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Construction Notice
Ashtabula South Transmission Substation Expansion Project
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Case No. 05-1002-EL-BNR

Dear Mr. Lambeck,

This letter is in response to the Construction Notice for the Ashtabula South Transmission Substation Expansion Project ("Project") filed on August 10, 2005. I previously notified you that we expected construction on this project to begin on approximately April 1, 2006. I was informed this morning that construction on the Project has not yet begun and will not likely begin until later this year. I will notify you of the new construction start date when it becomes clearer.

If you have any questions regarding this project, please contact me at (330) 761-4268.

Sincerely,

Ted Krauss, Senior Transmission Engineer
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cc: J. O'Dell (OPSB)

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