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Mr. Klaus Lambeck, Chief Facilities, Siting & Environmental Analysis Division Ohio Power Siting Board Borden Bldg., 3rd Floor 180 East Broad Street Columbus, OH 43266-0573

Subject:

Letter of Notification

ATSI's Troy Energy 345 kV Transmission Line Radial Tap Project

Planned Start of Construction Case No. 01-256 -EL-BLN

Dear Mr. Lambeck:

This letter is in response to the Letter of Notification filed on January 31, 2001 on American Transmission Systems, Inc.'s Troy Energy 345 kV Transmission Line Radial Tap Project and your letter of May 1, 2001 informing ATSI that the project filing meets the informational requirements for a Letter of Notification. I would like to inform you that construction mobilization for the project is expected to begin on October 25, 2001 and that project construction is expected to begin on October 29, 2001. We will notify you once the project has been completed.

If you have any questions regarding this project, please contact me at (330) 761-4268.

Sincerely,

Ted Krauss, Staff Engineer Transmission Regulatory Affairs