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Ms. Barcy F. McNeal, Secretary
Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
180 E. Broad Street, 11th Floor
Columbus, OH 43215

Re: Case No. 12-2668-EL-ACP
Direct Energy Business, LLC

Dear Ms. McNeal:

Pursuant to the Attorney Examiner's Entry of October 18, 2012 in this matter, I am filing a redacted version of the table which contains the average cost data for renewable energy credits that Direct Energy Business, LLC has retired, or will be retiring, to demonstrate compliance with its 2011 Ohio AEPS obligations. Direct Energy Business, LLC believes that its average renewable energy credit cost data for the 2011 compliance year should be protected from public disclosure as a trade secret. It is submitting three unredacted copies of the table under seal and filing a Motion for Protective Order pursuant to Rule 4901-1-24 of the Ohio Administrative Code.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely yours,

Stephen M. Howard
Attorneys for Direct Energy Business, LLC

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cc: Kevin Murray (via e-mail)
Greg Bass (via e-mail)
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Direct Energy Business, LLC's Average Cost for 2011 Ohio AEPS Obligations

Category	\$/REC (average)
Ohio Solar	
Other Solar	
Ohio Non-Solar	
Other Non-Solar	

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Summary: Correspondence Correspondence regarding renewable energy credits
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