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Ms. Sandra Meyer, President  
Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc.  
139 East Fourth Street  
Cincinnati, Ohio 45202

RE: Case No. 2006-00172  
Filing Deficiencies

Dear Ms. Meyer:

Commission staff has reviewed your application in the above case. This filing is rejected for the reason set out below. This item is either required to be filed with the application or to be referenced in the application if it is already on file with the Commission in another case.

Pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, Section 10(1)(b)(8), An application requesting a general adjustment in existing rates shall include: The utility's proposed tariff changes, identified in compliance with 807 KAR 5:011, shown either by: (a) Providing the present and proposed tariffs in comparative form on the same sheet side by side or on facing sheets side by side; or (b) Providing a copy of the present tariff indicating proposed additions by italicized inserts or underscoring and striking over proposed deletions.

The proposed tariff changes set forth at Schedules L-2.1 and L-2.2 do not present the present and proposed tariff changes in either (a) comparative form on the same sheet side by side or facing sheets side by side; or (b) a copy of the present tariff indicating the proposed additions by italicized inserts or underscoring and striking over proposed deletions.

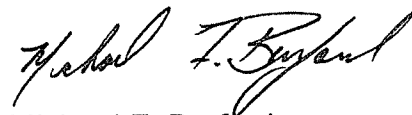
In addition, we note that the proposed tariff, set forth at Schedule L-1 and filed in compliance with Commission regulation 807 KAR 5:001, Section 10(1)(b)(7), does not contain an effective date. If you decide to implement your proposed tariff prior to the conclusion of the Commission's review thereof, you will have to refile your tariff with an effective date in accordance with KRS 278.180.

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The statutory time period in which the Commission must process this case will not commence until the above-mentioned information is filed with the Commission. If your filing contains a proposed effective date, the rejection of your filing for reasons of deficiencies voids that proposed effective date. When you file the required information to correct the deficiencies, you may refile your proposed tariff with a new proposed effective date that is at least 30 days from the date you file the required information. You are requested to file 10 copies of this information within 15 days of this letter.

If you need further assistance, please contact Isaac Scott at (502) 564-3940.

Sincerely,



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Director  
Division of Filings

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cc: Honorable John Finnigan, Jr.