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Ms. Talina Rose Matthews  
Executive Director  
Kentucky Public Service Commission  
211 Sower Boulevard  
Frankfort, Kentucky 40602-0615

**Re: Case No. 2016-00312  
In the Matter of the Application of Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc., for  
Deviation from Affiliate Pricing Requirements**

Dear Ms. Matthews:

Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc. hereby submits its *Application of Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc., for Deviation from Affiliate Pricing Requirements and to Amend Existing Service Agreements to Include Piedmont Natural Gas Company as Party* electronically pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001(8). One (1) paper copy will be filed with the Commission via overnight mail. I certify that the electronic documents are true and accurate copies of the original documents.

Thank you for your assistance with this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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