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Ms. Jill Henry

Rail Division Chief

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Public Utilities Commission of Ohio

RE: Case No. 21-895-RR-FED 4-MONTH EXTENSION REQUEST

Dear Ms. Henry:

As designated representative for the Cincinnati Eastern Railroad for the Round Bottom Road warning device project, I am seeking an Extension in the matter of the referenced Case.

On September 23, 2021, the Cincinnati Eastern Railroad was Ordered to modernize the warning devices at the Round Bottom Road grade crossing. Necessary arrangements have been made in preparation for the upgrade of the grade crossing warning devices. Construction is scheduled to start May 31, 2022. This past Monday I received a communication from the signal vendor secured to complete the work that some needed materials are not currently available. I confirmed this information with a representative of the material supplier, Siemens Mobility. At this time there are no alternatives but to wait for the materials to be manufactured.

The Cincinnati Eastern Railroad formally requests a 4-month extension to allow for the procurement of the deficient materials. The 4-month extension would provide a new deadline date of October 23, 2022.

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Summary: Request Extension because of lack of availability of critical materials
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Development Commission and Clermont County Engineer