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Public Utilities Commission of Ohio 180 East Broad Street Columbus, OH 43215

Dear Sir/Madam:

This letter is submitted on behalf of the Staff of the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio (Staff) regarding Vectren Energy Delivery of Ohio, Inc. (Vectren) proposed revisions to its Tariff for Gas Service. Vectren is proposing to revise and clarify who qualifies to receive the electronic list of customers eligible for participation in the Choice program. In addition, Vectren is proposing that the list of eligible customers conform to O.R.C §4929.22 (B) to exclude consumers with existing arrearages owed to or being billed by Vectren from which the consumer presently is receiving service.

Staff reviewed the application in the above case and finds the tariffs, as modified, reasonable and compliant with Ohio rules that pertain to natural gas companies as defined by O.R.C. §4905.03. Staff believes that the application filed by Vectren is reasonable and recommends to the Commission that the application, as modified, be approved.

Respectfully submitted,

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