COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

APPLICATION OF LOUISVILLE GAS AND)ELECTRIC COMPANY FOR AN ADJUSTMENT)CASE NO.OF ITS ELECTRIC AND GAS RATES)2014-00372

<u>order</u>

On February 20, 2015, Louisville Gas and Electric Company (LG&E) filed a motion, pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, Section 13, and KRS 61.878(1), requesting that information contained in its response to Commission Staff's Third Request for Information (Staff's Third Request), Items 10, 11, 12, and 29 be afforded confidential treatment for an indefinite period.

As a basis for its request, LG&E states that the designated materials consist of compensation paid to non-executive officers and employees, and customer information, which is exempt from public disclosure pursuant to KRS 61.878(1)(a). LG&E further states that the designated materials include non-public transmission information provided to federal agencies, and that public disclosure is prohibited by federal law. Thus, according to LG&E, the transmission information is exempt from public disclosure pursuant to KRS 61.878(1)(k), which prohibits the disclosure of information for which public disclosure is prohibited under federal law.

Having carefully considered the motion and the materials at issue, the Commission finds that the designated materials are exempt from public disclosure pursuant to KRS 61.878(1)(a), KRS 61.878(1)(k), and 807 KAR 5:001, Section 13.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. LG&E's motion for confidential protection of its response to Staff's Third Request, Items 10, 11, 12, and 29 is granted.

2. The designated materials shall not be placed in the public record or made available for public inspection for an indefinite period, or until further Order of this Commission.

3. Use of the materials in question in any Commission proceeding shall be in compliance with 807 KAR 5:001, Section 13(9).

4. LG&E shall inform the Commission if the materials in question become publicly available or no longer qualify for confidential treatment.

5. If a non-party to this proceeding requests to inspect materials granted confidential treatment by this Order, LG&E shall have 20 days from receipt of written notice of the request to demonstrate that the materials still fall within the exclusions from disclosure requirements established in KRS 61.878. If LG&E is unable to make such demonstration, the requested materials shall be made available for inspection.

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By the Commission

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