



A Touchstone Energy Cooperative 

December 1, 2014

Mr. Jeff Derouen
Kentucky Public Service Commission
211 Sower Boulevard
P.O. Box 615
Frankfort, Kentucky 40602

Re: Clark Energy Cooperative, Inc. Section DSM-10 Appliance Recycling Program (New)

Dear Mr. Derouen:

Please find enclosed for filing with the Commission, via the electronic tariff filing system, the above-referenced tariff.

Clark Energy Cooperative, Inc. is expanding its DSM program offerings by introducing the Appliance Recycling Program, a common DSM program for utilities across Kentucky and the United States, where old energy-inefficient refrigerator and freezers are picked up and recycled. The EKPC DSM Steering Committee (“Steering Committee”), a committee of EKPC owner-member cooperative (“owner-member”) staff, determined that appliance pickup and recycling is a worthwhile DSM program. Subsequently, the Steering Committee requested and received approval from EKPC executive staff and owner-member CEOs to develop and fund said program pending Commission approval.

Because the Steering Committee felt that consistency with the Louisville Gas and Electric Company and Kentucky Utilities Company (“LG&E-KU”) program would provide simplicity to its end-use cooperative members (“end-use members”) and help lower public confusion about program incentive levels, it recommended that Clark Energy Cooperative, Inc. offer a \$50 incentive per recycled appliance to match the incentive offered by LG&E-KU. The tariff details Clark Energy Cooperative, Inc. incentive level per qualifying appliance type. Also attached for your reference are the detailed program guidelines, which will be available on Clark Energy Cooperative, Inc.’s website.

EKPC issued a Request for Proposals to companies considered qualified to oversee this program. All proposals have been evaluated and EKPC is ready to contract with the successful company. Clark Energy Cooperative, Inc. will implement this program per the guidelines established by EKPC. As stated, this program is basically a duplication of the LG&E-KU appliance recycling program. The successful company will provide Clark Energy Cooperative, Inc. with the same appliance recycling services being provided to LG&E-KU.

Pursuant to KRS 278.180, Clark Energy Cooperative, Inc. must give at least 30-days’ notice to the Commission. Therefore, the proposed effective date of this program will be January 2, 2015. Pursuant to 807 KAR 5:011, Clark Energy Cooperative, Inc. has posted the requisite notice at its

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office located at 2640 Iron Works Road, Winchester, Kentucky and will post the requisite notice on its website, no later than five (5) business days from today's date, which will include a hyperlink to the Commission's website where the tariff can be found. Pursuant to 807 KAR 5:011 Section 8, Clark Energy Cooperative, Inc. provided notice of this proposed tariff to its end-use members by publishing same in Kentucky Living Magazine on December 1, 2014.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,



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Attachments