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September 8, 2016

Chief
Section of Administration
Office of Proceedings
Surface Transportation Board
395 E Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20423

Dear Section Chief,

Enclosed for recordation pursuant to the provisions of 49 U.S.C. Section 11301(a) are two (2) copies of a Release of Liens, dated as of August 31, 2016, a secondary document as defined in the Board's Rules for the Recordation of Documents.

The enclosed document relates to the Security Agreement-Trust Deed, as supplemented, previously filed with the Board under Recordation Numbers 22814-A, 22814-C and 22814-E.

The names and addresses of the parties to the enclosed document are:

Lessee:	Appalachian Power Company 1 Riverside Plaza Columbus, OH 43215
Security Trustee:	Wilmington Trust Company Rodney Square North 1100 North Market Street Wilmington DE 19801

A description of the equipment covered by the enclosed document is:

All railcars covered by the Security Agreement-Trust Deed, as supplemented, previously filed with the Board under Recordation Numbers 22814-A, 22814-C and 22814-E are RELEASED.

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A short summary of the document to appear in the index is:

Release of Liens.

Also enclosed is a check in the amount of \$45.00 payable to the order of the Surface Transportation Board covering the required recordation fee.

Kindly return stamped copies of the enclosed document to the undersigned.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "E. Luria", with a stylized flourish at the end.

Edward M. Luria

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Enclosures

RELEASE OF LIENS

Dated as of August 31, 2016

between

**APPALACHIAN POWER COMPANY,
as Lessee**

and

**WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY,
as Security Trustee**

THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE FILED WITH THE SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD AND DEPOSITED IN THE OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR GENERAL OF CANADA, AND UPON SUCH FILING, EACH OF THE DOCUMENTS DESCRIBED ON **EXHIBIT A** ATTACHED HERETO, AND THE INTERESTS OF THE PARTIES EVIDENCED THEREBY, SHALL BE TERMINATED OR RELEASED, AS THE CASE MAY BE.

SATISFACTION AND DISCHARGE AND RELEASE OF LIENS, dated as of August 31, 2016 by WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY, a Delaware trust company, as Security Trustee (the "Security Trustee") under the Security Agreement-Trust Deed dated as of March 1, 2000 between First Security Trust Company of Nevada (now succeeded by Wells Fargo Bank Northwest, National Association), not individually but solely as Owner Trustee under Ohio Power Trust 2000-1 (the "Owner Trustee"), and the Security Trustee (as supplemented and amended from time to time, the "Trust Deed"; capitalized terms used herein without definition having the respective meanings set forth in the Trust Deed) and Ohio Power Company (now succeeded by APPALACHIAN POWER COMPANY) (the "Lessee").

1. The Security Trustee does hereby (i) acknowledge payment in full of all Notes issued under the Trust Deed and (ii) release any and all of its interest and Liens under the Trust Deed.

2. The Lessee does hereby agree that it shall, at its cost and expense, cause this Agreement to be promptly filed with the Surface Transportation Board and deposited in the Office of the Registrar General of Canada, and upon such filing, each of the documents described on Exhibit A attached hereto, and the interests of the Security Trustee therein, shall be terminated and released.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, each of the parties hereto, pursuant to due corporate authority, has caused this instrument to be duly executed in its corporate name by its officers thereunto duly authorized, all as of the date first above written.

APPALACHIAN POWER COMPANY,
as Lessee

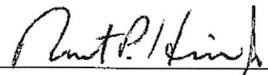
By: 

Name:

Title:

Reece V. Hawkins
Assistant Treasurer

WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY,
as Security Trustee

By: 

Name:

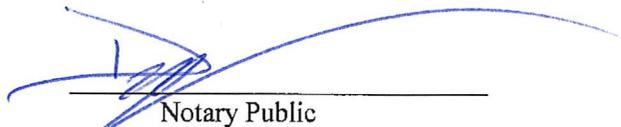
Title:

Robert P. Hines, Jr.
Assistant Vice President

State of Ohio)
) ss
County of Franklin)

On this 7th day of September, 2016, before me, a notary public, personally appeared Renee V. Hawkins, to me personally known, who being by me duly sworn says that (s)he is the Assistant Treasurer of APPALACHIAN POWER COMPANY and that said instrument was executed on behalf of said corporation by authority of its Board of Directors, and (s)he acknowledged that the execution of the foregoing instrument was the free act and deed of said corporation.

(Notarial Seal)



Notary Public



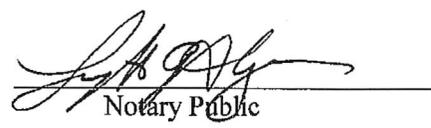
My Commission Expires:
David C. House, Attorney At Law
NOTARY PUBLIC - STATE OF OHIO
My commission has no expiration date
Sec. 147.03 R.C.

State of Delaware)
) ss
County of New Castle)

On this 7th day of September, 2016,, before me, a notary public, personally appeared Robert P. Hines Jr., to me personally known, who being by me duly sworn says that (s)he is the Assistant V.P. of WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY as Security Trustee and that said instrument was executed on behalf of said company by authority of its Board of Directors, and (s)he acknowledged that the execution of the foregoing instrument was the free act and deed of said corporation.

(Notarial Seal)





Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

Exhibit A

ORIGINAL SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD FILINGS

<u>Description</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>	<u>Recordation Number</u>
Security Agreement and Trust Deed, dated March 1, 2000	March 15, 2000	22814-A
Security Agreement Supplement No. 1, dated March 1, 2000	March 15, 2000	22814-C
Security Agreement Supplement No. 2, dated April 3, 2000	April 3, 2000	22814-E

CERTIFICATION

I, Edward M. Luria, an attorney licensed to practice in the District of Columbia, the State of Delaware and the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do hereby certify under penalty of perjury that I have compared the attached copy with the original thereof and have found the copy to be complete and identical in all respects to the original document.

Dated: September 8, 2016

Edward M Luria

Edward M. Luria