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Ms. Tanowa Troupe, Secretary Public Utilities Commission of Ohio 180 East Broad Street Columbus, Ohio 43215-3793

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RE: Pre-Application Notification Letter In the matter of the Letter of Notification Application of AEP Ohio Transmission Company Inc. for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the Cyprus 138kV Station Project in Case No. 21-0786-EL-BLN

Dear Ms. Troupe:

AEP Ohio Transmission Company Inc. (the "Company") files this pre-application notification letter for the above-reference Project pursuant to Rule 4906-6-03(A) of the Ohio Administrative Code.

The Company is proposing to construct the Cyprus 138 kV Station Project ("Project") located in Hamilton Township, Franklin County, Ohio. The Project consists of constructing a new, approximately 7.2 acre, 138 kV electric transmission substation to provide electricity to a customer's facility.

The Company anticipates that construction of the Project will begin in November 2021. The anticipated in-service date for the Project is July 2022.

Respectfully submitted,

<u>/s/ Christen M. Blend</u> Christen M. Blend (0086881), Counsel of Record Counsel for AEP Ohio Transmission Company, Inc.

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Summary: Notice Pre-Application Notification Letter electronically filed by Ms. Christen M. Blend on behalf of AEP Ohio Transmission Company, Inc.