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November 29, 2010

RE: *NORMAN D. VERNON COMPLAINANT V. LOUISVILLE GAS AND
ELECTRIC COMPANY DEFENDANT*
CASE NO. 2010-00130

Dear Mr. DeRouen:

Enclosed please find an original and ten (10) copies of the Reply of Louisville Gas and Electric Company to the Complainant's Letter of November 19, 2010 in the above-referenced proceeding.

A copy is being mailed to the Complainant.

Please contact me if you have any questions concerning this filing.

Sincerely,

Rick E. Lovekamp

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

NORMAN D. VERNON)	
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COMPLAINANT)	
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v.)	CASE NO.
)	2010-00130
LOUISVILLE GAS AND ELECTRIC)	
COMPANY)	
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DEFENDANT)	

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RESPONSE OF
LOUISVILLE GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY
TO COMMENTS OF MR. VERNON

In accordance with the Kentucky Public Service Commission’s (“Commission”) Order of November 9, 2010 in the above-captioned proceeding, Louisville Gas and Electric Company (“LG&E” or the “Company”) respectfully submits this Response to the Comments filed by Norman D. Vernon (“Mr. Vernon”) on November 19, 2010.

In Mr. Vernon’s comments, he questions the historic information retained by LG&E. Based upon a review of the Company’s records, LG&E was able to locate consumption information on Mr. Vernon’s account back to 2006, although billing and payment information is available back to 1998.

While Mr. Vernon apparently attributes a change in gas usage to the replacement of his meter, LG&E again notes that his meter was tested on February 10, 2009 as part of

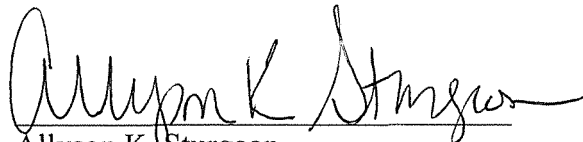
the Company's sample meter test program. The meter was shown to be operating within acceptable limits. Under the filed rate doctrine, LG&E is required to charge its customers rates based upon the amount of gas they use. In the absence of any evidence that the meter was not operating properly, LG&E must charge Mr. Vernon in accordance with its tariffs on file with the Kentucky Public Service Commission. See *In the Matter of: James R. and Charlene Smith v. Louisville Gas and Electric Company*, Case No. 1998-00211, Order of September 25, 1998. LG&E further states that the information filed in this proceeding demonstrates that Mr. Vernon's bills were correct and therefore believes the Complaint should be dismissed.

WHEREFORE, for all of the reasons set forth above, Louisville Gas and Electric Company respectfully requests:

- (1) that the Complaint herein be dismissed without further action taken by the Commission;
- (2) that this matter be closed on the Commission's docket; and
- (3) that LG&E be afforded any and all other relief to which it may be entitled.

Dated: November 29, 2010

Respectfully submitted,



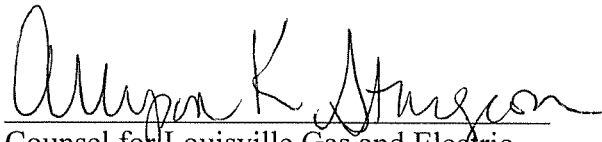
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Answer was served on the following on the 29th day of November, 2010, U.S. mail, postage prepaid:

Norman D. Vernon
116 Cherry Hills Lane
Louisville, Kentucky 40245

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Allison K. Anderson". The signature is written in a cursive style and is positioned above a horizontal line.

Counsel for Louisville Gas and Electric
Company