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James W. Gardner  
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**Re: Case No. 2016-00005**  
**An Examination of the Application of the Fuel Adjustment Clause of Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc. from May 1, 2015 through October 31, 2015**

Dear Chairman Gardner:

Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc. hereby submits its responses to the *Staff's Third Set of Data Requests* electronically pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001(8). One (1) paper copy has been mailed to the Commission via overnight delivery. I certify that the electronic documents are true and accurate copies of the original documents.

In addition, please find enclosed one copy of Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc.'s Petition for Confidential Treatment. Also enclosed in the white envelope is one (1) copy of the confidential documents being filed under seal.

Please date-stamp the two copies of the letter and the petition and return to me in the enclosed return envelope.

Respectfully submitted,

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