BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In the Matter of the Application of The East)	
Ohio Gas Company d/b/a Dominion East)	
Ohio for Approval of Tariffs to Adjust its)	Case No. 15-1986-GA-RDR
Automated Meter Reading Cost Recovery)	
Charge and Related Matters.)	

THE EAST OHIO GAS COMPANY D/B/A DOMINION EAST OHIO'S STATEMENT INFORMING THE COMMISSION WHETHER THE ISSUES RAISED IN COMMENTS HAVE BEEN RESOLVED

In accordance with the Commission's March 7, 2016 Entry, The East Ohio Gas Company d/b/a Dominion East Ohio (DEO) hereby informs the Commission whether the issues raised in the comments have been resolved.

Staff filed Comments on March 25, 2016, and recommended that the Commission direct DEO to file revised schedules to remove certain out-of-period adjustments. (Staff Comments at 5–6.) Staff recognized that the proposed adjustment has no effect on the amount of the charge: "Due to the relatively small nature of the adjustments and the effects of rounding, the resulting monthly rate remains at \$0.46 per customer, as DEO originally proposed." (*Id.* at 6.) Accordingly, Staff "recommend[ed] that the Commission approve DEO's Application." (*Id.*) No other party filed comments in this case.

Although DEO does not necessarily agree with Staff's general position not to "support[] adjustments to pending rider applications in order to reflect out-of-period adjustments" (*id.* at 6), the recommendation in this case has no detrimental impact on DEO, and thus DEO is not opposing Staff's recommendation. Given that no issues raised in the comments require Commission resolution, and given that Staff (the only party to file comments) recommended approval of the AMR Cost Recovery Charge, DEO believes that a hearing in this case is

unnecessary. *See* Entry ¶ (3)(f) (Mar. 7, 2016) ("*In the event* that all of the issues are not resolved or the parties enter into a stipulation, a hearing shall commence . . .") (emphasis added). Therefore, DEO respectfully requests that the Commission approve its February 29, 2016 Application as filed.

Dated: March 29, 2016 Respectfully submitted,

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Summary: Text Statement informing the Commission whether the issues raised in the comments have been resolved electronically filed by Ms. Rebekah J. Glover on behalf of The East Ohio Gas Company d/b/a Dominion East Ohio