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RE: Case No. 2007-00511 Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc. (Purchased Gas Adjustment)

Purchase Gas Adjustment

This letter is to acknowledge receipt of initial application in the above case. The application was date-stamped received and has been assigned Case No. 2007-00511. In all future correspondence or filings in connection with this case, please reference the above case number.

If you need further assistance, please contact Dawn McGee at (502) 564-3940 ext. 243.

Sincerely,

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