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**RE: In the matter of the application of AEP Ohio Transmission Company for a certificate of environmental compatibility and public need for a 138kV Ebersole Substation Project. Case No. 13-0733-EL-BSB.**

Dear Ms. McCauley:

Please accept this advance notice that AEP Ohio Transmission Company ("AEP Transco") intends to file an Application for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the 138 kV Ebersole Substation Project. AEP Transco plans to construct the new 138 kV Station northeast of Findlay, Ohio. The proposed Ebersole Station will allow the company to address reliability concerns about potential low voltages and under certain contingency conditions and will be a part of the larger Findlay Area Improvement Plan—a major transmission reinforcement effort designed to help American Electric Power maintain an adequate level of transmission reliability in northwestern Ohio.

This letter is being filed in order to establish the new case number for the forthcoming application. AEP Transco plans to file a waiver from the requirement for a fully developed alternative pursuant to Section 4906.5.04(B), Revised Code.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Cordially,

//s/ Erin C. Miller  
Erin C. Miller, Counsel

cc: Klaus Lambeck, Chief Commission Staff

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Summary: Notice Intent to File an Application for Ebersole 138kV Project electronically filed by Erin C Miller on behalf of AEP Ohio Transmission Company, Inc.