COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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IN THE MATTER OF:

ELECTRONIC JOINT APPLICATION OF LOUISVILLE GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY AND KENTUCKY UTILITIES COMPANY FOR REVIEW, MODIFICATION, AND CONTINUATION OF CERTAIN EXISTING DEMAND-SIDE MANAGEMENT AND ENERGY EFFICIENCY PROGRAMS

CASE NO. 2017-00441

<u>WAL-MART STORES EAST, LP AND SAM'S EAST, INC.'S</u> <u>WRITTEN STATEMENT IN RESPONSE TO THE</u> <u>COMMISSION'S FEBRUARY 14, 2018 ORDER</u>

Wal-Mart Stores East, LP and Sam's East, Inc. ("Walmart"), submits this Written Statement in response to the Commission's February 14, 2018 Order granting intervention filed on January 10, 2018. Through this pleading, Walmart waives any right to service of Commission Order by United States mail and that it possesses the facilities to receive electronic transmissions. In this proceeding, please forward all electronic messages to the following individuals:

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Commission's February 14, 2018 Order.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: February 20, 2018

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that Walmart's February 20, 2018, electronic filing is a true and accurate copy of Wal-Mart Stores East, LP and Sam's East, Inc.'s Written Statement in Response to the Commission's February 14, 2018 Order to be filed in paper medium; and that on February 20, 2018, the electronic filing has been transmitted to the Commission, and that an original and six copies of the filing will be delivered to the Commission, that no participants have been excused from electronic filing at this time, and served upon the following via Electronic Mail:

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