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SUBJECT: Request for Conference Telephone Capability in this case  
Case No. 12-3151-EL-COI

Dear People,

Enclosed is a Request we are filling in the above referenced case.

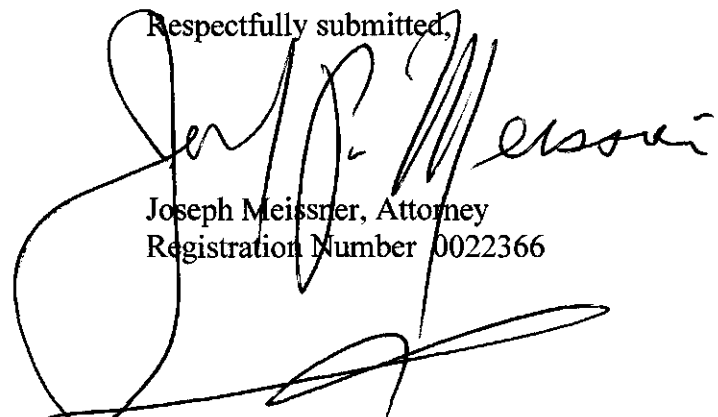
We have faxed in a copy today.

We are mailing in the original and copy that we were told to mail in.

We have also sent an extra copy which we request that you time stamp and return to us in the envelope provided.

Thanks you very much.

Respectfully submitted,



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BEFORE

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In the Matter of the Commission's )  
Investigation of Ohio's Retail Electric ) Case No. 12-3151-EL-COI  
Service Market. )

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REQUEST BY THE CITIZENS COALITION FOR TELEPHONE CONFERENCE  
HOOK-UP FOR THE WORKSHOPS SCHEDULED  
BY THE PUCO IN THIS PROCEEDING

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**I. INTRODUCTION**

1. In this very crucial utility case in Ohio's history, the PUCO has scheduled a number of very important workshops beginning next week here in July 2013. These workshops are open to all those who have provided Comments and Responses to the Questions proposed earlier by the Commission. Unfortunately all workshops are scheduled for Columbus, Ohio. These workshops also could take up a full day.

2. The Citizens Coalition very much wants to participate in these workshops. It is possible that these Workshops could lead to proposals and recommendations that would bring about major changes in the electric utility industry in Ohio. Such changes could affect millions of electric customers and millions of Ohio families, including Low-income families.

**II. PROBLEM**

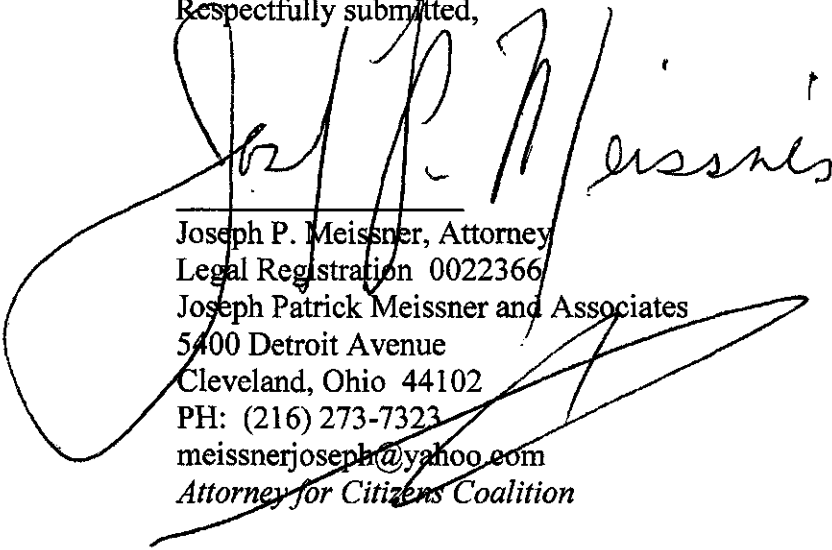
3. Unfortunately our clients have limited funds and resources. It will not be possible for them and for us their counsel to travel to Columbus and then return

from these workshops sessions. On the other, we do very much want to participate in these. We both need to learn from other workshop participants and to contribute our views and recommendations.

### **III. SOLUTION AND REQUEST**

4. Telephone conference calling has and is being used by the PUCO and by participants in various PUCO activities such as the collaboratives.
5. The use of telephone conferencing for the Workshop sessions would provide one certain way for us and others to participate. We could call in from our home areas.
6. We request that the PUCO set up a telephone conference system for all the PUCO workshops in this case, as well as provide the necessary call-in information. .

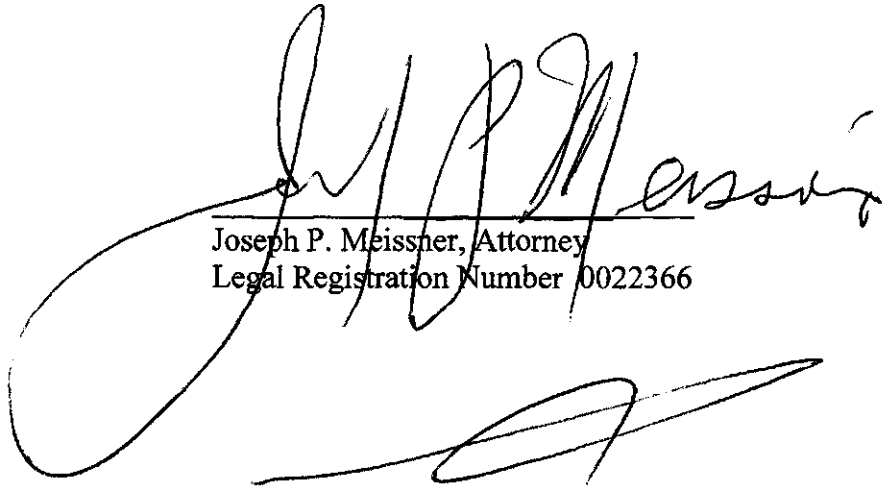
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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a copy of this Legal Document was served on the persons who have filed comments in this case via electronic transmission this 5th day of July 2013.



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