

**BEFORE THE
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO**

In the Matter of the Filing by Ohio Edison Company, The Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company, and The Toledo Edison Company of a Grid Modernization Business Plan)	
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)	Case No. 16-481-EL-UNC
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In the Matter of the Filing by Ohio Edison Company, The Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company and The Toledo Edison Company Application for Approval of a Distribution Platform Modernization Plan)	
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)	Case No. 17-2436-EL-UNC
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In the Matter of the Application of Ohio Edison Company, The Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company and The Toledo Edison Company to Implement Matters Relating to the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act of 2017)	
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)	Case No. 18-1604-EL-UNC
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In the Matter of the Application of Ohio Edison Company, The Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company, and The Toledo Edison Company for Approval of a Tariff Change)	
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)	Case No. 18-1656-EL-ATA

**OHIO EDISON COMPANY, THE CLEVELAND ELECTRIC ILLUMINATING, AND
THE TOLEDO EDISON COMPANY’S MEMORANDUM CONTRA MOTION TO
EXTEND DEADLINE FOR FILING TESTIMONY**

Ohio Edison Company, The Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company, and The Toledo Edison Company (collectively, the “Companies”) oppose, in part, the Motion to Extend Deadline for Filing Testimony (“Motion”) filed by the Office of the Ohio Consumers’ Counsel (“OCC”) on January 18, 2019.¹ Regardless, the Companies are willing to accommodate OCC’s concerns in a reasonable manner described below.

¹ OCC seeks expedited treatment of its Motion under O.A.C. 4901-1-12(C), which the Companies do not oppose.

The Companies agree with OCC that settlement discussions have continued and have been fruitful. The Companies' goal is to file a Supplemental Stipulation and Recommendation by Tuesday, January 22, 2019. To address OCC's concerns, the Companies recommend that the Hearing Examiner grant a one (1) day extension for filing testimony opposing the settlement, until Wednesday, January 23, 2019.

The Companies respectfully request that the Hearing Examiner deny, in part, the Motion and issue an entry extending the deadline for filing testimony under the terms discussed above.

Respectfully Submitted,

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Summary: Memorandum Contra Motion to Extend Deadline for Filing Testimony electronically filed by Mr. James F Lang on behalf of Ohio Edison Company and The Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company and The Toledo Edison Company