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Mr. Larry Sauer Office of the Ohio Consumers Counsel 10 West Broad Street, 18th Floor Columbus, OH 43215

Re:

Case Nos. 08-940-GA-ALT (Eastern)

08-941-GA-ALT (Pike)

Dear Mr. Sauer:

In the context of the above cases, I am authorized to represent to you that the Applicants will provide a copy of the annual summary of OPAE to you. Further, the Applicants will respond to the Office of Ohio Consumers Counsel's request for information related to the DSM program and will respond and provide the requested information, to the extent it is available, within two weeks. Further, subsequent to January 2012, the Applicants will raise for consideration the issue of using some of the \$10,000 shareholder contribution for other DSM programs for all residential customers.

Sincerely yours,

Stephen M. Howard

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and Pike Natural Gas Company

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