BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In the Matter of the Application of Ohio Power : Case No. 22-0041-EL-RDR

Company to Update Its Basic Transmission Cost:

Rider :

MOTION TO INTERVENE OF THE THE OHIO ENERGY GROUP

Pursuant to the Ohio Rev. Code §4903.221 and Ohio Admin. Code §4901-1-11, the Ohio Energy Group ("OEG") moves for leave to intervene in this proceeding. The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio ("Commission") should grant OEG leave to intervene because OEG has a real and substantial interest in the proceeding, and the Commission's disposition of this proceeding may impair or impede OEG's ability to protect that interest.

Respectfully submitted,

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MEMORANDUM IN SUPPORT OF THE OHIO ENERGY GROUP'S MOTION TO INTERVENE

Pursuant to Ohio Rev. Code §4903.221 and Ohio Admin. Code §4901-1-11, the Ohio Energy Group (OEG) files this Memorandum in Support of Motion to Intervene.

OEG is a non-profit entity organized to represent the interests of large industrial and commercial customers in electric and gas regulatory proceedings before the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio ("Commission"). OEG's members who are participating in this intervention are: Cleveland-Cliffs Steel Corporation (fka AK Steel Corporation), Amsted Rail Company, Inc., Cleveland-Cliffs Steel LLC (formerly ArcelorMittal USA LLC), Ford Motor Company, GE Aviation, Greif, Inc., Howmet Aerospace Inc., Linde PLC (formerly Praxair Inc.), Messer, LLC, POET Bioprocessing, TimkenSteel Corporation and Worthington Industries. These companies purchase large amounts of electric power services from Ohio Power Company. Therefore, the interests of OEG's members may be directly affected by the outcome of this proceeding. The interests of OEG cannot be adequately represented by any other party. OEG intends to play a constructive role in this case and provide information which will assist the Commission.

No other party to this proceeding can adequately represent OEG's interest. Intervention would not unduly delay the proceeding nor unjustly prejudice any existing party.

Accordingly, OEG has a real and substantial interest and is entitled to intervene in this action under Ohio Rev. Code §4903.221 and Ohio Admin. Code §4901-1-11.

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