COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC JOINT APPLICATION OF) LOUISVILLE GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY) AND KENTUCKY UTILITIES COMPANY FOR) REVIEW, MODIFICATION, AND CONTINUATION) OF CERTAIN EXISTING DEMAND-SIDE) MANAGEMENT AND ENERGY EFFICIENCY) PROGRAMS)

CASE NO. 2017-00441

ORDER

Pursuant to the procedural schedules established by the Commission's Orders entered January 4, 2018, and April 3, 2018, the parties were afforded an opportunity to engage in discovery, file testimony, and then file a request for either an evidentiary hearing or for the submission of the case upon the record. All parties, except the Metropolitan Housing Coalition ("MHC"), requested the submission of the case on the record. MHC requests an evidentiary hearing or, in the alternative, an opportunity to issue data requests to the applicants, Louisville Gas and Electric Company and Kentucky Utilities Company (jointly "LG&E/KU") on their rebuttal testimony, followed by simultaneous briefs and simultaneous reply briefs. LG&E/KU filed a response stating that they do not object to MHC's alternative request for additional discovery on rebuttal, followed by briefs, but only if the case is then submitted on the record without an evidentiary hearing.

Having reviewed MHC's request and LG&E/KU's response and being otherwise sufficiently advised, the Commission finds good cause to allow the parties an opportunity

to file data requests related to the LG&E/KU rebuttal testimony, followed by two rounds of simultaneous briefs. However, the Commission reserves the right to schedule an evidentiary hearing on its own motion if needed based on the responses to the data requests or the parties' briefs.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. MHC's request for additional discovery and a briefing schedule is granted.

2. Requests for information to LG&E/KU on their rebuttal testimony shall be filed no later than June 7, 2018.

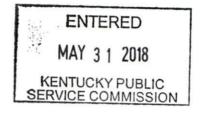
3. LG&E/KU shall file responses to requests for information on their rebuttal testimony no later than June 14, 2018.

4. Initial briefs, if any, shall be filed no later than June 26, 2018.

5. Reply briefs, if any, shall be filed no later than July 9, 2018.

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