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The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio **Docketing Division** 180 East Broad Street Columbus, Ohio 43215-3793

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Re: In the Matter of the Authorization of the Wheeling & Lake Erie

Railway and Norfolk Southern Railway to Install Active Grade **Crossing Warning Devices in Huron and Crawford Counties**

PUCO Case No. 12-1522-RR-FED Our File No: N1432/176814

Dear Docketing Clerk:

Attached for filing is a Notice of Existence of Electric Service.

I confirm that, via regular mail, we are forwarding to you the original document plus seven copies.

Please call me – at (419) 241-6000 – if you have any questions or concerns.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

EASTMAN & SMITH LTD.

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DCT/kml **Enclosures**

cc: Leah Thomas Dalton (via e-mail)

Susan J. Kirkland (via e-mail) Cayela Wimberly (via e-mail)

AEP (via mail)

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In the Matter of the Authorization of the Wheeling & Lake Erie Railway and Norfolk Southern Railway to Install Active Grade Crossing Warning Devices in Huron and Crawford Counties. Case No. 12-1522-RR-FED

NOTICE OF EXISTENCE OF ELECTRIC SERVICE

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Railway Company

Per the Commission's Finding and Order of May 23, 2012, Norfolk Southern Railway Company confirms that electric service is in existence at the Carey Road/Township Road 27 grade crossing (481-581B) located in Crawford County, and that to its understanding such service will be available during the construction and cut-in phases of the involved construction project.

Respectfully submitted,

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PROOF OF SERVICE

A copy of the foregoing *Notice of Existence of Electric Service* was e-mailed this day of July, 2012 to: Leah Thomas Dalton, Deputy Chief, Transportation Department, Safety Programs Division/Rail, c/o The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio, 180 East Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio 43266-0573; Susan J. Kirkland, Manager, Safety Programs, Ohio Rail Development Commission, 1980 West Broad Street, 2nd Floor, Columbus, Ohio 43223; and Cayela Wimberly, Norfolk Southern Corporation, 1200 Peachtree St., NE, P.O. Box 123, Atlanta, Georgia 30309; and mailed to: AEP, One Riverside Plaza, Columbus, Ohio 43215; Chatfield Township Trustees, 3433 New Washington Road, Bloomville, Ohio 44818; Joseph Kovach, Huron County Engineer, 150 Jefferson Street, Norwalk, Ohio 44857-1996; Lyme Township Trustees, 5409 Edmunds Road, Bellevue, Ohio 44811; Harvey L. Wagner, Ohio Edison Company VP & Controller, 76 South Main Street, Akron, Ohio 44308; and Dan Reinsel, Signal & Communication Supervisor, Wheeling & Lake Erie Railway Company, 100 First Street SE, Brewster, Ohio 44613.

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