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 Comments of Wal-Mart Stores East, LP and Sam's East, Inc. in Support of Minor
 Amendment to the Procedural Schedule

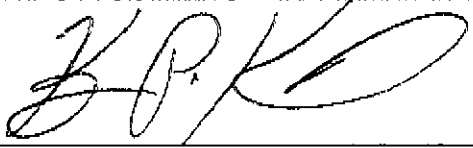
Dear Sir or Madam:

In regard to the above referenced matter, enclosed for filing please find the original and thirteen (13) copies of COMMENTS OF WAL-MART STORES EAST, LP AND SAM'S EAST, INC. IN SUPPORT OF MINOR AMENDMENT TO THE PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE. The document was fax filed this afternoon so that it was timely.

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Very truly yours,

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**BEFORE
THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO**

In the Matter of the Application of Columbus	)	
Southern Power Company and Ohio Power	)	
Company for Authority to Establish a Standard	)	
Service Offer Pursuant to Section 4928.143,	)	Case No. 11-346-EL-SSO
Revised Code, in the Form of an Electric	)	Case No. 11-348-EL-SSO
Security Plan.	)	
	)	
In the Matter of the Application of Columbus	)	
Southern Power Company and Ohio Power	)	Case No. 11-349-EL-AAM
Company for Approval of Certain Accounting	)	Case No. 11-350-EL-AAM
Authority.	)	

**COMMENTS OF WAL-MART STORES EAST, LP
AND SAM'S EAST, INC. IN SUPPORT OF MINOR AMENDMENT TO THE
PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE**

Wal-Mart Stores East, LP and Sam's East, Inc. (collectively, "Walmart"), by its attorneys, respectfully comments in response to the Columbus Southern Power Company and Ohio Power Company's July 1, 2011 Motion for Leave to File Additional Testimony and Adjust the Procedural Schedule and Request for an Expedited Ruling.

On January 27, 2011, Columbus Southern Power Company and Ohio Power Company (collectively, "AEP-Ohio") filed an application, including pre-filed testimony, for a standard service offer (SSO) pursuant to Section 4928.141, Revised Code. The Commission adopted a procedural schedule based this filing. The procedural schedule has been subsequently modified by docket entry upon party request. On July 1, 2011, AEP-Ohio filed supplemental testimony relating to the Turning Point Solar Project. With intervenor testimony due July 15, 2011, even AEP-Ohio agrees that a modification to the procedural schedule is appropriate but requests that any modifications to the intervenor testimony deadlines be limited to the issues raised in supplemental testimony. Walmart disagrees with this limitation because it is burdensome on the

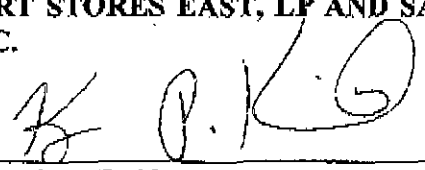
intervenor parties to file multiple rounds of testimony in this proceeding as a result of AEP-Ohio's request for leave to supplement their initial application.

WHEREFORE, Walmart respectfully requests that if this Commission grants AEP-Ohio's request to file supplemental testimony, that the Commission correspondingly postpone the date upon which intervenor testimony is due to allow a reasonable time for the intervenors to respond to AEP-Ohio's supplemental testimony filing.

DATED: July 7, 2011

Respectfully submitted,

**WAL-MART STORES EAST, LP AND SAM'S
EAST, INC.**

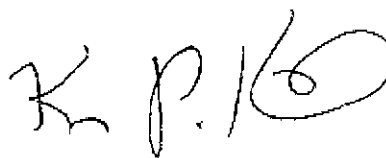
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