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KY PSC Plans Public Comment Meetings for LGE/KU Joint Application for a Certificate of Public Convenience & Necessity

FRANKFORT, Ky. (June 26, 2025) – The Kentucky Public Service Commission will hold a series of public comment hearings to provide an opportunity for the public to give comments regarding Louisville Gas & Electric (LG&E) and Kentucky Utilities' (KU) joint application seeking approval for Certificates of Public Convenience and Necessity (CPCN) for the construction of two approximately 645 MW net summer rating natural gas combined cycle combustion turbine (NGCC) facilities. One of the units will be located at KU's E.W. Brown Generating Station in Mercer County, Kentucky (Brown 12) and the other will be located at LG&E's Mill Creek Generating Station in Jefferson County, Kentucky (Mill Creek 6). The projects also include on-site natural gas and electric transmission construction associated with those facilities.

Also, in the application the companies ask to construct a 400 MW, 4-hour 1600 megawatt hour (MWh)) lithium-ion battery energy storage system (BESS) facility at LG&E's Cane Run Generation Station in Jefferson County, Kentucky (Cane Run BESS). Further, KU askes for a CPCN to construct a selective catalytic reduction (SCR) facility at its Ghent Generating Station in Carroll County, Kentucky for Ghent 2.

The PSC will hold two public comment hearings to provide a local opportunity for public comment. The meetings will be held at the following times and locations:

• **Lexington**: Monday, July 7 at 6:00 pm. Location: Bluegrass Community & Technical College, 164 Opportunity Way, Lexington, KY 40511



 Louisville: Monday, July 14 at 6:00 pm. Location: Jefferson Community & Technical College, 1000 Community College Dr, Louisville, KY 40272

Comments can be submitted at any time at https://psc.ky.gov/Case/SearchCasesPublicComments, emailed to PSC.comment@ky.gov, or mailed to 211 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, KY 40601. All comments should include the commenter's name, address, and the case number.

The complete application, a description of the review process, mitigation measures and conditions, public comments, and other case filings are available at https://psc.ky.gov/Case/ViewCaseFilings/2025-00045.

LG&E and KU are regulated utilities that serve more than 1.3 million customers. LG&E serves 335,000 natural gas and 436,000 electric customers in Louisville and 16 surrounding counties. KU serves 545,000 customers in 77 Kentucky counties and 28,000 customers in five counties in Virginia.

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