

July 5, 2012

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RE: Application of Kentucky Utilities Company;
Case No. 2012-00221

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Dear Mr. Derouen:

Enclosed for filing in the above docket are an original and twelve copies of the Petition of The Kroger Company for full intervention.

In accordance with the Commission's Order of June 22, 2012, I hereby certify that The Kroger Company and its agents are capable of receiving electronic transmissions, waive any right to receive service of the Commission Orders by U.S. mail and consent to the use of electronic filing procedures and the service of all documents and pleadings, including Orders of the Commission, by electronic means.

Very truly yours,

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Enclosure

cc: Counsel of Record

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COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In The Matter of:

APPLICATION OF KENTUCKY UTILITIES) CASE NO. 2012-00221
COMPANY FOR AN ADJUSTMENT OF ITS)
ELECTRIC RATES)

**PETITION FOR FULL
INTERVENTION OF THE KROGER COMPANY**

Pursuant to K.R.S. §278.310 and 807 KAR 5:001 Section 3(8), The Kroger Company (“Kroger”) requests that it be granted full intervenor status in the above captioned proceeding and states in support thereof as follows:

1. Kroger operates many retail stores throughout the service area of Kentucky Utilities Company (“KU”) and purchases electric energy for these facilities from KU. Electric service represents a significant cost of doing business for Kroger. Kroger therefore has a special interest in this proceeding in that the Application may have a significant impact on the rates paid by Kroger to KU. The position of Kroger cannot be adequately represented by any existing party. Kroger intends to play a constructive role in the Commission’s decision making process herein and its participation will not unduly prejudice any party.

2. The attorney for Kroger authorized to represent it in this proceeding and to take service of all documents is:

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

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE

A copy of the foregoing Petition for Full Intervention has been served by United States mail on the following persons this the 5TH day of July, 2012:

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