AES Ohio 1900 Dryden Road Dayton, Ohio 45439

August 26, 2021

Chairman Jenifer French Ohio Power Siting Board 180 East Broad Street Columbus, Ohio 43215

**Re:** Pre-Application Notification Letter

In the matter of the Letter of Notification Application of The Dayton Power and Light Company for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the Clinton 345 kV Expansion Project

Ohio Power Siting Board Case No. 21-0679-EL-BNR

Dear Chairman French,

The Dayton Power and Light Company, doing business as "AES Ohio", files this Pre-Application Notification Letter for the above-referenced Project pursuant to Rule 4906-6-03(A) of the Ohio Administrative Code.

AES Ohio is proposing the Clinton 345 kilovolt (kV) Expansion Project ("Project") located in Clinton, Summit County, Ohio. The purpose of this project is to install a second 345/69kV transformer at Clinton Substation. This will also require the addition of three 345 kV breakers to establish a ring bus, 69 kV circuit breakers, and associated equipment.

In accordance with Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) Rule 4906-06-05, this project falls within the Ohio Power Siting Board (OPSB) requirements for a Letter of Notification (LON) application.

AES Ohio anticipates that construction of the Project will begin October 15, 2021 pending approval of this Letter of Notification. AES Ohio plans to file a request for expedited treatment of this application in the near future. The anticipated in-service date for the Project is May 31, 2022.

Respectfully submitted,

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Summary: Notice for Pre-Application for the Clinton Project electronically filed by Mr. Michael F Russ on behalf of The Dayton Power and Light Company