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The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, Ohio 43215-3793

Re: Adoption of Rules concerning SB221

Dear PUCO:

As a producer of renewable fuel (biodiesel) within the State of Ohio, we strongly request that the use of biodiesel be included in the alternative and renewable energy portfolio requirements in Senate Bill 221. Whether it is peak or emergency generation, or other uses, every time biodiesel displaces petroleum diesel or some other distillate, it proves a benefit to the State of Ohio.

How?

- It is a proven benefit to the environment and the health of the citizens of Ohio
- It is made in Ohio and helps the agricultural economy and our rural communities
- It is available NOW and thus has an ease of entry into our existing energy infrastructure today like few other alternatives

Use of biodiesel as a form of satisfying the requirements of SB 221 makes sense for our environment, our health and our state's economy now. There is a wealth of documentation to support inclusion of biodiesel in the SB221 requirements (see www.biodiesel.org).

Thank you for considering this input.

Best regards,

Steve Lankenau

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