COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC APPLICATION OF DUKE ENERGY)	
KENTUCKY, INC., FOR: 1) AN ADJUSTMENT OF)	
THE ELECTRIC RATES; 2) APPROVAL OF AN)	CASE NO.
ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE PLAN AND)	2017-00321
SURCHARGE MECHANISM; 3) APPROVAL OF)	
NEW TARIFFS; 4) APPROVAL OF ACCOUNTING)	
PRACTICES TO ESTABLISH REGULATORY)	
ASSETS AND LIABILITIES; AND 5) ALL OTHER)	
REQUIRED APPROVALS AND RELIEF)	

COMMISSION STAFF'S INITIAL REQUEST FOR INFORMATION TO NORTHERN KENTUCKY UNIVERSITY

Northern Kentucky University ("NKU"), pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, is to file with the Commission the original and six copies in paper medium and an electronic version of its responses to the following information, with a copy to all parties of record. The information requested herein is due on or before January 31, 2018. Responses to requests for information in paper medium 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.

NKU 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 NKU 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. 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 filing a paper containing personal information, NKU

shall, in accordance with 807 KAR 5:001, Section 4(10), encrypt or redact the paper so

that personal information cannot be read.

1. Refer to the Direct Testimony of Brian C. Collins, page 17, lines 17-21,

wherein Mr. Collins states, "[i]f Rider FTR is granted, NITS related costs, as well as other

costs incurred on a demand basis, should be allocated on the basis of demand and

collected from classes based on \$ per kW charge as opposed to the collection of these

costs on a \$ per kWh or energy basis as proposed by the utility." Explain in detail how

customer classes without demand charges would be allocated Network Integrated

Transmission Costs.

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