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Via Electronic Filing and USPS Ms. Talina Mathews, Ph.D. **Executive Director** Kentucky Public Service Commission 211 Sower Boulevard Frankfort, KY 40602

## Re: In the Matter of: Application of Cumberland Valley Electric, Inc. for a General Adjustment of Rates PSC Case No. 2016-00169

Dr. Mathews:

Accompanying this letter in electronic medium is a copy of correspondence from Ted Hampton, Chief Executive Officer of Cumberland Valley Electric, Inc. ("Cumberland Valley"), regarding the adoption of an amended "Policy Statement No. 42, Nepotism" by the Cumberland Valley's Board of Directors. Also included is a copy of the referenced amended Nepotism Policy. This filing is made in compliance with the Order entered by the Commission in the above-styled case on February 6, 2017, and specifically ordering paragraph number 7 thereof.

The filenames of the documents submitted electronically are:

This Cover Letter: CVE Read1st 022217 Mr. Hampton's Correspondence: CVE HamptonLetter 021017 Amended Nepotism Policy: CVE NepotismPolicy 020917

One (1) original and six (6) copies of Mr. Hampton's Correspondence and the Amended Nepotism Policy are enclosed with this letter in the paper-medium submission made via U.S. mail.

In accordance with 807 KAR 5:001, Section 8, this is to certify that the electronically filed documents (including this "Read1st" letter and the enclosures) are true and accurate copies of the same documents being filed in paper medium: that the electronic filing has been transmitted to the Commission on February 22, 2017; that there are currently no parties in this proceeding that the Commission has excused from participation by electronic means; that the original of the documents transmitted electronically will be filed with the Commission in paper medium within two (2) business days from the date of the electronic filing; and that attached to the top of the paper medium submission is a copy in paper medium of the electronic notification from the Commission confirming receipt of electronic submission.

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Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or concerns.

Respectfully submitted,

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Enclosures