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RE: *In the Matter of the Application of Ohio Gas Company for Approval of a Reasonable Arrangement for Transporting Natural Gas in Case No. 17-2475-GA-AEC.*

Dear Docketing Division:

Enclosed please find the Staff's Review and Recommendations in regard to the application filed by Ohio Gas seeking approval of a reasonable arrangement for transporting gas in Case No. 17-2475-GA-AEC.

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Enclosure

Cc: Parties of Record

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Ohio Gas Company
Case No. 17-2475-GA-AEC

SUMMARY

On December 11, 2017, Ohio Gas Company (Ohio Gas) filed an application (Application) seeking approval of a special contract for firm transportation service with Campbell Soup Co. LLP, located in Napoleon, Ohio. Ohio Gas also filed on December 11th, a motion for a protective order. In its motion, Ohio Gas requested confidential treatment of the pricing of services in this special contract.

The special contract includes a discounted transportation rate, unaccounted for gas rate, balancing fees and imbalance provisions. The initial term of the agreement is three years and continues thereafter as a month-to-month agreement subject to a 30-day cancellation notice by either party.

STAFF REVIEW

Staff reviewed the Application and found it to be reasonable.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends to the Commission that the Application as filed by Ohio Gas be approved.