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Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attn: Docketing Division
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Columbus, OH 43215-3793

RE: In the Matter of the Application of the Ohio)
Department of Development for an Order) Case No. 05-0717-EL-UNC
Approving Adjustments to the Universal Service) Case No. 89-6002-EL-TRF
Fund Riders of Jurisdictional Ohio Electric)
Distribution Utilities)


Dear Docketing Division:

Enclosed for filing, pursuant to the above referenced cases, are four (4) conformed copies of Duke Energy Ohio's Rider USR, Universal Service Fund Rider, which was approved pursuant to the Commission Order dated June 6, 2006.

One copy is for the case docket, one copy for the TRF docket and the remaining two copies are to the Electricity Division of the Utilities Department.

Please time-stamp the enclosed extra copies and return for our file.

Very truly yours,


Paul F. Ochsner

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RIDER USR
UNIVERSAL SERVICE FUND RIDER

APPLICABILITY

Ohio Amended Substitute Senate Bill No. 3 established a Universal Service Fund in the State of Ohio. This Rider is applicable to all jurisdictional retail customers, including interdepartmental sales, in the Company's electric service area.

CHARGE

All kWh are subject to the Universal Service Fund Rider. The amount to be charged monthly beginning June 13, 2006 shall be as follows:

First 833,000 kilowatt-hours	\$0.0008982 per kWh
All Additional kilowatt-hours	\$0.0004690 per kWh

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Filed pursuant to an Order dated June 6, 2006 in Case No. 05-0717-EL-UNC the before Public Utilities Commission of Ohio.

Issued: June 9, 2006

Effective: June 13, 2006

Issued by Sandra P. Meyer, President