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Honorable Attorney Examiner Greta See
Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
180 East Broad Street
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RE: Case No. 08-658-EL-UNC

Dear Attorney Examiner See:

This letter is submitted in compliance with the Entry issued on April 19, 2011 wherein the Parties were directed to provide a status report regarding the above case on the first day of each succeeding quarter.

Since the letter submitted on June 1, 2011, the Parties have incorporated Ohio Partners for Affordable Energy into discussions which are presently scheduled to occur this month. The Parties will discuss the details related to the findings in the Schneider Downs audit of agreed procedures and will attempt to resolve what now appears to be limited remaining issues in contention. Therefore, Duke Energy Ohio requests that the Commission continue to hold this matter in abeyance while the Parties continue to discuss resolution.

Respectfully submitted,

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