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RE: Case No. 2008-00498

Ledbetter Water District - General Rates

Filing Deficiencies

The Commission staff has determined that your application in the above case now meets the minimum filing requirements. Enclosed please find a stamped filed copy of the first page of your filing. This case has been docketed and will be processed as expeditiously as possible.

If you need further assistance, please contact my staff at 502-564-3940.

Sincerely,

Ryan Gatewood

Filings Division Director

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IN THE MATTER OF:

THE APPLICATION OF THE LEDBETTER WATER DISTRICT FOR APPROVAL OF INCREASED RATES FOR WATER SERVICE

) CASE NO. 2008-<u>004</u>98

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STATEMENT AND NOTICE

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Ledbetter Water District ("Ledbetter"), by counsel, pursuant to KRS 278.180 and KRS 278.190, hereby petitions the Commission for approval of a proposed increase in its water rates and charges. In support of its application, Ledbetter respectfully states as follows:

- 1. Ledbetter is a non-profit water district that has been engaged in the distribution and sale of water. It currently provides water service to approximately 1,237 customers in Livingston County in Kentucky. Ledbetter is organized under KRS Chapter 74. Ledbetter's principal office, place of business, and mailing address is 1483 U.S. 60 West, P.O. Box 123, Ledbetter, Kentucky 42058.
- 2. The proposed increase in the rates and charges is necessary for Ledbetter to meet its operating expenses, to maintain financial viability, and to continue to provide adequate service.
- 3. As authorized by KRS 278.192 (1), and for the purpose of justifying the reasonableness of the proposed general increase in rates, Ledbetter has utilized an historical test period consisting of the twelve (12) consecutive calendar months ending December 31, 2006.