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PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

VIA HAND DELIVERY

Stephanie L. Stumbo Executive Director Kentucky Public Service Commission 211 Sower Boulevard Frankfort, KY 40601

RE: <u>Application of Louisville Gas and Electric Company to File Depreciation Study</u>
Case No. 2007-00564

Dear Ms. Stumbo:

Enclosed please find and accept for filing the original and ten copies of Louisville Gas and Electric Company's Motion for Extension of Time to File Rebuttal Testimony in the above-referenced matter. Please confirm your receipt of this filing by placing the stamp of your Office with the date received on the enclosed additional copies and return them to me in the enclosed self-addressed stamped envelope.

Should you have any questions please contact me at your convenience.

Yours very truly,

W. Duncan Crosby III

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cc: Parties of Record

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

APPLICATION OF LOUISVILLE GAS AND)
ELECTRIC COMPANY TO FILE) CASE NO. 2007-00564
DEPRECIATION STUDY)

MOTION OF LOUISVILLE GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME IN WHICH TO FILE REBUTTAL TESTIMONY

Louisville Gas and Electric Company ("LG&E") respectfully moves the Public Service Commission of Kentucky ("Commission") to issue an order granting LG&E through and including July 14, 2008, to file its rebuttal testimony. In support of this motion, LG&E states as follows:

On June 20, 2008, the Commission issued an Order permitting LG&E to file rebuttal testimony in this proceeding by Friday, July 11, 2008. LG&E's expert witness in fact prepared such testimony, a signed scanned copy of which LG&E's counsel e-mailed to the appropriate counsel from the Office of the Attorney General for the Commonwealth of Kentucky, Office of Rate Intervention ("AG"), as well as to the appropriate Commission Staff counsel, at 1:49 p.m. on July 11, 2008. Unfortunately, the courier who was to file the required hard copies of the rebuttal testimony with the Commission that day accidentally picked up the wrong package from LG&E and did not discover the error until arriving at the Commission too late in the afternoon on July 11, 2008, to make a return trip with the correct package. Shortly after learning of the error, LG&E's counsel notified the AG and Commission Staff counsel by e-mail.

Because the Commission Staff and the only intervenor in this proceeding, the AG, timely received signed electronic copies of LG&E's rebuttal testimony, and because the lack of timely filing of hard copies of LG&E's rebuttal testimony was the product of accident, not an attempt to

delay or obstruct this proceeding, LG&E respectfully moves the Commission to enter an Order granting LG&E through the end of the day on Monday, July 14, 2008, to file its rebuttal testimony.

LG&E has consulted with the AG which has authorized LG&E to state that the AG agrees to the requested extension.

WHEREFORE, Louisville Gas and Electric Company respectfully requests that the Commission issue an order granting LG&E through and including July 14, 2008, to file its rebuttal testimony.

Dated: July 14, 2008

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Motion for Extension of Time was sent to the following parties of record by U.S. mail, postage prepaid, on this 14th day of July, 2008.

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