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

**Re: Case No. 2017-00189  
In the Matter of The Application of Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc., to Continue  
Home Energy Assistance Program**

Dear Dr. Matthews:

Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc. hereby submits its *Application of Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc., to Continue the Home Energy Assistance Program* electronically pursuant to 807-KAR 5:001(15). The original and six (6) paper copies have been mailed to the Commission via 2<sup>nd</sup> day delivery. I certify that the electronic documents are true and accurate copies of the original documents.

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

Sincerely,

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