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Ms. Talina Rose Matthews
Executive Director
Kentucky Public Service Commission
211 Sower Boulevard
Frankfort, Kentucky 40602-0615

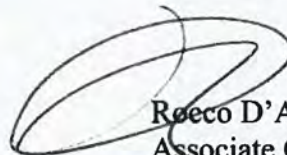
**Re: Case No. 2016-00382
In the Matter of the Electronic Annual Cost Recovery Filing for Demand
Side Management by Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc.**

Dear Ms. Matthews:

Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc. hereby submits its *Annual Status Report, Adjustment of the DSM Cost Recovery Mechanism, and Amended Tariff Sheets for Gas Rider DSMR and Electric Rider DSMR (Application)* electronically pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001(8). In compliance with the Commission's October 31, 2016 Order, the original and six (6) paper copies of the Application 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 extra copies of this letter and return to me in the enclosed returned-addressed envelope.

Sincerely,



Rocco D'Ascenzo
Associate General Counsel

Enclosures

cc: Rebecca Goodman (w/enclosures)