

**COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY**  
**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

In The Matter of:

The Electronic Application of Duke Energy )	
Kentucky, Inc., for: 1) An Adjustment of the )	
Electric Rates; 2) Approval of an )	Case No. 2017-00321
Environmental Compliance Plan and Surcharge )	
Mechanism; 3) Approval of New Tariffs; 4) )	
Approval of Accounting Practices to Establish )	
Regulatory Assets and Liabilities; and 5) All )	
Other Required Approvals and Relief. )	
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**MOTION OF DUKE ENERGY KENTUCKY, INC. FOR CLARIFICATION  
OF ITEMS CONTAINED IN THE COMMISSION’S APRIL 13, 2018 ORDER**

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Comes now Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc. (Duke Energy Kentucky or Company), by counsel, and respectfully requests the Commission to clarify certain items contained in the Commission’s April 13, 2018 Order (“Order”). As grounds for this motion Duke Energy Kentucky states as follows:

The Commission issued its Order on April 13, 2018. After reviewing the Order, Duke Energy Kentucky requested and attended an informal conference with Commission Staff on April 19, 2018 (“IC”) where questions arose regarding timing of implementation of the Commission’s Order and potential typographical errors regarding a tariff. Counsel for Staff recommended the filing of this request for clarification for the Company to receive guidance from the Commission on these limited issues. Per Staff counsel, it was agreed that this clarification is not intended to constitute a request for rehearing and the Company expressly reserves its rights to seek rehearing

on issues contained in the Order. During the informal conference, Duke Energy Kentucky discussed the start date Duke Energy Kentucky would like to use to implement the changes to the profit sharing mechanism (“PSM”) and the Company’s fuel adjustment clause (“FAC”). Since the Company currently uses the six-month interval of May – October, the Company would like to use the expense month of May as the month in which it begins the changes to Rider PSM and the FAC. By starting on May 1, 2018 the Company will avoid having to calculate these items for a half month, outside the normal six-month interval. Duke Energy Kentucky believes that this would be a more efficient way of implementing these changes and that customers would not be harmed by this short delay.

Also, Duke Energy Kentucky is seeking clarification on the rates approved for Duke Energy Kentucky’s Rider GSS tariff. Based upon Duke Energy Kentucky’s review of the Rider GSS tariff, it appears the decimal should be moved two places to the right in each of those rates, except for the administrative charge. Duke Energy Kentucky bills these rates on a per kW and it appears the approved rates are displayed in a per kWh format.

In filing this Motion for Clarification, the Company is not waiving its right to file a Motion for Rehearing within the twenty-day timeframe provided for in the Commission’s statutes and regulations. Duke Energy Kentucky is filing this Motion for Clarification separate from any Motion for Rehearing, because a quicker decision is needed on these few issues in order to comply with the requirement to file updated tariffs within twenty days from the date of the Order.

WHEREFORE, Duke Energy Kentucky respectfully requests that the Commission issue an Order clarifying the date Duke Energy Kentucky should implement the changes in the PSM and FAC and to update the rates contained in the Rate GSS tariff to be based on per kW.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

This is to certify that the foregoing electronic filing is a true and accurate copy of the document being filed in paper medium; that the electronic filing was transmitted to the Commission on April 25, 2018; that there are currently no parties that the Commission has excused from participation by electronic means in this proceeding; and that a copy of the filing in paper medium is being hand delivered to the Commission on the 26th day of April, 2018.



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