

CLEVELAND ELECTRIC ILLUMINATING CO
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The Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company

Pricing Term Sheet

Issuer	The Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company
Ratings*	Baa1/BBB+ (Moody's/S&P)
Principal Amount	\$300,000,000
Security Type	First Mortgage Bonds, 5.500% Series Due 2024
Trade Date	August 13, 2009
Settlement Date	August 18, 2009; T+3
Maturity Date	August 15, 2024
Interest Payment Dates	February 15 and August 15
First Interest Payment Date	February 15, 2010
Call Provisions	Make-whole call at T+30 bps
Treasury Benchmark	UST 3.125% due May 15, 2019
Benchmark Yield	3.603%
Spread to Benchmark	+195 bps
Reoffer Yield	5.553%
Coupon	5.500%
Price to Public	99.466%
Net Proceeds (%)	98.716%
Net Proceeds (\$)	\$296,148,000
Joint-Bookrunners	Goldman, Sachs & Co. (30%) KeyBanc Capital Markets Inc. (30%) UBS Securities LLC (30%)
Co-Managers	Blaylock Robert Van, LLC (3.34%) Daiwa Securities America Inc. (3.33%) Fifth Third Securities, Inc (3.33%)
CUSIP	186108 CJ3
ISIN	US186108CJ39

* Note: A securities rating is not a recommendation to buy, sell or hold securities and may be subject to revision or withdrawal at any time.

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