u>Case No. 18-1191-EL-ORD</u>

Dear Sir/Madam:

Please find attached the MEMORANDUM CONTRA APPLICATION FOR REHEARING OF THE OHIO ENERGY GROUP e-filed today in the above-referenced matter.

Copies have been served on all parties on the attached certificate of service. Please place this document of file.

Respectfully yours,

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In the Matter of the Commission's Review of Chapter 4901:1-38 : Case No. 18-1191-EL-ORD of the Ohio Administrative Code.

MEMORANDUM CONTRA APPLICATION FOR REHEARING OF THE OHIO ENERGY GROUP

The Ohio Energy Group ("OEG") submits this Memorandum Contra the Application for Rehearing filed by Ohio Manufacturers' Association Energy Group ("OMAEG") on June 5, 2020. OMAEG's Application for Rehearing reiterates (frequently verbatim) arguments already raised by OMAEG and rejected by the Commission in its May 6, 2020 Finding and Order. And again, OMAEG pushes for unreasonable and unnecessary limitations on the structure of reasonable arrangements that would undercut the Commission's currently flexibility in crafting those arrangements along with unduly burdensome requirements for reasonable arrangement applicants that could discourage capital investment in Ohio. The Commission rightly rejected these arguments in its Order and OMAEG has failed to present any new and compelling reason for the Commission to find otherwise. Accordingly, OMAEG's Application for Rehearing should be denied.

Respectfully submitted,

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¹ Compare Application for Rehearing at 6-10 (Assignment of Error No. 1) to OMAEG Comments at 3-9; Application for Rehearing at 11 (Assignment of Error No. 2) to OMAEG Comments at 9-10; Application for Rehearing at 12-13 (Assignment of Error No. 3) to OMAEG Comments at 10-11; Application for Rehearing at 13-14 (Assignment of Error No. 4) to OMAEG Comments at 12-13; Application for Rehearing at 14-15 (Assignment of Error No. 5) to OMAEG Comments at 13-14.

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