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The Honorable Alan R. Schriber Chairman Ohio Power Siting Board 180 East Broad Street Columbus, Ohio 43215-3793

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Dear Chairman Schriber:

In accordance with Rule 4906-5-02(A)(5), Ohio Power Company, dba American Electric Power ("AEP") provides notice to the Ohio Power Siting Board that construction on the Hanthorn Road-G.O. Ethanol 138 kV Line Project will commence on or after April 4, 2007. This construction date is contingent upon automatic approval of the project and granting of the requested waiver; construction will not commence unless both of those contingencies are fulfilled.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Cordially,

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