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RE: Duke Energy Ohio Gas Cost)	Case No. 09-218-GA-GCR
Recovery Rates Effective January 4, 2010)	Case No. 89-8002-GA-TRF
December Filing for January 2010)	

Docketing Division:

Enclosed for purposes of updating the Company's gas tariff, are four (4) copies each of the following tariffs to become effective January 4, 2010:

Sheet No. 10.121 – Index to Applicable Gas Schedules and Communities Served
Sheet No. 71.157 – Rider GCRR, Gas Cost Recovery Rate

Sheet No. 71.157 specifies the gas cost recovery rate of 68.41 cents per 100 cubic feet, which is to be applied to bills rendered during the revenue month of January 2010.

The revised "Index" is filed to reflect the revised sheet numbers and effective date of these tariff changes.

One copy of the enclosed filed tariffs is to be designated for the above referenced TRF docket number.

Please time-stamp the enclosed extra copies and return for our file. Thank you.

Very truly yours,

Lisa Steinkuhl

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RIDER GCRR
GAS COST RECOVERY RATE

The Gas Cost Recovery Rate (GCRR) shall be determined in accordance with Chapter 4901:1-14 of the Ohio Administrative Code, which is substantially cited in its entirety on Sheet No. 70 of this Tariff, P.U.C.O. Gas No. 18.

The GCRR to be charged during the revenue month of January 2010 is \$0.6841 per 100 cubic feet.

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