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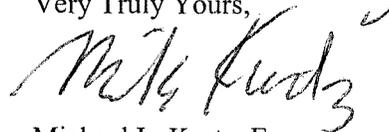
Re: Case No. 2011-00401

Dear Mr. Derouen:

Please find enclosed the original and twelve (12) copies of the PETITION TO INTERVENE OF KENTUCKY INDUSTRIAL UTILITY CUSTOMERS, INC. filed 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,



Michael L. Kurtz, Esq.

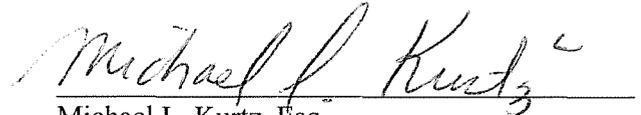
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing was served by mailing a true and correct copy via electronic mail (when available) and by first-class postage prepaid mail, to all parties on the 9th day of December, 2011.


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

IN THE MATTER OF: THE APPLICATION OF :
KENTUCKY POWER COMPANY FOR APPROVAL OF :
ITS 2011 ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE PLAN, : **Case No. 2011-00401**
FOR APPROVAL OF ITS AMENDED :
ENVIRONMENTAL COST RECOVERY SURCHARGE :
TARIFF, AND FOR THE GRANT OF A CERTIFICATE :
OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY FOR :
THE CONSTRUCTION AND ACQUISITION OF :
RELATED FACILITIES :

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

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 will participate herein are: Air Liquide Large Industries U.S. LP, AK Steel Corporation, Air Products & Chemicals, Inc. EQT Corporation and Marathon Petroleum Company, LLC. KIUC will supplement the names of additional intervenors when necessary.

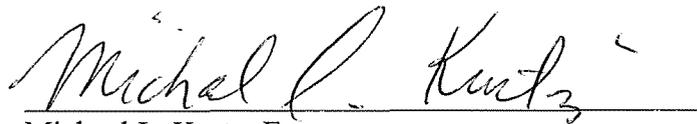
2. The matters being decided by the Commission in this case may have a significant impact on the rates paid by KIUC for electricity. Electricity represents a significant cost of doing business for KIUC. The attorneys for KIUC authorized to represent them in this proceeding and to take service of all 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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