

**BEFORE  
THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO**

In the Matter of the Complaint of	)	
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James Ehret,	)	Case No. 21-862-GA-CSS
Complainant,	)	
v.	)	
	)	
Columbia Gas of Ohio, Inc.,	)	
Respondent.	)	

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**JOINT MOTION TO DISMISS OF  
COLUMBIA GAS OF OHIO, INC. AND  
JAMES EHRET**

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Pursuant to Ohio Adm.Code 4901-9-01(F), Columbia Gas of Ohio, Inc. ("Columbia") and James Ehret ("Complaint") hereby file a Joint Motion to Dismiss the above referenced case. For the reasons more fully discussed in the attached Memorandum in Support, the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio ("Commission") should dismiss this Complaint with prejudice.

Respectfully submitted by,  
**COLUMBIA GAS OF OHIO, INC.**

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## **MEMORANDUM IN SUPPORT**

Complainant, James Ehret, and Columbia have resolved all issues raised in the above-captioned Complaint. Since nothing further remains to be done in this case and no further proceedings are necessary, this case should be dismissed with prejudice.

While this Joint Motion is being filed by both parties to this Complaint, Ohio Adm.Code 4901-9-01(F) provides the Complainant with the right to file a response disagreeing with the assertions made in this motion within twenty days of service. Pursuant to this rule, the absence of such a response may create a presumption that settlement has occurred.

**WHEREFORE**, Columbia and Complainant respectfully request that the Commission dismiss this Complaint with prejudice as settled pursuant to Ohio Adm.Code 4901-9-01(F).

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