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Public Utilities Commission of Ohio PUCO Docketing 180 E. Broad Street, 10th Floor Columbus, Ohio 43215

In re: 12-1494-EL-AEC

Dear Sir/Madam:

Please find attached the OHIO ENERGY GROUP'S MEMORANDUM IN SUPPORT OF STAFF'S MOTION FOR A CONTINUANCE e-filed today in the above-referenced matter.

Copies have been served on all parties on the attached certificate of service. Please place this document of file.

Respectfully yours,

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

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In the Matter of the Application for

Establishment of a Reasonable

Arrangement between ASHTA Chemicals

Inc. and The Cleveland Electric

Illuminating Company

Case No. 12-1494-EL-AEC

MEMORANDUM IN SUPPORT OF STAFF MOTION FOR A CONTINUANCE OF THE OHIO ENERGY GROUP

On November 1, 2012, the Staff of the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio ("Commission") filed a Motion for a Continuance in this proceeding, requesting that the date for the filing of testimony be moved to November 28, 2012 and the date for the hearing be moved to December 5, 2012. On October 29, 2012, the Ohio Energy Group ("OEG") moved to intervene in order to obtain information submitted as evidence and testimony in the proceedings in light of the paucity of the public record, to engage in cross-examination of the applicant's witnesses, and to present witnesses. Granting the Staff's Motion for a Continuance will allow this to be done without unduly delaying the proceedings. OEG supports Staff's request and urges the Commission to grant Staff's Motion.

Respectfully submitted,

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