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March 1, 2018

Ms. Gwen R. Pinson
Executive Director
Kentucky Public Service Commission
211 Sower Blvd
Frankfort, KY 40601

Re: **Case No. 2017-00321**

In the Matter of: An Examination of the Application of Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc. for an Adjustment to the Electric Rates; Approval of an Environmental Compliance Plan and Surcharge Mechanism; Approval of New Tariffs; Approval of Accounting Practices to Establish Regulatory Assets and Liabilities; and All Other Required Approvals and Relief.

Dear Ms. Pinson:

Enclosed please find for filing the newspaper notices and affidavits attesting to the publications of Notice of Hearing set for March 6, 2018 for Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc.'s application for approval to revise its Accelerated Service Line Replacement (ASRP) rates for gas service for residential and commercial customers. The notices were published as follows:

Boone County Recorder	February 15, 2018
Campbell County Recorder	February 15, 2018
Falmouth Outlook	February 13, 2018
Gallatin County News	February 14, 2018
Grant County News	February 15, 2018
Kenton Community Recorder	February 15, 2018
Kentucky Enquirer	February 14, 2018

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

Respectfully submitted,



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Enclosures: As stated
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