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Dr. Talina R Mathews
Executive Director
Kentucky Public Service Commission
211 Sower Boulevard
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July 13, 2016

RE: In the matter of Louisville Gas and Electric Company Alleged Failure to
Comply with KRS 278.042
Case No. 2016-00202

Dear Dr. Mathews:

Enclosed please find and accept for filing the original and ten (10) copies of Louisville Gas and Electric Company's Response to the Commission's Order of June 23, 2016 and Motion to Suspend Hearing and Schedule Informal Conference in the above-referenced matter. Please confirm your receipt of same by placing the stamp of your Office with the date received on the two additional copies provided and return them to me in the enclosed self-addressed stamped envelope.

Should you require anything further, please contact me at your convenience.

Sincerely,

Sara Veeneman

cc: Molly Katen
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In the Matter of:

LOUISVILLE GAS AND ELECTRIC)
COMPANY)

CASE NO. 2016-00202

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ALLEGED FAILURE TO COMPLY)
WITH KRS 278.042)

RESPONSE OF LOUISVILLE GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY
TO THE COMMISSION'S ORDER OF JUNE 23, 2016
AND MOTION TO SUSPEND HEARING AND
SCHEDULE INFORMAL CONFERENCE

On June 23, 2016, the Kentucky Public Service Commission ("Commission") issued an Order directing Louisville Gas and Electric Company ("LG&E") to file a written response to the allegations contained in the Electric Utility Personal Injury Incident Report ("Report") prepared by the Commission Staff dated April 19, 2016. For its Response to the Commission's Order, LG&E states as follows:

1) LG&E admits the information contained in the sections of the Report titled "Utility," "Reported By," "Accident Occurred," "Utility Discovered," "PSC Notified," "PSC On-Site Investigation," "Utility Summary Report Received," "Type of Accident," and "Accident Location" are accurate.

2) LG&E admits the information contained in the section of the Report titled "Accident Description" is accurate.

3) LG&E admits, based on information and belief, that the information contained in the sections of that Report titled "Victim," "Witnesses," "Information From" and "Temp & Weather" are accurate.

4) With regard to the section of the Report titled "FINDINGS" LG&E denies that it committed any willful violation of KRS 278.042, the National Electric Safety Code, or the LG&E Safety Manual.

5) LG&E notes that on page 6 of the Commission's June 23, 2016 Order the reference to "0.72 voltage in kilovolts" in paragraph 3.b. should be "7.2 voltage in kilovolts."

NOW THEREFORE, LG&E requests that this case be dismissed or, in the alternative, that the hearing date set for August 9, 2016 be suspended and that an informal conference be scheduled with the Commission Staff for the purposes of discussing settlement and expediting resolution of this proceeding. LG&E's willingness to discuss settlement is not, and should not be construed as, an admission of liability or fault on its part.

Dated: July 13, 2016

Respectfully Submitted,



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify a true and accurate copy of the foregoing was sent via U.S. First Class mail to the below persons on the 13th day of July, 2016.

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