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March 4, 2022

Chair Jenifer French Public Utilities Commission of Ohio 180 E. Broad Street Columbus, Ohio 43215

Dear Chair French:

During my tenure at the Commission, it has been my privilege to review legislation pending before the General Assembly and advise the Chair and Commissioners regarding legal issues raised by such legislation. I have also presided over many cases involving the subsequent implementation of legislation for which I had previously provided legal advice. This included Am. Sub. H.B. 6 among many other bills.

I have been presiding over the four separate investigations opened by the Commission into the conduct of the Ohio Edison Company, The Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company, and The Toledo Edison Company during the passage of Am. Sub. H.B. 6. However, due to the fact that I provided legal review and advice to the previous Commission Chairman regarding Am. Sub. H.B. 6, and in light of the truly unique circumstances presented today, I have concluded that it is in the best interest of the Commission that I withdraw from presiding over these four proceedings.

I have full confidence that the Commission under your leadership will continue to follow the facts wherever they may lead in these investigations. It is an honor to work with you, the Commissioners, and the dedicated professional staff at the Commission.

Sincerely,

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