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Ms. Barcy F. McNeal Docketing Division Public Utilities Commission of Ohio 180 East Broad Street Columbus, Ohio 43215-3793

 RE: Pre-Application Notification Letter In the matter of the Letter of Notification Application of AEP Ohio Transmission Company, Inc. for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the Culbertson 138kV Transmission Line Extension,

Case Number- 20-1439-EL-BLN

Dear Ms. McNeal:

AEP Ohio Transmission Company, Inc. ("AEP Ohio Transco") files this preapplication notification letter for the above-referenced Project pursuant to Rule 4906-6-03(A) of the Ohio Administrative Code.

AEP Ohio Transco proposes to construct the Culbertson 138kV Transmission Line Extension (the "Project") in Washington Township, Muskingum County, Ohio. The Project consists of constructing a new 0.5-mile double-circuit extension between the Company's existing Ohio Central – Philo 138 kV #1 circuit and the Culbertson Station (filed separately with OPSB under PUCO Case No. 20-0542-EL-BLN) that is necessary to serve to a customer's new facility and improve operations in the area.

AEP Ohio Transco anticipates construction of the Project will begin in September 2020, and the in-service date of the Project will be approximately November 2020.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Tanner S. Wolffram

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