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**RE: JOINT APPLICATION OF KENTUCKY UTILITIES COMPANY
AND LOUISVILLE GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY FOR
APPROVAL OF AN OPTIONAL SOLAR SHARE PROGRAM
RIDER – Case No. 2016-00274**

Dear Dr. Mathews:

Enclosed please find and accept for filing Louisville Gas and Electric Company's and Kentucky Utilities Company's Responses to the Commission Staff's Initial Request for Information dated August 26, 2016 in the above referenced matter.

These responses are being filed electronically pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, Section 8. I certify that the electronically filed documents are a true representation of the original paper documents and six copies that will be delivered within two business days to the Commission from the date of this electronic filing, and that all materials in the paper documents are included in the electronic filing, with the exception of the materials for which confidential protection is being sought.


Also, included in this electronic filing is a Joint Petition for Confidential Protection regarding certain information in this filing. The information for which the Companies are requesting confidential protection has been redacted in the electronic and paper versions of this filing in accordance with 807 KAR 5:001, Section 13. The original of the Joint Petition in paper medium and one

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paper copy of the confidential information is also being filed under separate cover.

Should you have any questions regarding the enclosed, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Rick E. Lovekamp". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized initial "R".

Rick E. Lovekamp