AMENDMENT TO REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL (RFP-2010-05)
DATED April 20-2010

To Whom It May Concern:

Please be informed of new developments regarding the Office of the Ohio Consumers' Counsel's RFP 2010-05. The following represents an amendment to (Part Two) of the General Instructions in the original RFP.

On March 26, 2010, Duke Energy Ohio, Inc. (Duke) filed an application to waive the requirement set forth in Rule 4901:5-3-01(A), O.A.C., for Duke Energy to file its Long-Term Forecast Report (LTFR), which will include its Integrated Resource Plan (IRP), by April 15, 2010. Duke requested, that it be allowed to file the report on June 15, 2010. This request was approved by the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio in its April 15, 2010 Entry.

Given this new development, changes are necessary to the dates for proposals responding to OCC's RFP 2010-05. The date changes are as follows:

FIRM DATES

RFP Issued:	**April 2, 2010**
Revised Proposal Due Date/Time:	**June 22, 2010 at 5:00 p.m.**

REVISED CONTRACT ESTIMATED DATES

Contract Award	**June 25,2010**
Work Begins If Controlling Board Approval Not Needed	**July 1, 2010**
If Controlling Board Approval Needed	**July 19, 2010**
Contract End Date	**June 30, 2011**

Further, given that the LTFR and the IRP include data and information related to generation, transmission and distribution, including renewable energy, nuclear energy, energy efficiency and other information, **Independent Contractors can bid on parts of the RFP based on their specific experience**. If Independent Contractors are awarded parts of the RFP, the OCC's expectation is that these consultants will coordinate their work with other consultants working on the same project and under the direction of OCC' Lead Attorney and the Technical Staff who will coordinate the case for the OCC.

Should you have any questions, please contact Dr. Aster Adams, Director of Analytical Services Department, 614-466-9553 or adams@occ.state.oh.us. A bidder's conference call (To Be Determined) will be organized to answer any questions you may have, if any.

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