

**BEFORE  
THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO**

In the Matter of the 2015 Through 2017 :  
Review of the Alternative Energy Rider : Case No. 18-80-EL-RDR  
of Ohio Power Company. :

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**MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME FOR THE DRAFT AUDIT  
REPORT AND FINAL REPORT AND REQUEST FOR EXPEDITED  
TREATMENT**

SUBMITTED ON BEHALF OF THE STAFF OF  
THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

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The Staff of the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio (Staff) moves for an extension of the draft audit report and the final report in the above-captioned case. Staff moves for an extension of the deadline for the auditor to present a draft audit report to Staff from October 31, 2018 to November 16, 2018. Staff also moves for an extension of the deadline for the final report (and work papers) from November 14, 2018 to November 30, 2018.

A memorandum in support, providing good cause for Staff's motion, is provided below.

Respectfully submitted,

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**On behalf of the Staff of  
The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio**

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## MEMORANDUM IN SUPPORT

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By Entry dated June 20, 2018, the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio (PUCO) selected London Economics International LLC (Auditor) to conduct the management/performance and financial audit of the Alternative Energy Rider of Ohio Power Company d/b/a AEP Ohio for activity from 2015 through 2017. By Entry dated May 2, 2018, the PUCO established the deadline for the draft audit report to be submitted to Staff as October 31, 2018 and the deadline for the final report to be filed with the Commission as November 14, 2018. The Auditor has advised that more time is needed to obtain more information to complete the draft. Accordingly, Staff requests an extension of the draft audit report submission deadline to November 16, 2018 and an extension of the final report filing deadline to November 30, 2018.

Ohio Adm. Code 4901-1-12(C) allows a party to request that the Commission consider a motion on an expedited basis. Accordingly, Staff respectfully requests an expedited ruling extending the deadlines for the Auditor to present a draft report to Staff and for the Staff to file the final report with the Commission, as requested in this motion. Staff Counsel has confirmed that no other party to the proceeding objects to Staff's extension request.

Respectfully submitted,

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a true copy of the foregoing **Motion for Extension of Time for the Draft Audit Report and Final Report and Request for Expedited Treatment**, submitted on behalf of the Staff of the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio, was served on the below-listed parties, this 24th day of October, 2018.

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