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RE: Case No. 2009-00459

Dear Mr. and Ms. Sturgill:

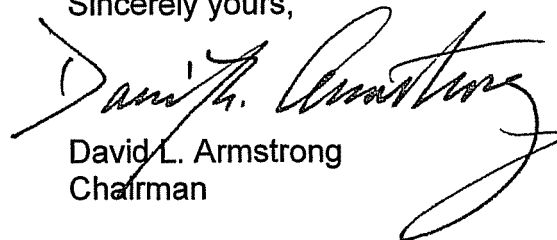
Thank you for your letter regarding the Kentucky Power Company's rate case.

As you might understand, because this is a matter currently pending before the Kentucky Public Service Commission, and because I am one of the three decision makers in this case, I am unable to comment at this time on any aspect of the case.

However, I am very appreciative that you would take the time to write the Commission and advise us of your concerns regarding this matter.

Please be sure that we will do everything in our power to ensure that this case is resolved in a fashion that is fair and equitable to all parties.

Sincerely yours,



David L. Armstrong
Chairman