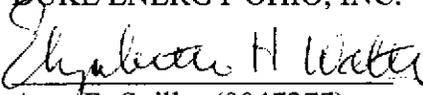


**BEFORE THE
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO**

In the Matter of the Application of Duke Energy Ohio, Inc., for an Adjustment to Rider AMRP Rates to Recover Costs Incurred in 2010.)
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) Case No. 10-2788-GA-RDR
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 In the Matter of the Application of Duke Energy Ohio, Inc. for Tariff Approval.)
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) Case No. 10-2789-GA-ATA
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JOINT MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME WITHIN WHICH TO FILE REPORT

Now comes Duke Energy Ohio, Inc., the Office of the Ohio Consumers' Counsel and the Staff of the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio submitting this Joint Motion for an Extension of Time Within Which to File a Report which was agreed upon in a Stipulation between the Parties in this case and approved by the Commission in its Order on May 4, 2011. Reasons for this motion are set forth more fully in the attached Memorandum in Support.

Respectfully submitted,
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MEMORANDUM IN SUPPORT

Duke Energy Ohio, Inc., (Duke Energy Ohio) submitted its Application in this matter on November 30, 2010. Thereafter the Office of the Ohio Consumers' Counsel (OCC) intervened on March 3, 2011. The Staff of the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio (Staff) and OCC submitted comments and recommendations on March 28, 2011. Thereafter, the Parties met and resolved the issues raised in their respective comments and submitted a Stipulation and Recommendation to the Commission on April 8, 2011. The Commission subsequently adopted and approved the Stipulation and Recommendation on May 4, 2011. One of the provisions of the Stipulation included an agreement between the Parties to file a late-filed exhibit that would memorialize the methodology by which Duke Energy Ohio would calculate maintenance savings associated with the replacement of larger than twelve inch diameter pipe that serves as an offset to the Accelerated Main Replacement Program (AMRP) Rider rate. Included in the agreement was a provision that the Parties would use "best efforts" to complete and file the late-filed exhibit no later than sixty days after the Commission's Opinion and Order in this proceeding. The Commission adopted and approved the Parties' Stipulation and Recommendation and therefore, the agreed-upon late-filed exhibit is due to be submitted on July 4, 2011.

Despite the Parties "best efforts," the Parties do not yet have an agreed procedure to offer as a late-filed exhibit. The Parties are optimistic that they will be able to reach an agreement as to how the Company will calculate maintenance savings however, more time is required in order to allow for productive discussions about this issue. Accordingly, the Parties jointly request that the Commission grant the Parties an additional sixty days within which to provide the late-filed exhibit.

Certificate of Service

I hereby certify that a true and accurate copy of the foregoing has been served upon the following parties via electronic mail on this, the 1st day of July, 2011.



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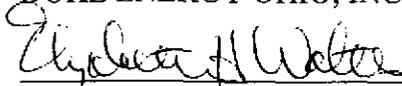
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WHEREFORE, the Parties jointly respectfully requests that the Commission grant their request for an additional sixty days within which to submit the late filed exhibit provided for in the Stipulation and Recommendation in this case.

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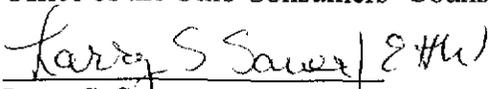
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