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VIA ELECTRONIC AND 2ND DAY DELIVERY

July 28, 2016

Talina Rose Matthews Executive Director Kentucky Public Service Commission 211 Sower Blvd Frankfort, KY 40602-0615

Re: Case No. 2016-00268

In the Matter of the Application of Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc., For a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity for Dry Bottom Ash Conversion of the East Bend Generating Station

Dear Ms. Matthews:

Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc. hereby submits its Application of Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc. for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity for Dry Bottom Ash Conversion of the East Bend Generating Station electronically pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001(8). One (1) paper copy will be filed with the Commission via 2nd day delivery. I certify that the electronic documents are true and accurate copies of the original documents.

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

Respectfully submitted,

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