COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

JOINT APPLICATION OF LOUISVILLE GAS)		
AND ELECTRIC COMPANY AND KENTUCKY)		
UTILITIES COMPANY FOR REVIEW,)		
MODIFICATION, AND CONTINUATION OF)	CASE NO.	2014-00003
EXISTING, AND ADDITION OF NEW,)		
DEMAND-SIDE MANAGEMENT AND ENERGY)		
EFFICIENCY PROGRAMS)		

JOINT MOTION OF LOUISVILLE GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY AND KENTUCKY UTILITIES COMPANY FOR LEAVE TO FILE REBUTTAL TESTIMONY AND FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO REQUEST AN EVIDENTIARY HEARING

Louisville Gas and Electric Company ("LG&E") and Kentucky Utilities Company ("KU") (collectively, the "Companies") hereby move the Public Service Commission ("Commission") to grant the Companies leave to file rebuttal testimony in this case on Tuesday, June 10, 2014. As the applicants in this proceeding, the Companies bear the burden of proof, and therefore respectfully request the opportunity to rebut several of the claims made in the testimony submitted by Marlon Cummings, the witness for Association of Community Ministries, Inc., Cathy Hinko, the witness for the Metropolitan Housing Coalition, Kenneth Baker, the witness for Wal-Mart Stores East, LP and Sam's East, Inc., and Tim Woolf, the witness for Wallace McMullen and Sierra Club. Also, the current procedural schedule provides for discovery requests to the intervenors, the responses to which are due on May 27. Due process requires that the Companies be permitted to offer commentary in their rebuttal testimony on the intervenors' discovery responses, just as the intervenors were able to offer testimony on the Companies' discovery responses.

The Companies do not believe that allowing rebuttal testimony will prejudice the Commission's investigation or the current procedural schedule. Rebuttal testimony typically narrows the issues in dispute, reduces the length of the hearing and provides the Commission a more complete and effective record. No hearing is currently scheduled in this proceeding, so no adjustment to a hearing date is necessary to accommodate the Companies' request. There is, however, a June 2 deadline to request an evidentiary hearing. The Companies respectfully ask the Commission to extend the deadline to June 16, which will afford all parties adequate time to review the Companies' rebuttal testimony and determine whether to request an evidentiary hearing or an informal conference to discuss the issues in the case.

WHEREFORE, the Companies respectfully move the Commission for leave to file rebuttal testimony in the record of this case on June 10, 2014. The Companies further respectfully request that the Commission extend the deadline to file a request for an evidentiary hearing in this proceeding to June 16, 2014.

Dated: May 7, 2014

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

This is to certify that Louisville Gas and Electric Company and Kentucky Utilities Company's May 7, 2014 electronic filing of the Joint Motion for Leave to File Rebuttal Testimony and For Extension of Time to Request an Evidentiary Hearing is a true and accurate copy of the same document being filed in paper medium; that the electronic filing has been transmitted to the Commission on May 7, 2014; that there are currently no parties that the Commission has excused from participation by electronic means in this proceeding; and that an original and one copy in paper medium of the Joint Motion for Leave to File Rebuttal Testimony and for Extension of Time to Request an Evidentiary Hearing are being mailed to the Commission on May 7, 2014.

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