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 Pursuant to the Entry dated December 5, 2017 in the above-captioned matter, the Ohio Gas Company (“Company”) has published notice of its application in the following newspapers:

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| **Newspaper** | **Publication Date** |
| The Toledo Blade | December 20 & 27, 2017 |
| The Crescent-News | December 20 & 27, 2017 |
| The Bryan Times | December 20 & 27, 2017 |

Attached are copies of the newspaper notices and affidavits from the newspaper publishers verifying publication of the Company’s legal notice in these cases.

Respectfully submitted,

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**Certificate of Service**

In accordance with Rule 4901-1-05, Ohio Administrative Code, the PUCO’s e-filing system will electronically serve notice of the filing of this document upon the following parties. In addition, I hereby certify that a service copy of the foregoing *Ohio Gas Company’s Proof of Publication* as sent by, or on behalf of, the undersigned counsel for Ohio Gas to the following parties of record this 9th day of January 2018, *via* electronic transmission.

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