# BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

Duke Energy Ohio, Inc., for an Increase in Electric Distribution Rates.	)	Case No. 12-1682-EL-AIR
In the Matter of the Application of Duke Energy Ohio, Inc., for Tariff Approval.	) )	Case No. 12-1683-EL-ATA
In the Matter of the Application of Duke Energy Ohio, Inc., for Approval to Change Accounting Methods.	) ) )	Case No. 12-1684-EL-AAM

# FILING REQUIRED BY PUCO RULING TO MAKE PUBLIC CERTAIN INFORMATION IN OCC'S TESTIMONY OF JAMES GOULD PREVIOUSLY SUBMITTED UNDER SEAL OF CONFIDENTIALITY BY THE OFFICE OF THE OHIO CONSUMERS' COUNSEL

On February 19, 2013, the Office of the Ohio Consumers' Counsel ("OCC") filed the testimony of seven witnesses in the above-captioned proceedings. The testimony of Mr. James E. Gould on behalf of OCC included information that Duke Energy Ohio alleged to be confidential. In accordance with OCC's confidentiality agreement with Duke and Duke's claim of confidentiality, OCC filed a confidential version of Mr. Gould's testimony under seal, accompanied by a motion for a protective order. OCC also filed a public version of Mr. Gould's testimony with the allegedly confidential information obscured from view.

At the hearing held in these proceedings on April 3, 2013, the Attorney Examiners made inquiry to the counsel for Duke regarding whether some of the information that had been redacted from Mr. Gould's testimony should be made public.

The Attorney Examiners then determined that one of the columns in Schedule JEG-C-3.8a, which had been accorded confidential treatment in the public version of Mr. Gould's testimony, is not confidential and should be made public. The Attorney Examiners directed OCC to file a new redacted version of Schedule JEG-C-3.8a, with the information in the one column to be made public. The Attorney information in the one column to be made public.

In response to the Attorney Examiners' directive, OCC files the attached revised public version of Schedule JEG-C-3.8a.

Respectfully submitted,

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<sup>2</sup> Id. at 40.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Tr. at 39.

#### DUKE ENERGY OHIO, INC. Case No. 12-1862-EL-AIR Personal Property Tax Calculation Schedule JEG-C-3.8a

			Plant Balance 12/31/2011 (a)	-	True Value (b)	Assessment Rate (c)		Taxable Value (d)		Taxable Value to Plant Value (e)		Plant Allocated to Distribution (f)	_	
(1)	Distribution	5	1,921,775,262	5		85.00%	S		Ī	38.93%	5	1,878,034,210	5	4
(2)	General		136,555,685			24.00%				10.22%		84,323,093		2
(3)	Common		140,574,632	60		24.00%				5.65%		106,419,826		4
(4)	Plant Material & Supplies	_	77,684,616			24.00%			_	23.31%		46,947,409	_	
(5)	Total	5	2,276,590,195	5			ş				5	2,115,724,538	5_	11

- (6) Tax Rate Per \$1,000 (k)
- (7) Personal Property Tax (5) x (6)

<sup>(</sup>a) OCC-POD-16-048 Attachment, OCC-INT-16-182 Attachment (a), and OCC-INT-16-182 Attachment (b)

<sup>(</sup>b) OCC-POD-16-048 Attachment, OCC-INT-16-182 Attachment (a), and OCC-INT-16-182 Attachment (b)

<sup>(</sup>c) OCC-POD-03-013, 2012 Valuation Notice

<sup>(</sup>d) Column (b) x Column (c)

<sup>(</sup>e) Column (d) + Column (a)

<sup>(</sup>f) PUCO Staff's Schedules 8-2 & 8-5.1

<sup>(</sup>g) Staff's Schedule B-2.1

<sup>(</sup>h) Column (F) - Column (G)

<sup>(</sup>f) Column (E) \* Column (h)

ODT Plant Balance as of 12/31/11 = (\$171,390,676 x 82.02%) , ODT True Value = (\$40,314,748 x 82.02%)

<sup>(</sup>k) Applicant's Schedule WPC-3.8c

## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned hereby certifies that a true and correct copy of the foregoing document has been served upon the below-stated counsel, via electronic service, this 8<sup>th</sup> day of April 2013.

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Summary: Text Filing Required by PUCO Ruling to Make Public Certain Information in OCC's Testimony of James Gould Previously Submitted Under Seal of Confidentiality by the Office of the Ohio Consumers' Counsel electronically filed by Ms. Deb J. Bingham on behalf of Etter, Terry L.