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John Lyons Acting Executive Director Public Service Commission PO Box 615 Frankfort, Kentucky 40602-0615

RE: Electronic Application of Louisville Gas and Electric Company for a Declaratory Order Regarding the Proper Method of Municipal Franchise Fee Recovery Case No. 2016-00317.

Dear Mr. Lyons,

Please accept for filing on behalf of Louisville/Jefferson County Metro Government, the enclosed Brief on the Merits. Per the Commission's Order and 807 KAR 5:001, 6 copies plus an original will arrive within two days via FedEx. 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; and that there are currently no parties the Commission has excused from participation by electronic means in this proceeding. Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions about anything contained herein.

Very truly yours,

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