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Hon. Lindsey W. Ingram, III Stoll Keenon Ogden, PLLC 300 West Vine Street, Suite 2100 Lexington, KY 40507-1801

Re: Application of Kentucky-American Water Company for a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity Authorizing the Construction of Richmond Road Station Filter Building Improvements Case No. 2014-00258

Dear Mr. Ingram:

We acknowledge receipt of your letter of August 27, 2014 requesting that the Commission issue a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity in the above referenced case no later than January 1, 2015. The reason stated for your request is an expectation that there will be an increase next year in the cost of constructing the proposed facilities.

We will fully investigate the application in this case as expeditiously as possible to determine whether there is a need for the proposed facilities and the absence of wasteful duplication, all in accordance with statutory, regulatory, and due process requirements. Any questions please call Ann Ramser, Staff Attorney, at 502-782-2585.

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