

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

December 7, 2023

Julia Sloat Chief Executive Officer Ohio Power Company 1 Riverside Plaza Columbus, Ohio 43215

> Re: Ohio Power Company Registration Statement on Form S-3 Filed November 30, 2023 File No. 333-275801

Dear Julia Sloat:

This is to advise you that we have not reviewed and will not review your registration statement.

Please refer to Rules 460 and 461 regarding requests for acceleration. We remind you that the company and its management are responsible for the accuracy and adequacy of their disclosures, notwithstanding any review, comments, action or absence of action by the staff.

Please contact Claudia Rios at 202-551-8770 with any questions.

Sincerely,

Division of Corporation Finance Office of Energy & Transportation

cc: David C. House, Esq.