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IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS  
Hon. Leslie Ghiz HAMILTON COUNTY, OHIO

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DUKE ENERGY OHIO, INC. : CASE NO. A1507011  
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 Plaintiff, : JUDGE LESLIE E. GHIZ  
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 vs. :  
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 AFRIYIE OWUSU : AGREED JUDGMENT ENTRY DECLARING  
 : AFRIYIE OWUSU A VEXATIOUS LITIGANT  
 Defendant. :

By agreement between the parties and their respective counsel, and with consent of court, judgment is hereby entered in favor of Plaintiff, Duke Energy Ohio, Inc., against Defendant, Afriyie Owusu, and Defendant, Afriyie Owusu is hereby found to be a vexatious litigator pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Section 2323.52. Defendant, Afriyie Owusu is PROHIBITED from doing one or more of the following without first obtaining the leave of court to proceed:

1. Instituting legal proceedings in the court of claims or a court of common pleas, municipal court, or county court;
2. Continuing any legal proceedings which Defendant, Afriyie Owusu had instituted in the court of claims or a court of common pleas, municipal court or county court prior to the entry of this Order;
3. Making any application, other than an application for leave to proceed under O.R.C. §2323.52(F), in any legal proceedings instituted by Afriyie Owusu or another person on his behalf in the court of claims or a court of common pleas, municipal court, or county court.

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Afriyie Owusu shall not institute legal proceedings in a court of appeals, continue any legal proceedings that he had instituted in a court of appeals prior to entry of this Order, or make any application, other than the application for leave to proceed allowed by O.R.C. §2323.52(F),

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in any legal proceedings instituted by Afriyie Owusu or another person on his behalf in a court of appeals without first obtaining leave of the court of appeals to proceed pursuant to O.R.C. §2323.52(F).

This Court will not grant Afriyie Owusu leave for the institution or continuance of, or the making of an application in, legal proceedings in the court of claims or in a court of common pleas, municipal court, or county court unless this Court is satisfied that the proceedings or application are not an abuse of process of the court in question and that there are reasonable grounds for the proceedings or application.

If Afriyie Owusu seeks to institute or continue any legal proceedings in a court of appeals or to make an application, other than an application for leave to proceed under O.R.C. §2323.52(F), in any legal proceedings in a court of appeals, he shall file an application for leave to proceed in the court of appeals in which the legal proceedings would be instituted or are pending. The court of appeals shall not grant Afriyie Owusu leave for the institution or continuance of, or the making of an application in, legal proceedings in the court of appeals unless the court of appeals is satisfied that the proceedings or application are not an abuse of process of the court and that there are reasonable grounds for the proceedings or application.

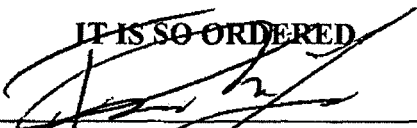
No appeal by Afriyie Owusu shall lie from a decision of the court of common pleas or court of appeals that denies Afriyie Owusu leave for the institution or continuance of, or the making of an application in, legal proceedings in the court of claims or in a court of appeals, court of common pleas, municipal court, or county court.

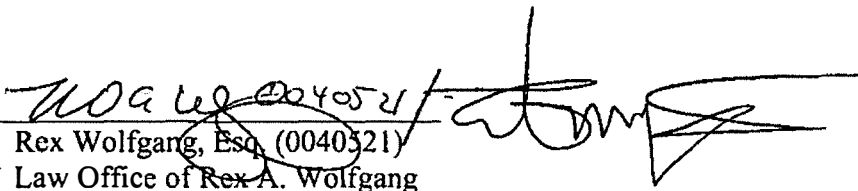
Whenever it appears by suggestion of the parties or otherwise that Afriyie Owusu has instituted, continued, or made an application in legal proceedings without obtaining leave to proceed from the appropriate court of common pleas or court of appeals to do so under O.R.C.

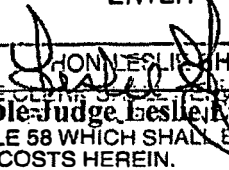
§2323.52(F), the court in which the legal proceedings are pending shall dismiss the proceedings or application of Afriye Owusu.

The Clerk of Courts is hereby ordered to send a certified copy of this Order to the Ohio Supreme Court for publication.

**IT IS SO ORDERED**

  
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HONORABLE JUDGE LESLIE A. GHIZ  
THE CLERK SHALL GIVE NOTICE  
HONORABLE JUDGE LESLIE A. GHIZ  
RULE 58 WHICH SHALL BE TAXED  
AS COSTS HEREIN.

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Clerk of Courts

By: \_\_\_\_\_ Deputy Clerk