

December 17, 2015

Mrs. Barcy McNeal Commission Secretary The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio 180 East Broad Street Columbus, OH 43215

SUBJECT: Case Nos.

15-1046-EL-USF

89-6001-EL-TRF

Dear Ms. McNeal:

In response to the Opinion & Order dated December 16, 2015, in the above mentioned case, approving adjustments to the Universal Service Fund Riders of Jurisdictional Ohio Electric Distribution Utilities, please file the attached tariffs on behalf of The Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company.

Please file one copy of the tariffs in Case No. 15-1046-EL-USF, one copy of the tariffs in Case No. 89-6001-EL-TRF, distribute two copies to the Rates and Tariffs, Energy and Water Division of the Utilities Department. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Eileen M. Mikkelsen

Director, Rates & Regulatory Affairs

**Enclosures** 

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## RIDER USF Universal Service Fund Rider

A Universal Service charge of 0.42748¢ per kWh for the first 833,000 kWh and 0.05680¢ per kWh for the kWh above 833,000 kWh shall be added to the energy charge of all applicable rate schedules for the exclusive purposes of providing funding for the low-income customer assistance programs and for the Consumer Education Program authorized under Section 4928.56 of the Ohio Revised Code, and for paying the administrative costs of the low-income customer assistance programs and the Consumer Education Program.

This Universal Service Rider replaces the Interim Emergency and Temporary Recovery Method for Percentage of Income Payment Plan Arrearages. Any service subject to Interim Emergency and Temporary Recovery Method for Percentage of Income Payment Plan Arrearages shall be subject to this Universal Service Rider instead.

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Summary: Tariff update of Rider USF Universal Service Fund Rider, PUCO No. 13 electronically filed by Ms. Tamera J Singleton on behalf of The Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company and Mikkelsen, Eileen M