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

**Re: Case No. 2016-00398
In the Matter of the Electronic Application of Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc. for a
Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity Authorizing the Company to
Close the East Bend Generating Station Coal Ash Impoundment and For All
Other Required Approvals and Relief**

Dear Ms. Mathews:

In its Application, Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc. committed to supplement its filing with permit approvals. As such, enclosed please find a copy of Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc.'s concurrence letter from US Fish and Wildlife Service. One (1) paper copy has been mailed to the Commission via second day delivery. I certify that the electronic document is a true and accurate copy of the original document.

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

Respectfully submitted,

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Enclosure

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