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The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio  
Mr. Robert Fadley, Director, Service Monitoring and Enforcement Dept.  
Ms. Tammy Turkenton, Director, Rates and Analysis Dept.  
180 East Broad Street  
Columbus, Ohio 43215

**Re: Case No. 21-638-GA-ALT**

*In the Matter of the Application of Columbia Gas of Ohio, Inc. for Approval of an Alternative Form of Regulation.*

Dear Mr. Fadley and Ms. Turkenton:

Pursuant to Ohio Adm.Code 4901:1-19-06(A), Columbia Gas of Ohio, Inc. ("Columbia") hereby formally notifies Commission Staff of Columbia's intent to file an application for approval of an alternative rate plan under R.C. 4929.05 and other sections of R.C. Chapter 4929. The application will request approval to extend and increase investment in Columbia's Infrastructure Replacement Program ("IRP") and continue collecting Rider IRP, which the Commission most recently approved in Case No. 16-2422-GA-ALT. The application also will request approval to continue Columbia's Capital Expenditure Program ("CEP") Rider, which the Commission approved in Case No. 17-2202-GA-ALT. In addition, Columbia will seek approval to adopt a new Federally Mandated Investment ("FMI") Rider to recover increased costs imposed under the Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration "mega rule" and other future mandated governmental spending. Columbia anticipates that it will file its application no earlier than 30 calendar days from the date of this letter.

Should Commission Staff have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at the address, phone number, or email address listed above.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Joseph M. Clark  
Joseph M. Clark

Assistant General Counsel  
**COLUMBIA GAS OF OHIO, INC.**

cc: Parties to Case No. 16-2422-GA-ALT  
Parties to Case No. 17-2202-GA-ALT

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Summary: Notice of Intent to File an Application for Approval of an Alternative Rate Plan electronically filed by Ms. Melissa L. Thompson on behalf of Columbia Gas of Ohio, Inc.