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Hon, Greta See, Attorney Examiner Public Utilities Commission of Ohio 180 East Broad Street Columbus Ohio 43215-3793

> Re: In the Matter of the Application of Columbus Southern Power Company and Ohio Power Company to Establish Environmental Investment Carrying Cost Riders, Case No. 10-155-EL-RDR

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Dear Ms. See:

On February 8, 2010 Columbus Southern Power Company (CSP) and Ohio Power Company (OPCo) (collectively, "AEP Ohio") filed their application to initiate this proceeding. On July 21, 2010, AEP Ohio filed its updated position based on comments previously submitted and discussed among the parties. On July 30, 2010, the Staff filed a letter expressing agreement subject to observations and edits stated therein. Upon review, AEP Ohio agrees with the observations and edits reflected in Staff's July 30, 2010 letter.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,

cc: Counsel of Record

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