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Mr. Kurt E. Turosky,
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Re: Case Nos. 12-2190-EL-POR, et al.

Pursuant to O.A.C. 4901:1-39-05(C)(2)©, the Ohio Edison Company requests a reallocation of funds between programs in its Mercantile Utility "Large Enterprise" customer class of \$6,993,684 from the Peak Demand Reduction Program to the C/I Energy Efficient Equipment Program for Large Customers due to the greater than expected demand for project rebates. Based on the projects completed to date and a substantial amount of pre-approved projects in the pipeline, the total 2013-2015 budget originally approved for this program has almost been exhausted. Due to staff concerns of customers becoming dissatisfied with getting rebates approved in a timely matter, the staff is recommending that this transfer of funds be approved immediately. This amount represents 25 percent of the Class Budget. Any further reallocation of funds or budget increase requests for this customer class in Ohio Edison will have to be approved by the Commission.

Sincerely,

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