NOTARIZED PROOF OF PUBLICATION

Before me, a Notary Public, in and for said county and state, this day of May, 2017, came MacHol McChary, personally known to me, who, being duly sworn, states as follows: that she is the Advertising Assistant of the Kentucky Press Service, Inc.; that she has personal knowledge of the contents of this Affidavit; that the newspapers shown on Attachment No. 1 to this Affidavit published the Notice of Public Hearing, on the dates shown thereon at the request of Kentucky Press Service, Inc. for Kentucky Utilities Company; that the form and content of the Notice submitted for publication to each paper is shown in Attachment No. 2 to this Affidavit; and that the Kentucky Press Service, Inc. has presented to Kentucky Utilities Company proof of these publications in

the form of "tear sheets" for retention in its files. Said Notice pertains to the Public Hearing

scheduled for May 9, 2017, as ordered by the Kentucky Public Service Commission in Case No.

Notary Public

2016-00370.

My Commission Expires:_

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COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

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[Attachments: (1) List of publications and dates of publication; (2) sample published notice]

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List of newspapers running the Notice to Kentucky Utilities Company Customers. Attached tearsheets provide proof of publica-

tion:

Barbourville Mnt. Advocate: 4-20 Bardstown KY Standard: 4-19 Bardwell Carlilse Co. News: 4-19 Bardwell Carlilse Weekly: 4-19 Beattyville Enterprise: 4-20 Bedford Trimble Banner: 4-20

Berea Citizen: 4-19

Brandenburg Meade Messenger: 4-20

Brooksville Bracken Co.: 4-20 Brownsville Edmonson New: 4-19 Calhoun McLean Co. New: 4-20 Campbellsville Central KY: 4-20

Carlisle Mercury: 4-19

Carrollton News Democrat: 4-20
Cave City Barren Prorgress: 4-20
Central City Leader News: 4-18
Central City Times Argus: 4-19
Columbia Adair Progress: 4-20
Corbin Times Tribune: 4-19
Cumberland Tri City News: 4-19
Cynthiana Democrat: 4-20

Dawson Springs Progress: 4-19
Eddyville Herald Ledger: 4-19
Edmonton Herald News: 4-19
Elizabethtown News Enter: 4-19

Falmouth Outlook: 4-18
Flemingsburg Gazette: 4-19
Florence Boone Recorder: 4-20
Frankfort State Journal: 4-19
Fulton Leader The Current: 4-19
Georgetown Graphic: 4-20
Glasgow Daily Times: 4-19
Greensburg Record Herald: 4-19

Harlan Enterprise: 4-19 Harrodsburg Herald: 4-20 Hartford Ohio Co. Times: 4-19 Henderson Gleaner: 4-20
Hickman County Times: 4-19
Hodgenville Larue Herald: 4-26
Hopkinsville KY New Era: 4-19
Irvine Citizen Voice Times: 4-20
Irvine Estill Co. Tribune: 4-19
Lagrange Oldham Era: 4-20
Lancaster Central Record: 4-20
Lawrenceburg Ander. News: 4-19

Lebanon Enterprise: 4-19 Leitchfield News Gazette: 4-19

Leitchfield Record: 4-20

Lexington Herald Leader: 4-19 Liberty Casey Co. News: 4-19 London Sentinel Echo: 4-19 Louisville Courier Journal: 4-19 Madisonville Messenger: 4-20 Manchester Enterprise: 4-20 Marion Crittenden Press: 4-20 Maysville Ledger Indep: 4-19 Middlesboro Daily News: 4-19

Morehead News: 4-18 Morganfield Union Co.: 4-19 Mt. Sterling Advocate: 4-20 Mt. Vernon Signal: 4-20

Munfordville Hart Co. News: 4-20 New Castle Henry Co. Local: 4-19 Nicholasville Jessamine: 4-20 Owensboro Messneger Inq: 4-20 Owenton News Herald: 4-19 Owingsville Bath Outlook: 4-20

Paducah Sun: 4-20

Paris Bourbon Citizen: 4-19

Pineville Sun: 4-19

Princeton Times Leader: 4-19 Providence Journal Enter: 4-19 Richmond Register: 4-19

Robertson Co. News: 4-19 Russell Springs Times: 4-20

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Sebree Banner: 4-19

Shelbyville Sentinel News: 4-19 Shepherdsville Pioneer: 4-19 Smithland Livingston Ledger: 4-20 Somerset Commonwealth: 4-19

Springfield Sun: 4-19

Stanford Interior Journal: 4-20

Sturgis News: 4-19

Taylorsville Spencer Magnet: 4-19
The Advocate Messenger: 4-19
Three Forks Tradition: 4-19
Versailles Woodford Sun: 4-20
Warsaw Gallatin News: 4-19
Whitley City McCreary Voice: 4-20
Wickliffe Advance Yeoman: 4-19
Williamsburg News Journal: 4-19
Williamstown Grant Co. News: 4-20

Wincheter Sun: 4-21

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Public Service Commission of Kentucky issued an order on April 7, 2017, scheduling a hearing to begin on May 9, 2017, at 1:00 p.m., Eastern Daylight Time, at 211 Sower Boulevard in Frankfort, Kentucky, for the purpose cross-examining witnesses Kentucky Utilities Company ("KU") and Intervenors in Case No. 2016-00370, which is the Application of KU for an Adjustment of Its Electric Rates and for Certificates of Public Convenience and Necessity. This hearing will be streamed live and may be viewed on the PSC website, psc.ky.gov.

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