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Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
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RE: *In the matter of the applications of The Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company, Ohio Edison Company, and The Toledo Edison Company for modification of a tariff.*

Dear Docketing Division:

Enclosed please find the Review and Recommendations of the Staff of the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio (PUCO or Commission) regarding the application filed by The Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company, Ohio Edison Company, and the Toledo Edison Company to amend and replace the existing Partial Service Rider (PUCO No. 13, Sheet No. 46), General Service Partial Service Rider (PUCO No. 11, Sheet No. 24), and Partial Service Rate "GS-15" (PUCO No. 8, Sheet No. 52) in Case Nos. 17-2071-EL-ATA, 17-2072-EL-ATA, and 17-2073-EL-ATA, respectively.

Thank you.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'K. Schaefer'.

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Cc: Parties of Record

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**The Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company, Ohio Edison Company, and
The Toledo Edison Company
Case Nos. 17-2071-EL-ATA, 17-2072-EL-ATA, and 17-2073-EL-ATA**

SUMMARY

In Case No. 14-1297-EL-SSO, PUCO Staff testimony included a recommendation for The Cleveland Electric Company, Ohio Edison Company, and The Toledo Edison Company (collectively, the “Companies”) to update the existing partial service tariffs because they contained outdated generation-related charges that were not based on the results of the competitive bidding process, which are now used to procure all of the energy and capacity products and services for Standard Service Offer (SSO) customers.¹

A Stipulation & Recommendation was later reached in the case where the Companies agreed to amend the partial service tariffs to “minimize risks to other non-shopping customers and reflect the fact that the Companies no longer own generation and source generation for their non-shopping customers via a competitive bid process.”²

The Commission later adopted the provisions associated with the partial service tariffs included in the Stipulation & Recommendation.³ In compliance with the Order, The Cleveland Electric Company, Ohio Edison Company, and The Toledo Edison Company filed amended partial service tariffs in Case Nos. 17-2071-EL-ATA (Partial Service Schedule (PUCO No. 13, Sheet No. 46)), 17-2072-EL-ATA (Partial Service Rider (PUCO No. 11, Sheet No. 24)), and 17-2073-EL-ATA (Partial Service Rate “GS-15” (PUCO No. 8, Sheet No. 52)), respectively.

STAFF REVIEW & RECOMMENDATION

After reviewing each of the applications to amend and replace the existing partial service tariffs, Staff believes that the Companies appropriately removed the outdated generation-related charges and complied with the relevant findings in Case No. 14-1297-EL-SSO. Staff recommends that the Commission approve the tariff amendments filed in Case Nos. 17-2071-EL-ATA, 17-2072-EL-ATA, and 17-2073-EL-ATA.

¹ *In the Matter of the Application of Ohio Edison Company, The Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company and The Toledo Edison Company for Authority to Provide for a Standard Service Offer Pursuant to R.C. 4928.143, in the Form of an Electric Security Plan (FE SSO Case)*, Case No. 14-1297-EL-SSO, Prefiled Testimony of Krystina M. Schaefer at 10-11 (Sept. 18, 2015).

² *FE SSO Case*, Third Supplemental Stipulation & Recommendation at 16 (Dec. 1, 2015).

³ *See FE SSO Case*, Opinion & Order (March 31, 2016).

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Summary: Staff Review and Recommendation electronically filed by Ms. Krystina M Schaefer
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