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VIA OVERNIGHT DELIVERY

December 10, 2009

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PUBLIC SERVICE
COMMISSION

Mr. Jeff Derouen
Executive Director
Kentucky Public Service Commission
211 Sower Blvd
Frankfort, KY 40601

Re: Case No. 2009-00202

Dear Mr. Derouen:

Enclosed please find an original affidavit and newspaper notice, one each from three separate newspapers, to be filed as proof of publication of the hearing date in Case No. 2009-00202. The legal notice was published in *The Kentucky Enquirer* on November 30, 2009, in the *Falmouth Outlook* on December 1, 2009 and in the *Grant County News* on December 3, 2009.

Please date-stamp the extra two copies of this letter and return to me in the enclosed envelope.

Sincerely,

Dianne B. Kuhnell
Senior Paralegal

Affidavit of Publication

Publisher's Fee

\$230.85

Affidavit Charge

\$10.00

State of Ohio }
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Hamilton County }

Personally appeared _ Robyn Hyde

Of The Enquirer, a newspaper printed in Cincinnati, Ohio and published in Cincinnati, in said County and State, and of general circulation in said county, who being duly sworn, deposes and saith that the advertisement of which the annexed is a true copy, has been published in said newspaper _1_ time, once in each issue as follows:

11/30/09

- Cincinnati Enquirer
- X Kentucky Enquirer
- X Cincinnati.Com

Robyn Hyde

AFFIANT
Sworn to before me this

12/8/09

Doris Thomas

Notary Public of Ohio

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that the Kentucky Public Service Commission has scheduled a public hearing in a case styled "In the Matter of An Adjustment of the Gas Rates of Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc.," Case No. 2009-00202, beginning Tuesday, December 15, 2009 at 10:00 a.m., Eastern Daylight Saving Time, in Hearing Room 1 at the Commission's offices, 211 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky for the purpose of cross-examination of witnesses.



Doris Thomas
Notary Public, State of Ohio
My Commission Expires 02-21-2012

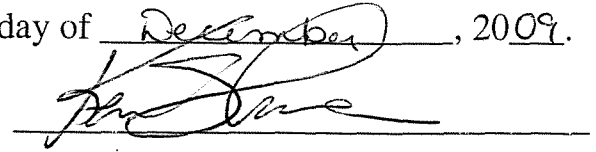
Grant County News
129 S. Main Street, Dry Ridge, Kentucky 41035
P.O. Box 247, Williamstown, Kentucky 41097

The affiant, Ken Stone, publisher or proprietor of the Grant County News, Dry Ridge, Kentucky, after being duly sworn and cautioned does depose and states the following:

That the Grant County News is a newspaper printed and published in the State of Kentucky, and of general circulation in the County or Counties of Grant.

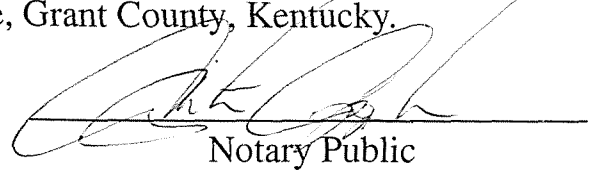
That the attached Legal Notice was duly published in the Grant County News on December 3, 2009.

Done at Williamstown, Kentucky, this 3 day of December, 2009.



STATE OF KENTUCKY
COUNTY OF GRANT

Subscribed and sworn to before me by Ken Stone, this 3^d day of December, 2009, at Dry Ridge, Grant County, Kentucky.



Notary Public

My commission expires 13 Aug 2013.

The Falmouth Outlook
210 Main Street
Falmouth, KY 41040

AFFIDAVIT

The affiant, Deborrah A. Dennie, publisher or proprietor of The Falmouth Outlook, Falmouth, Kentucky, after being duly sworn and cautioned does depose and states the following:

That The Falmouth Outlook is a newspaper printed and published in the State of Kentucky, and of general circulation in the County or Counties of Pendleton.

That the attached Legal Notice was Duly Published in The Falmouth Outlook on December 1, 2009.

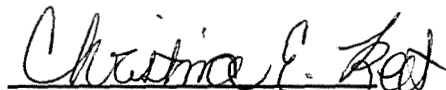
Done at Falmouth, Kentucky, this 1 day of December, 2009.



Publisher or Proprietor

STATE OF KENTUCKY
COUNTY OF PENDLETON

Subscribed and sworn to before me by Deborrah A. Dennie, this 1 day of December, 2009, at Falmouth, Pendleton County, Kentucky.


Notary Public

My Commission expires 08/02/2011