BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

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APPLICATION OF OHIO CUMBERLAND GAS COMPANY AND REQUEST FOR EXPEDITED CONSIDERATION

Now comes the Applicant, Ohio Cumberland Gas Company ("OCGC") and requests approval for the bill format proposed herein, pursuant to Rule 4901:1-13-11(D), Ohio Administrative Code. In support of its Application, OCGC states as follows:

- OCGC is an Ohio corporation engaged in the business of supplying natural
 gas to consumers in Ohio and, as such, is a public utility as defined by
 Sections 4905.02 and 4905.03 of the Ohio Revised Code and is subject to the
 jurisdiction of the Commission's jurisdiction.
- 2. OCGC had previously been granted waivers of the following requirements for information to be displayed on customer bills:
 - a. The requirement in Ohio Admin. Code 4901:1-13-11(B)(1) that the service address be displayed; and
 - b. The requirement in Ohio Admin. Code 4901:1-13-11(B)(7) that the dates of the service period be displayed
- 3. OCGC states that these waivers are no longer necessary because a software change in its residential and commercial billing program permits it to make

- changes necessary to display both the service address and the dates of service period.
- 4. A sample of OCGC's's proposed bill format is attached hereto and incorporated herein as Exhibit A.
- 5. This Application does not result in a rate increase.
- 6. OCGC respectfully requests that the Commission consider and grant this Application on an expedited basis prior to December 7, 2012 for the reason that its new billing software program will be implemented on December 12, 2012, and OCGC must order its new billing postcards from the printer on or before December 7, 2012 in order to guarantee delivery for the end of December billing period.
- 7. In the absence of the requested expedited consideration and approval by

 Commission Order this billing format change would be granted upon
 automatic approval on the forty-sixth day following no action by the

 Commission with respect to the application pursuant to Rule 4901:1-1311(D), Ohio Administrative Code. Automatic approval on this basis would not
 allow OCGC to provide the reformatted bills to its residential and commercial
 customers for the end of December billing period.

WHEREFORE, Ohio Cumberland Gas Company respectfully requests that the Commission approve this Application on an expedited basis to revise its bill format consistent with the requirements of Rule 4901:1-13-11(D), Ohio Administrative Code.

Respectfully submitted,

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