COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

JOINT APPLICATION OF LOUISVILLE GAS)	
AND ELECTRIC COMPANY AND KENTUCKY)	
UTILITIES COMPANY FOR AN ORDER)	CASE NO. 2000-528
SUSPENDING THE REQUIREMENT TO)	
FILE A RATE UNBUNDLING STUDY)	

ORDER

This case was initiated by the filing of a joint application by Louisville Gas and Electric Company and Kentucky Utilities Company (collectively "Applicants") requesting to be relieved of the requirement, set forth in a prior Commission Order, to file rate unbundling studies for informational purposes. By Order entered April 27, 2001, the Commission denied the requested relief, affirmed the obligation to file rate unbundling studies, and directed that the studies be reviewed in this docket. The Applicants subsequently filed their respective studies and the Commission now intends to conduct its review. However, the Commission finds that for administrative purposes the review should be conducted in a new docket to be opened simultaneously with the closing of this one.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

 The Applicants' respective rate unbundling studies shall be reviewed in a new docket and all parties of record in this case shall be deemed parties in the new docket.

2. This docket is closed.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 19th day of October, 2001.

By the Commission

ATTEST:

Deputy Executive Director