COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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APPLICATION OF LOUISVILLE GAS AND ELECTRIC)	
COMPANY FOR CERTIFICATES OF PUBLIC)	
CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY AND APPROVAL)	CASE NO.
OF ITS 2011 COMPLIANCE PLAN FOR RECOVERY)	2011-00162
BY ENVIRONMENTAL SURCHARGE	Ś	

COMMISSION STAFF'S FIRST REQUEST FOR INFORMATION TO METROPOLITAN HOUSING COALITION

Metropolitan Housing Corporation ("MHC"), pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, is to file with the Commission the original and 15 copies of the following information, with a copy to all parties of record. The information requested herein shall be filed no later October 13, 2011. 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 the 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.

MHC 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 MHC fails or

refuses to furnish all or part of the requested information, it shall provide a written explanation of the specific grounds for its failure to completely and precisely respond. Careful attention shall be given to copied material to ensure that it is legible.

1. Refer to the Direct Testimony of Cathy Hinko at page 6. Beginning at line 13, the testimony states that MHC requests that the Commission "urge LG&E/KU to explore the implementation of an environmental surcharge fee waiver or reduction for qualified low-income households and/or a credit for those households to offset rate increases." Does Ms. Hinko believe that the Commission has the authority under its statutes to approve such a fee waiver, reduction, or credit for qualified low-income households? If yes, provide the statute citation.

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