COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

APPLICATION OF LOUISVILLE GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY FOR AN ORDER APPROVING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A REGULATORY ASSET)))	CASE NO. 2008-00456
APPLICATION OF KENTUCKY UTILITIES COMPANY FOR AN ORDER APPROVING THE)	CASE NO. 2008-00457
ESTABLISHMENT OF A REGULATORY ASSET	1	

ORDER

The matter is before the Commission upon a joint motion filed by the parties to these two cases requesting permission to file comments from each party in lieu of formal hearings in both cases. In support of the motion, the parties assert that "they can adequately state their relative positions regarding the issues involved in these two cases by submitting written comments in lieu of a hearing." The parties state that, should this motion be granted, they would file comments no later than December 17, 2008.

The Commission, having considered the motion and being otherwise sufficiently advised, finds that good cause has been shown to permit the parties to file written comments in lieu of a hearing.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. The joint motion for an Order allowing the filing of final written comments in lieu of a hearing is granted.

2. The parties shall file written comments no later than December 17, 2008.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 11th day of December, 2008.

By the Commission

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