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**VIA OVERNIGHT MAIL**

October 31, 2006

Ms. Elizabeth O'Donnell  
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Re: In the Matter of The Annual cost Recovery Filing for Demand Side Management by The Union Light, Heat and Power Company D/B/A Duke Energy Kentucky  
Case No. 2006-00426

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Dear Ms. O'Donnell:

Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc. (formerly known as "The Union Light, Heat and Power Company") requests that the Commission schedule an informal conference on Wednesday, November 8, 2006 at 10:00 a.m. at the Commission's offices to discuss the filing in the above-referenced case.

We have conferred with the Attorney General's office, and we understand that the Attorney General's counsel is available to meet on this date.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,

John J. Finnigan, Jr.  
Associate General Counsel

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cc: Hon. Larry Cook