## COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

## BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

## AN INVESTIGATION OF NATURAL GAS RETAIL COMPETITION PROGRAMS

) ADMINISTRATIVE ) CASE NO. 2010-00146

## COMMISSION STAFF'S FIRST INFORMATION REQUEST TO THE COMMUNITY ACTION COUNCIL FOR LEXINGTON-FAYETTE, BOURBON, HARRISON AND NICHOLAS COUNTIES, INC.

The Community Action Council for Lexington-Fayette, Bourbon, Harrison and Nicholas Counties, Inc. ("CAC"), pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, is to file with the Commission the original and 10 copies of the following information, with a copy to all parties of record. The information requested herein is due no later than July 29, 2010. Responses to requests for information shall be appropriately bound, tabbed and indexed. Each response shall include the name of the witness responsible for responding to the questions related to the information provided.

Each response shall be answered under oath or, for representatives of a public or private corporation or a partnership or association or a governmental agency, be accompanied by a signed certification of the preparer or person supervising the preparation of the response on behalf of the entity that the response is true and accurate to the best of that person's knowledge, information, and belief formed after a reasonable inquiry.

CAC shall make timely amendment to any prior response if it obtains information which indicates that the response was incorrect when made or, though correct when made, is now incorrect in any material respect. For any request to which CAC fails or refuses to furnish all or part of the requested information, CAC shall provide a written explanation of the specific grounds for its failure to completely and precisely respond.

Careful attention should be given to copied material to ensure that it is legible. When the requested information has been previously provided in this proceeding in the requested format, reference may be made to the specific location of that information in responding to this request. When applicable, the requested information shall be separately provided for total company operations and jurisdictional operations.

1. Refer to the Direct Testimony of Jack E. Burch ("Burch Testimony") at page 6, lines 10-12. Identify the "other states" referenced by Mr. Burch as having higher customer bills as a result of their retail gas competition programs.

2. Refer to page 7 of the Burch Testimony at lines 10-13. Provide the names of specific marketers that have employed the practices described by Mr. Burch.

3. Refer to page 6 of the Burch Testimony at lines 2-7. Explain the difficulties CAC experienced in operating a marketing company and what provisions, if any, may be included as part of a competitive program that could alleviate some of the difficulties experienced.

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