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

RE: In the Matter of the Application of the Generation Energy and Generation Capacity Riders for Ohio Power Company, Case No. 18-820-EL-RDR.

## Dear Docketing Division:

Enclosed please find the Staff's Review and Recommendations in regard to the application filed by Ohio Power Company to update its Generation Energy and Generation Capacity Riders, Case No. 18-820-EL-RDR.

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# Ohio Power Company

## Case No. 18-820-EL-RDR

## **Background**

On May 7, 2018, Ohio Power Company filed proposed Generation Energy (GENE) and Generation Capacity (GENC) riders in Case No. 18-820-EL-RDR. The proposed tariffs include Standard Service Offer (SSO) generation rates, Time of Day (TOD) generation rates and Percentage of Income Payment Plan (PIPP) generation rates.

The proposed SSO and TOD rates include the results of the most recent auction held March 6, 2018, approved by the Commission on March 8, 2018, in Case No. 17-2391-EL-UNC. The proposed PIPP generation rate reflects the results of the PIPP auction held May 1, 2018, and approved by the Commission on May 2, 2018, in Case No. 16-1031-EL-UNC.

The Company requests that the proposed tariffs become effective on June 1, 2018.

### Staff Review and Recommendations

Staff has reviewed the proposed tariffs filed on May 7, 2018 and finds that the tariffs appear to be in compliance with Commission Orders and accurately reflect the March 8, 2018, and May 1, 2018, auction results.

### **Conclusion**

The Staff recommends that the proposed tariffs filed on May 7, 2018, be approved and become effective June 1, 2018.