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October 25, 2007

RE: AN EXAMINATION OF THE APPLICATION OF THE FUEL ADJUSTMENT CLAUSE OF KENTUCKY UTILITIES COMPANY FROM NOVEMBER 1, 2006 THROUGH APRIL 30, 2007 - CASE NO. 2007-00278

Dear Ms. O'Donnell:

Enclosed please find an original and ten (10) copies of the Response of Kentucky Utilities Company to Information Requested during the Hearing on October 11, 2007.

Please contact me if you have any questions concerning this filing.

Sincerely,

Robert M. Conroy

Enclosures

### COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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RESPONSE OF
KENTUCKY UTILITIES COMPANY
TO
INFORMATION REQUESTED IN
HEARING
DATED OCTOBER 11, 2007

FILED: October 25, 2007

#### **VERIFICATION**

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY	) ) SS:
COUNTY OF JEFFERSON	)

The undersigned, **Mike Dotson**, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is Manager LG&E and KU Fuels for E.ON U.S. Services, Inc., that he has personal knowledge of the matters set forth in the responses (Question Nos. 1, and 2), and the answers contained therein are true and correct to the best of his information, knowledge and belief.

MIKE DOTSON

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a Notary Public in and before said County and State, this <u>J.54</u> day of <u>October</u>, 2007.

Vectoria B. Harper (SEAL) Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

Sept 20, 2010

#### KENTUCKY UTILITIES COMPANY

## Response to Information Requested in Hearing Dated October 11, 2007

Case No. 2007-00278

#### **Question No. 1**

Witness: Mike Dotson

Q-1. Please provide a copy of the Weir International, Inc. review/report referenced in KU's Response to Information Requested in Appendix A of the Commission's Order dated August 3, 2007, Question No. 10.

#### A-1. Consol claim on KUF03904

Per review of the claim, Consol had based their cost on a mine that was not an approved source of coal under the Agreement. Per letter dated September 14, 2007, KU notified Consol that it was unable to verify that the supply of coal was from an approved source, was immediately suspending payment on the claim, and reserved the right to recover any overpayments that may have been made subject to Consol providing a claim based on the coal that was actually sourced under our contract.

Per letter dated September 26, 2007 Consol notified KU that the coal was being supplied by contractor operated mines under our contract and that Consol was unable to determine the cost impact, therefore, Consol retracted its claim and refunded all monies paid to date.

#### Consol claim on KUF05039

Weir International is working on a draft report at this time. We will provide a copy of the report, under petition for confidential treatment, within ten business days of receiving the final report.

### KENTUCKY UTILITIES COMPANY

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### Question No. 2

Witness: Mike Dotson

- Q-2. Please provide an unredacted copy of the information provided pursuant to the Motion for Confidential Treatment filed in response to Question No. 17 of the Information Requested in Appendix A of the Commission's Order dated August 3, 2007.
- A-2. The requested information is being provided pursuant to the Motion for Confidential Treatment filed on August 24, 2007, and approved by this Commission on August 29, 2007.