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Kendrick R. Riggs Stoll Keenon Ogden PLLC 2000 PNC Plaza 500 West Jefferson Street Louisville, KY 40202-2828

RE: KU's Petition for Confidential Protection Case No. 2004-00426

Dear Mr. Riggs:

The Commission has received your petition filed May 9, 2007, to protect as confidential certain information contained in KU's *Update Strategy* regarding projected fuel costs and other power production costs (capital, operation and maintenance). A review of the information has determined that it is entitled to the protection requested on the grounds relied upon in the petition, and it will be withheld from public inspection.

If the information becomes publicly available or no longer warrants confidential treatment, you are required by 807 KAR 5:001, Section 7(9)(a), to inform the Commission so that the information may be placed in the public record.

Sinceret Beth O'Dormell Executive Director

cc: Parties of Record



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