

A Touchstone Energy Cooperative

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Ms. Elizabeth O'Donnell Executive Director Kentucky Public Service Commission 211 Sower Boulevard, P.O. Box 615 Frankfort, Kentucky 40602-0615

# Re: PSC Case No. 2006-00547

Dear Ms. O'Donnell:

In accordance with the Commission's Order in Case No. 2006-00547 dated September 18, 2007, enclosed herewith are an original and six (6) copies of Inter-County Energy Cooperative tariff sheet for the Touchstone Energy Home Program which shows the effective date and approval by authority of the Order.

Please return a stamped copy of this tariff to me.

If you have any questions about this filing, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

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James L. Jacobus President/CEO

Enclosures

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## **INTER-COUNTY ENERGY COOPERATIVE**

### **Touchstone Energy Home Program**

#### **Purpose**

The Touchstone Energy Home Program ("Program") is a conservation program that encourages the sale of more energy-efficient homes. It is based on *Energy Star* standards for homes, a nationally recognized symbol of energy efficiency and quality developed and operated jointly by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE).

#### **Availability**

This program is available in all service territory served by Inter-County Energy Cooperative.

#### **Eligibility**

To qualify as a Touchstone Energy Home under this program, the participating home must be located in the service territory of Inter-County Energy Cooperative and meet the *Energy Star* standards by including additional floor, wall and ceiling insulation, double pane windows and an electric heat pump.

#### **Rebate**

East Kentucky Power Cooperative, Inc. ("EKPC") and Inter-County Energy Cooperative will provide an incentive to retail customers to build or purchase a Touchstone Energy home. Inter-County Energy Cooperative may elect to offer a rebate of up to \$250 for each participant. EKPC will match the rebate offered by the member system cooperative up to a maximum of \$250, resulting in a maximum rebate of \$500 for each participant. Rebates will be paid to each participant upon written certification that the newly constructed home has met the *Energy Star* standards.

#### **Annual Reports**

Inter-County Energy Cooperative, in coordination with East Kentucky Power Cooperative, Inc., will submit annual reports on the Program that contain the number of participants, the annual costs, including the costs of the rebates, and the status of the rebate provision. Inter-County Energy Cooperative, in coordination with EKPC, will file the first report by June 30, 2008, and annually thereafter if the Program is continued beyond 2009.

#### <u>Term</u>

The Touchstone Energy Home Program will remain in effect through 2009. If Inter-County Energy Cooperative should decide to continue the entire program beyond 2009, an application for approval from the Kentucky Public Service Commission will be filed, in coordination with EKPC, 6 months prior to the date of continuation.

DATE OF ISSUE <u>November 30, 2007</u> DATE EFFECTIVE: Service Rendered On and After September 18, 2007
ISSUED BY Ann L. Australian TITLE President & Chief Executive Officer
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Issued by authority of an Order of the Public Service Commission of Kentucky in Case No. 2006-00547
Dated September 18, 2007