

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matters of:

ELECTRONIC APPLICATION OF KENTUCKY)
UTILITIES COMPANY FOR AN ADJUSTMENT OF)
ITS ELECTRIC RATES, A CERTIFICATE OF)
PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY TO) CASE NO.
DEPLOY ADVANCED METERING) 2020-00349
INFRASTRUCTURE, APPROVAL OF CERTAIN)
REGULATORY AND ACCOUNTING)
TREATMENTS, AND ESTABLISHMENT OF A)
ONE-YEAR SURCREDIT)

ELECTRONIC APPLICATION OF LOUISVILLE)
GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY FOR AN)
ADJUSTMENT OF ITS ELECTRIC AND GAS)
RATES, A CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC) CASE NO.
CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY TO DEPLOY) 2020-00350
ADVANCED METERING INFRASTRUCTURE,)
APPROVAL OF CERTAIN REGULATORY AND)
ACCOUNTING TREATMENTS, AND)
ESTABLISHMENT OF A ONE-YEAR SURCREDIT)

ORDER

The matter is before the Commission upon a joint motion submitted by Kentucky Utilities Company (KU) and Louisville Gas and Electric Company (LG&E) (collectively, KU/LG&E) seeking an enlargement of time to file their next annual RTO Membership Analysis. In the final Orders in Case Nos. 2018-00294 and 2018-00295, KU and LG&E were directed to file an updated RTO Membership Analysis annually and to submit such updates to the Commission as part of their annual reports, which are due by March 31st

of each year.¹ In subsequent orders in those cases, KU/LG&E were directed to file their annual RTO Membership Analysis by October 31 of each year, with exception of the years the Commission directed that the analysis be filed in conjunction with their triennial Integrated Resource Plan filings.² KU/LG&E now move for an extension of time until November 14, 2022, to file their RTO Membership Analysis for this year, stating that they have worked diligently to finalize their analysis, but their efforts have not yet been concluded due to significant workload and schedule constraints.

Having reviewed the record and being otherwise sufficiently advised, the Commission finds good cause to grant the extension in this instance. However, the Commission cautions KU/LG&E about such extension requests in the future because KU/LG&E have a full year to update their analysis; thus, a timely filing should be possible. Further, KU/LG&E should not wait until one business day before a document is due to request an extension.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. KU/LG&E's motion for an extension of time to file their RTO Membership Analysis is granted.
2. KU/LG&E shall have up to and including November 14, 2022, to file their 2022 RTO Membership Analysis.

¹ Case No. 2018-00294, *Electronic Application of Kentucky Utilities Company for an Adjustment of Its Electric Rates* (Ky. PSC Apr. 30, 2019), Order; Case No. 2018-00295, *Electronic Application of Louisville Gas and Electric Company for an Adjustment of Its Electric Rates* (Ky. PSC Apr. 30, 2019), Order.

² Case No. 2018-00294 (Ky. PSC Mar. 22, 2021), Order; Case No. 2018-00295 (Ky. PSC Mar. 22, 2021), Order.

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