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April 17, 2013

LG&E and KU Energy LLC Attention: Allyson K. Sturgeon 220 West Main Street Louisville, Kentucky 40202

Re:

Louisville Gas and Electric Company

Petition for Confidential Treatment received 9/13/12

PSC Reference - Case No. 2012-00103

Dear Ms. Sturgeon:

The Public Service Commission has received the Petition for Confidential Treatment you filed on September 13, 2012 on behalf of Louisville Gas and Electric Company ("LG&E") to protect certain information filed with the Commission as confidential pursuant to Section 13 of 807 KAR 5:001 and KRS 61.878. The information you seek to have treated as confidential is identified as being contained in LG&E's response to Commission Order dated August 22, 2012, which you have requested to be held confidential in its entirety. The information is described as mapping reports, construction job cards, training documents, and names, telephone numbers and identification numbers of LG&E employees, contractors and customers.

Your justification for having the Commission handle this material as confidential is that the public disclosure of the information could result in an unfair commercial advantage to competitors, unwarranted invasion of personal privacy, and disclosure of infrastructure materials could result in a threat to public safety.

Based on a review of the information and pursuant to KRS 61.878 and 807 KAR 5:001, Section 13, the Commission has determined as follows:

(1) Personal information of LG&E employees, contractors and customers, as well as infrastructure (Mapping) information contained on the construction cards can be redacted and therefore does not meet the criteria



for confidential protection and is hereby **DENIED**. LG&E should submit a redacted version of this filing to be placed in the public record within 20 days.

(2) Information contained in the safety training documents does meet the criteria for confidential protection and therefore confidentiality is hereby **GRANTED.** 

The information denied confidentiality will be withheld from public inspection for 20 days from the date of this letter. If you disagree with the Commission's decision, you may seek rehearing with the Commission within 20 days of the date of this letter under the provisions of KRS 278.400.

The information listed above that has been granted confidential protection will be maintained as a nonpublic part of the Commission's file in this case. The procedure for usage of confidential materials during formal proceedings may be found at Section 13(9) of 807 KAR 5:001.

If the information becomes publicly available or no longer warrants confidential treatment, Kentucky Utilities Company and Louisville Gas and Electric Company are required by Section 13(10)(c) of 807 KAR 5:001 to inform the Commission so that the information may be placed in the public record.

Sincerely

Executive Director

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