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Re: John Jones
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COMMENT DESCRIPTION:

Today, a group called Consumers for Reliable Electricity in Ohio, that includes the Ohio Office of Consumers' Counsel (OCC) and other groups, filed a request with the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio (PUCO) asking for an investigation into the reliability records of each of Ohio's investor-owned electric utilities, including the outages caused by the Sept. 14, 2008, windstorm. Some 2.6 million customers of Ohio investor-owned utilities lost power due to the 65 to 75 mph sustained winds from that storm, including approximately 700,000 AEP Ohio customers. I receive my power from AEP and I work for AEP as a contract employee. This investigation seems unwarranted and in my opinion falls under the definition of frivolous. This committee should not allow itself to be used for political purposes. AEP has spent Billions of dollars to clean the emissions and we are here to see that it is done correctly. They have provided good wages to Ohio families and to be distracted with legal wranglings in these hard times is bad for Ohio families. I don't want dirty air and neither does AEP. The fact remains that America needs coal and will for some time into the foreseeable future. The lack of coal in this equation spells quadruple the cost to Ohio families for alternative energy. Go sell that to the people! Respectfully, John I Jones Jr.