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March 7, 2016

Mr. James W. Gardner
Acting Executive Director
Public Service Commission
PO Box 615
211 Sower Boulevard
Frankfort, KY 40602

RE:

Case No. 2016-00040 - <u>Application of South Kentucky Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation for Authorization to Borrow \$58,634,282 From CoBank and to Execute All Documents Necessary to Prepay Rural Utilities Service Notes of the Same Amount</u>

Dear Mr. Gardner:

Enclosed please find and accept for filing in the above-referenced matter the response of South Kentucky Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation ("South Kentucky") to Commission Staff's Initial Request for Information.

In accordance with 807 KAR 5:001, Section 8, this is to certify that the electronically filed documents are a true and accurate copy of the same documents being filed in paper medium; that all materials submitted in paper medium are included in the electronic filing; that there are currently no parties to this proceeding that the Commission has excused from participation by electronic means; and that one paper original of this filing will be filed with the Commission within two business days from the date of the electronic filing and will include a copy in paper medium of the electronic notification from the Commission confirming receipt of the electronic filing.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Respectfully,

Allen Anderson President and CEO

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Enclosures