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RE: Case No. 2013-00333
Purchase Public Service Corporation
Paducah-McCracken County Joint Sewer Agency

The Commission staff has reviewed the application in the above case and finds that it meets the minimum filing requirements and has been accepted for filing.

Enclosed please find a stamped filed copy of the first page of your filing. This case has been docketed and will be processed as expeditiously as possible.

If you need further assistance, please contact my staff at 502-564-3940.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Linda Faulkner".

Linda Faulkner
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In the Matter of:

Joint Petition of the Purchase Public Service Corporation and Paducah-McCracken County Joint Sewer Agency to Approve the Transfer of Operation of the Blandville West Subdivision Wastewater Treatment Facilities to Paducah-McCracken County Joint Sewer Agency

1. JURISDICTION

The Kentucky Public Service Commission (PSC) has jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to KRS 278.010 and KRS 278.020(5).

2. PETITIONERS

a. Purchase Public Service Corporation ("PPSC") is a not-for-profit Kentucky corporation, with a post office address of P.O. Box 5100, 1002 Medical Drive, Mayfield Kentucky 42006. PPSC provides wastewater treatment as authorized by the Kentucky Public Service Commission. A copy of PPSC's Articles of Incorporation are of record in Case Number 2012-00212 and incorporated herein by reference.

b. Paducah-McCracken County Joint Sewer Agency ("JSA") is a body politic created by the City of Paducah and McCracken County, Kentucky pursuant to KRS Chapter 76 through the passage of identical enacting ordinances on July 1, 1999. JSA's address is 621 Northview Street, Paducah, Kentucky 42001. A copy of the Enacting Ordinance, is attached hereto, and incorporated herein by reference as Exhibit "A."

3. TRANSFER AGREEMENT

Subject to the approval of the PSC, and other regulatory agencies, PPSC entered into a transfer agreement with JSA, dated August 9, 2013, wherein PPSC agreed to assign and transfer to JSA its wastewater treatment facilities in the Blandville West subdivision in McCracken County, (hereinafter collectively referred to as the "District") consisting of all assets, rights, privileges, debts and liabilities of every nature and wheresoever situated. Provided, however, that PPSC will retain responsibility for decommissioning the wastewater treatment plant. A true and exact copy of said agreement is attached hereto, and incorporated herein by reference as Exhibit "B." A true and exact copy of the resolutions of PPSC and JSA to consummate the transaction contemplated by such transfer agreement are attached hereto, and incorporated herein by reference as Exhibit "C."

The terms and provisions of the transfer agreement are most beneficial to the customers of District. In particular, by virtue of the transfer agreement, the customers of the Districts will realize the following benefits:

a. The transfer agreement provides that JSA will assume full responsibility for operating and maintaining the District's wastewater treatment facilities in the subject subdivisions. Therefore, the customers of District will not only realize a greater revenue base, but also will be accorded the additional