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**BEFORE  
THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO**

In the Matter of the Application of )  
The East Ohio Gas Company d/b/a )  
Dominion East Ohio for Approval of a )  
General Exemption of Certain Natural )  
Gas Commodity Sales Services or )  
Ancillary Services from Chapters 4905, )  
4090, and 4935 Except Sections 4905.10, )  
4935.01, and 4935.03, and from Specified )  
Sections of Chapter 4933 of the Revised )  
Code. )

Case No. 07-1244-GA-EXM

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**MOTION OF PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO STAFF  
FOR  
A CONTINUANCE OF THE DATE FOR SUBMITTING STAFF REPORT**

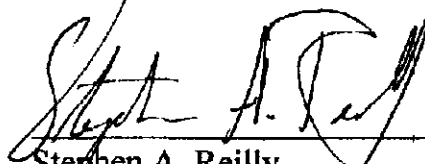
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In the Commission's February 11, 2010 Finding and Order, the Commission directed Staff "to work with Dominion to develop information on SCO [Standard Choice Offer] customer migration from the SCO to a direct contractual relationship with a Choice provider." The Commission further directed Staff to "file a report summarizing its findings by December 1, 2010." Because of unanticipated difficulties obtaining data, Staff cannot meet the December 1, 2010 deadline for filing its report. For that reason, Staff requests a one-week continuance, until December 8, 2010, to file the report. Because of the immediacy of the deadline, Staff further requests an expedited ruling on

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this motion. Staff has contacted the parties to this case and none objects to an expedited ruling and none objects to the continuance.

Respectfully submitted,

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**MEMORANDUM IN SUPPORT**

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On June 18, 2008 the Commission approved a joint stipulation in Case No. 07-1244-GA-EXM which authorized The East Ohio Gas Company d/b/a Dominion East Ohio (Dominion) to conduct a series of auctions for pricing of its natural gas supply. Dominion was authorized to conduct a wholesale Standard Service Offer (SSO) auction for the seven month period September 1, 2008 through March 31, 2009 and subsequent one-year retail Standard Choice Offer(SCO) auctions for April 1, 2009 through March 31, 2011. On February 11, 2010 the Commission issued a Finding and Order approving the SSO/SCO auction results for the period April 1, 2010 through March 31, 2011. In that Finding and Order, the Commission also stated its desire to subsequently judge the impact of the SCO on Choice program participation. The Commission directed Staff to work with Dominion to develop information on customer migration from the SCO to a

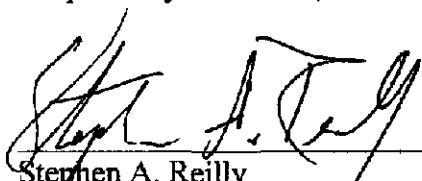
direct contractual relationship with a Choice provider. Staff was directed to file a report summarizing its findings by December 1, 2010.

Unfortunately, Staff encountered unanticipated difficulties obtaining data which prevent Staff from meeting the December 1 deadline. As a result, Staff requests a short, one-week, extension – until December 8, 2010 – to file its report. Staff submits that this brief extension should not delay proceedings in this matter and it should not prejudice any party. Staff has contacted all parties and none objects to the extension.

Additionally, Staff requests an expedited ruling on its motion. The December 1 deadline is imminent. An expedited ruling is necessary to grant Staff's request. Staff has contacted all parties and none objects to an expedited ruling.

Accordingly, Staff requests that its motion be granted through an expedited ruling and that period within which Staff may file its report be extended to December 8, 2010.

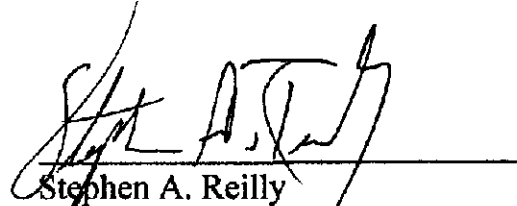
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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I certify that a copy of the forgoing **Motion for Continuance** was served upon the following by regular U.S. mail on November 30, 2010:

  
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