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Mr. Bobby Estes 538 Yates Chapel Road Cecilia, Kentucky 42727

Subject: Case Nos. 2005-00142 and 2005-00152

Dear Mr. Estes:

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Subject: Case Nos. 2005-00142 and 2005-00152

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> Gregory Coker Commissioner

Mr. George Hager 700 Flaherty Road Ekron, Kentucky 40117

Subject: Case Nos. 2005-00142 and 2005-00152

Dear Mr. Hager:

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Messrs. Charles and Lamar Jones 1475 Flaherty Road Ekron, Kentucky 40117

Subject: Case Nos. 2005-00142 and 2005-00152

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> **Gregory Coker** Commissioner

Mr. W. D. Cowherd 81 Spring Drive Elizabethtown, Kentucky 42701

Subject: Case Nos. 2005-00142 and 2005-00152

Dear Mr. Cowherd:

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May 23, 2005

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> **Gregory Coker** Commissioner

Ms. Sabe Gibson 974 Cow Branch Road West Point, Kentucky 40177

Subject: Case Nos. 2005-00142 and 2005-00152

Dear Ms. Gibson:

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Mr. Sam Coyle 1481 Blueball Church Road Elizabethtown, Kentucky 42701

Subject: Case Nos. 2005-00142 and 2005-00152

Dear Mr. Coyle:

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Mr. Thomas Renfro 1733 Weavers Run Road West Point, Kentucky 40177

Subject: Case Nos. 2005-00142 and 2005-00152

Dear Mr. Renfro:

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Mr. Floyd Dodson 1788 Bethlehem Academy Road Cecilia, Kentucky 42724

Subject: Case Nos. 2005-00142 and 2005-00152

Dear Mr. Dodson:

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Mr. William Kephart 108040 Rineyville Big Springs Road Rineyville, Kentucky 40162

Subject: Case Nos. 2005-00142 and 2005-00152

Dear Mr. Kephart:

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Ms. Lizzie Bewley 5131 Salt River Road Rineyville, Kentucky 40162

Subject: Case Nos. 2005-00142 and 2005-00152

Dear Ms. Bewley:

This letter is in response to your letter of May 18, 2005, in which you requested a public hearing in Case Nos. 2005-00142 and 2005-00152. You have given a Rineyville, Kentucky, return address on your letter, but at this point we have no information that you own property in Trimble County.

Pursuant to Kentucky Revised Statute (KRS) 278.020(8), you have the right to request a hearing in Case No. 2005-00142, in which Louisville Gas and Electric Company (LG&E) and Kentucky Utilities Company (KU) propose to build a transmission line that runs through Hardin County. This case is an application to the Public Service Commission for approval of that line. Your letter has been added to the file in that case, and you will be notified when a local hearing is scheduled.

Case No. 2005-00152 is an application by the Illinois Municipal Electric Agency and the Indiana Municipal Power Agency to partner with LG&E and KU in building an additional coal generating unit at their Trimble County plant location. This case seeks approval of that project from the Kentucky State Board on Electric Generation and Transmission Siting (Siting Board). Under the terms of KRS 278.712(1), however, the only people who may request a local hearing in a case before the Siting Board are "interested persons that reside in a county or municipal corporation in which the facility is proposed to be constructed." If you do not reside in Trimble County, the General Assembly has not authorized you to formally request a hearing in this case. Nevertheless, the Siting Board may well receive sufficient local requests for a hearing to schedule one, and the statute does not restrict who may appear and testify at that hearing. You should note, however, that the issues the Siting Board is authorized to consider are limited. The Siting Board statutes, KRS 278.700-278.716, are accessible at <a href="http://www.lrc.state.ky.us/krs/278-00/chapter.htm">http://www.lrc.state.ky.us/krs/278-00/chapter.htm</a>, and you may want to especially consider the grounds on which the Siting Board is to make its decision, which are enumerated in KRS 278.710, <a href="http://www.lrc.state.ky.us/krs/278-00/710.pdf">http://www.lrc.state.ky.us/krs/278-00/710.pdf</a>.

Thank you for your continuing interest in these cases. Your letter has been added to both case files.

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Mr. Randell Pace 648 Cow Branch Road West Point, Kentucky 40177

Subject: Case Nos. 2005-00142 and 2005-00152

Dear Mr. Pace:

This letter is in response to your letter of May 18, 2005, in which you requested a public hearing in Case Nos. 2005-00142 and 2005-00152. You have given a West Point, Kentucky, return address on your letter, but at this point we have no information that you own property in Trimble County.

Pursuant to Kentucky Revised Statute (KRS) 278.020(8), you have the right to request a hearing in Case No. 2005-00142, in which Louisville Gas and Electric Company (LG&E) and Kentucky Utilities Company (KU) propose to build a transmission line that runs through Hardin County. This case is an application to the Public Service Commission for approval of that line. Your letter has been added to the file in that case, and you will be notified when a local hearing is scheduled.

Case No. 2005-00152 is an application by the Illinois Municipal Electric Agency and the Indiana Municipal Power Agency to partner with LG&E and KU in building an additional coal generating unit at their Trimble County plant location. This case seeks approval of that project from the Kentucky State Board on Electric Generation and Transmission Siting (Siting Board). Under the terms of KRS 278.712(1), however, the only people who may request a local hearing in a case before the Siting Board are "interested persons that reside in a county or municipal corporation in which the facility is proposed to be constructed." If you do not reside in Trimble County, the General Assembly has not authorized you to formally request a hearing in this case. Nevertheless, the Siting Board may well receive sufficient local requests for a hearing to schedule one, and the statute does not restrict who may appear and testify at that hearing. You should note, however, that the issues the Siting Board is authorized to consider are limited. The Siting Board statutes, KRS 278.700-278.716, are accessible at http://www.lrc.state.ky.us/krs/278-00/chapter.htm, and you may want to especially consider the grounds on which the Siting Board is to make its decision, which are enumerated in KRS 278.710, http://www.lrc.state.ky.us/krs/278-00/710.pdf.

Thank you for your continuing interest in these cases. Your letter has been added to both case files.

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Gregory Coker Commissioner

Mr. Jerry Sipes 1299 Bee Knob Hill Road Ekron, Kentucky 40117

Subject: Case Nos. 2005-00142 and 2005-00152

Dear Mr. Sipes:

This letter is in response to your letter of May 18, 2005, in which you requested a public hearing in Case Nos. 2005-00142 and 2005-00152. You have given an Ekron, Kentucky, return address on your letter, but at this point we have no information that you own property in Trimble County.

Pursuant to Kentucky Revised Statute (KRS) 278.020(8), you have the right to request a hearing in Case No. 2005-00142, in which Louisville Gas and Electric Company (LG&E) and Kentucky Utilities Company (KU) propose to build a transmission line that runs through Meade County. This case is an application to the Public Service Commission for approval of that line. Your letter has been added to the file in that case, and you will be notified when a local hearing is scheduled.

Case No. 2005-00152 is an application by the Illinois Municipal Electric Agency and the Indiana Municipal Power Agency to partner with LG&E and KU in building an additional coal generating unit at their Trimble County plant location. This case seeks approval of that project from the Kentucky State Board on Electric Generation and Transmission Siting (Siting Board). Under the terms of KRS 278.712(1), however, the only people who may request a local hearing in a case before the Siting Board are "interested persons that reside in a county or municipal corporation in which the facility is proposed to be constructed." If you do not reside in Trimble County, the General Assembly has not authorized you to formally request a hearing in this case. Nevertheless, the Siting Board may well receive sufficient local requests for a hearing to schedule one, and the statute does not restrict who may appear and testify at that hearing. You should note, however, that the issues the Siting Board is authorized to consider are limited. The Siting Board statutes, KRS 278.700-278.716, are accessible at <a href="http://www.lrc.state.ky.us/krs/278-00/chapter.htm">http://www.lrc.state.ky.us/krs/278-00/chapter.htm</a>, and you may want to especially consider the grounds on which the Siting Board is to make its decision, which are enumerated in KRS 278.710, <a href="http://www.lrc.state.ky.us/krs/278-00/710.pdf">http://www.lrc.state.ky.us/krs/278-00/710.pdf</a>.

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Sincerely

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