

BEFORE
THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In the Matter of the Application of the)
Fuel Adjustment Clauses for Columbus) Case No. 11-5906-EL-FAC
Southern Power Company and Ohio)
Power Company and Related Matters)

In the Matter of the Fuel Adjustment)
Clauses for Columbus Southern Power) Case No. 12-3133-EL-FAC
Company and Ohio Power Company)

In the Matter of the Fuel Adjustment)
Clause for Ohio Power Company) Case No. 13-572-EL-FAC

In the Matter of the Fuel Adjustment)
Clause for Ohio Power Company) Case No. 13-1286-EL-FAC

In the Matter of the Fuel Adjustment)
Clause for Ohio Power Company) Case No. 13-1892-EL-FAC

**OHIO POWER COMPANY’S MOTION FOR CONTINUANCE
AND REQUEST FOR EXPEDITED RULING**

Pursuant to Rules 4901-1-12 and 4901-1-32, Ohio Administrative Code, Ohio Power Company (“Ohio Power” or the “Company”) respectfully moves the Commission to indefinitely continue the procedural schedule in this case, based on pending settlement discussions that if successful would resolve the issues in this case. The Company requests that the continuance be considered on an expedited basis pursuant to O.A.C. 4901-1-12(C). A memorandum in support of this motion is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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**OHIO POWER COMPANY'S MEMORANDUM IN SUPPORT
OF THE MOTION FOR CONTINUANCE**

On August 29, 2016, the Attorney Examiner issued an entry to establish a procedural schedule in these proceedings. The first filing deadline is Company testimony on December 20, 2016. The parties are engaged in settlement discussions that, if successful, would resolve the issues in these cases. Accordingly, the Company requests that the procedural schedule be indefinitely suspended pending the outcome of those settlement discussions. If a settlement is not reached, the Company will file a request to reactivate the procedural schedule in an equitable manner. The Company contacted the parties concerning this request and is not aware of any opposition to it. Staff and OCC affirmatively support and join in the request. IEU and OMAEG also responded and do not object.

Given the impending deadline, the Company requests an expedited ruling.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of the foregoing was served upon the parties of record in these proceedings by electronic service this 16th day of December, 2016.

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Summary: Motion for Continuance and Request for Expedited Ruling electronically filed by Mr. Steven T Nourse on behalf of Ohio Power Company