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BEFORE

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

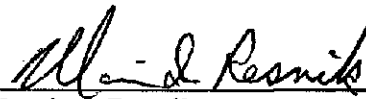
In the Matter of the Amendment of Certain)
Rules to Revise Language Requirements on) Case No. 07-1042-AU-ORD
Case No. 07-1042-AU-ORD Utility Bills and)
Other Documents.)

INITIAL COMMENTS
OF COLUMBUS SOUTHERN POWER COMPANY
AND OHIO POWER COMPANY

By Entry dated October 3, 2007, the Commission issued a set of proposed rule amendments to reflect certain contact information regarding the Ohio Consumers' Counsel and to reveal that the Commission's Call Center will close at 5:00 p.m. instead of 5:30 p.m. The Commission invited that initial comments on the proposed rules be filed by October 18, 2007, with reply comments filed by October 25, 2007.

Columbus Southern Power Company and Ohio Power Company (collectively, AEP Ohio) has no specific comments regarding the proposed rules. However, AEP Ohio does request that the Commission make clear in its order in this docket which modifies current content of utility bills that affected utilities will be permitted to use any bill stock on hand or already ordered before being required to begin using new bill stock in conformance with any such modifications.

Respectfully submitted,



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