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May 23, 2007

Beth A. O'Donnell, Executive Director  
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211 Sower Boulevard  
Frankfort, Kentucky 40602

**Re: Case No. 2007-00179**

Dear Ms. O'Donnell:

Please find enclosed the original and twelve (12) copies of the Petition to Intervene of the Kentucky Industrial Utility Customers, Inc. in the above-referenced matter. By copy of this letter, all parties listed on the Certificate of Service have been served.

Please place this document of file.

Very Truly Yours,



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cc: Certificate of Service

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing was served by mailing a true and correct copy, by first-class postage prepaid mail, to all parties on the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of May, 2007.

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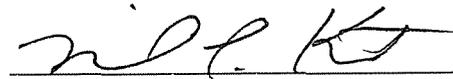
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**COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY  
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

**In The Matter Of:** : **Case No. 2007-00179**  
: :  
**Application Of Louisville Gas And Electric** :  
**Company For An Order Authorizing Inclusion Of** :  
**Investment Tax Credits In Calculation Of** :  
**Environmental Surcharge And Declaring** :  
**Appropriate Ratemaking Methods For Base Rates** :

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**PETITION TO INTERVENE OF  
KENTUCKY INDUSTRIAL UTILITY CUSTOMERS, INC.**

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Pursuant to K.R.S. §278.310 and 807 KAR 5:001 Section 3(8), Kentucky Industrial Utility Customers, Inc. ("KIUC") requests that it be granted full intervenor status in the above-captioned proceeding and states in support thereof as follows:

1. KIUC is an association of the largest electric and gas public utility customers in Kentucky. The purpose of KIUC is to represent the industrial viewpoint on energy and utility issues before this Commission and before all other appropriate governmental bodies. The members of KIUC who purchase electricity from Louisville Gas & Electric ("LG&E") and who will participate herein are: Carbide Industries LLC, Ford Motor Company, Arch Chemicals, Kosmos Cement Company and Rohm & Haas Kentucky, Inc. KIUC will supplement its Petition with the names of additional participating members as this information becomes known.
2. The matters being decided by the Commission in this case may have a significant impact on the rates paid by KIUC for electricity. Electricity represents a significant cost of doing business for KIUC. The attorneys for KIUC authorized to represent them in this proceeding and to take service of all documents are:

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3. The position of KIUC cannot be adequately represented by any existing party. KIUC intends to play a constructive role in the Commission's decision making process herein and KIUC's participation will not unduly prejudice any party.

**WHEREFORE**, KIUC requests that it be granted full intervenor status in the above captioned proceeding.

Respectfully submitted,

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