

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC JOINT APPLICATION OF)	
LOUISVILLE GAS AND ELECTRIC)	
COMPANY AND KENTUCKY UTILITIES)	
COMPANY FOR CERTIFICATES OF)	CASE NO. 2018-00005
PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY)	
FOR FULL DEPLOYMENT OF ADVANCED)	
METERING SYSTEMS)	

CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETED NOTICE

Pursuant to the Kentucky Public Service Commission’s Regulations 807 KAR 5:001 Section 17(3)(b) and 807 KAR 5:011 Section 8(3)(b), I hereby certify that I am Rick E. Lovekamp, Manager Regulatory Strategy/Policy, State Regulation and Rates for Louisville Gas and Electric Company (“LG&E”) and Kentucky Utilities Company (“KU”) (collectively “Companies”), which are utilities furnishing retail electric service within the Commonwealth of Kentucky that, on the 10th day of January 2018, filed an application with the Kentucky Public Service Commission for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity for Full Deployment of Advanced Metering Systems, and that notice to the public of the filing of the application has been completed in substantial compliance with 807 KAR 5:001 Section 17(2) and (4) and 807 KAR 5:011 Section 8, as follows:

I certify that more than twenty (20) customers could be affected by said change by way of an increase in their rates or charges, and that on December 27, 2017, there was delivered to the Kentucky Press Service, Inc. (“Kentucky Press”), an agency that acts on behalf of newspapers of general circulation throughout the Commonwealth of Kentucky in which customers affected reside, for publication therein once a week for three consecutive weeks beginning on January 3,

2018, pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001 Section 17(2)(b)(3) and 807 KAR 5:011 Section 8(2)(b)(3), a notice of the filing of an Electronic Joint Application in this case. Publication of this notice is now complete, though five minor exceptions occurred for which the Companies are petitioning the Commission today for deviation under 807 KAR 5:001 Section 22 and 807 KAR 5:011 Section 15. An affidavit from the Kentucky Press confirming this publication and a copy of said notices of LG&E and KU are attached as Exhibits A and B respectively. The Kentucky Press has presented to the Companies proof of this publication of notice in the form of “tear sheets,” which the Companies will maintain in their files.

I further certify that beginning on January 11, 2018, notices were exhibited for public inspection at 701 South Ninth Street, Louisville, KY 40203 and at One Quality Street, Lexington, KY 40503, and that the same will be kept open to public inspection at said offices and places of business in conformity with the requirements of 807 KAR 5:001 Section 17(1)(a) and 807 KAR 5:011 Section 8(1)(a).

I further certify that, beginning on January 11, 2018, the Companies posted on their Internet website a complete copy of the Electronic Joint Application in this case. The notices published in newspapers included the web address for the online posting. In addition, the Companies complied with 807 KAR 5:001 Section 17(1)(b) and 807 KAR 5:011 Section 8(1)(b) by posting on their website a copy of the published notice and a hyperlink to the location on the Commission’s website where the case documents and tariff filings are available.

Given under my hand this 22nd day of February 2018.

Rick E. Lovekamp

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Manager – Regulatory Strategy/Policy
State Regulation and Rates
LG&E and KU Services Company
220 West Main Street
Louisville, Kentucky 40202

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY)
) SS
COUNTY OF JEFFERSON)

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a Notary Public in and before said County and State, this
22nd day of February 2018.

(SEAL)

Judy Schooler

NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE AT LARGE, KY

My commission expires: _____

JUDY SCHOOLER
Notary Public, State at Large, KY
My commission expires July 11, 2018
Notary ID # 512743

CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE

In accordance with 807 KAR 5:001 Section 8, this is to certify that the Companies' February 22, 2018 electronic filing of the Certificate of Completed Notice is a true and accurate copy of the same document being filed in paper medium; that the electronic filing has been transmitted to the Commission on February 22 2018; that there are currently no parties that the Commission has excused from participation by electronic means in this proceeding; and that an original and six copies in paper medium of the Certificate will be delivered to the Commission within two business days from the date of the electronic filing.



Counsel for Kentucky Utilities Company

Exhibit A

Affidavit Attesting to Publication of
Louisville Gas and Electric Company
Notice

NOTARIZED PROOF OF PUBLICATION

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Before me, a Notary Public, in and for said county and state, this 12th day of January, 2018, came Rachol McCarty, personally known to me, who, being duly sworn, states as follows: that she is the Advertising Assistant of the Kentucky Press Service, Inc.; that she has personal knowledge of the contents of this Affidavit; that the newspapers shown on Attachment No. 1 to this Affidavit published the Notice of Filing of Application re: AMS CPCN on the dates shown thereon at the request of Kentucky Press Service, Inc. for Louisville Gas and Electric Company; that the form and content of the Notice submitted for publication to each paper is shown in Attachment No. 2 to this Affidavit; and that the Kentucky Press Service, Inc. has presented to Louisville Gas and Electric Company proof of these publications in the form of "tear sheets" for retention in its files. Said Notice pertains to the Application in Case No. 2018-00005 filed jointly by Louisville Gas and Electric Company and Kentucky Utilities Company with the Kentucky Public Service Commission on January 10, 2018.

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[Attachments: (1) List of publications and dates of publication; (2) sample published notice]

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Brooksville Bracken Co.: 1-4
Brownsville Edmonson New: 1-3
Calhoun McLean Co. New: 1-4
Campbellsville Central KY: 1-4
Carlisle Mercury: 1-3
Carrollton News Democrat: 1-4
Cave City Barren Progress: 1-4
Central City Leader News: 1-9
Central City Times Argus: *Did not run
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Corbin Times Tribune: 1-3
Cumberland Tri City News: 1-3
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NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that on January 10, 2018, Kentucky Utilities Company ("KU") have filed an application with the Kentucky Public Service Commission ("Commission"), Frankfort, Kentucky, pursuant to KRS 278.020(1), 807 KAR 5:001 Sections 14 and 15, and 807 KAR 5:011 Section 6(2)(b) seeking an Order granting KU Certificates of Public Convenience and Necessity ("CPCN") for the full deployment of Advanced Metering Systems ("AMS") across its Kentucky service territory and approving its proposed AMS Opt-Out Special Charges. In its application, KU will notify the Commission that the changes to the Special Charges Standard Rate tariff sheets are proposed to become effective on and after February 9, 2018; however, because KU anticipates the Commission will suspend the proposed changes in the Special Charges tariffs to conduct an investigation of the proposed changes, KU will ask the Commission to approve the proposed changes to be effective on June 1, 2018.

KU will propose a cost-based opt-out charge structure for customers who desire to opt out of AMS. The proposed charges will be new and optional; customers who do not desire to opt out of AMS will not have to pay the charges. The proposed opt-out charge structure will consist of a \$72.71 opt-out set-up fee and a \$32.45 recurring monthly fee.

Complete copies of the proposed tariffs containing text changes and proposed rates may be obtained by contacting Kentucky Utilities Company at 220 West Main Street, Louisville, Kentucky, 1-800-981-0600, or visiting Kentucky Utilities Company's website at www.lge-ku.com.

Notice is further given that a person may examine this application at the offices of Kentucky Utilities Company, 100 Quality Street, Lexington, Kentucky, and may also be examined at Kentucky Utilities Company's website at www.lge-ku.com. A person may also examine this application at the Public Service Commission's offices located at 211 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky, Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., or through the Commission's website at <http://psc.ky.gov>.

Comments regarding the application may be submitted to the Public Service Commission, by mail to Public Service Commission, Post Office Box 615, Frankfort, Kentucky 40602, or by sending an email to the Commission's Public Information Officer at psc.info@ky.gov.

The rates contained in this notice are the rates to be proposed by Kentucky Utilities Company, but the Public Service Commission may order rates to be charged that differ from the proposed rates contained in this notice. A person may submit a timely written request for intervention to the Public Service Commission, Post Office Box 615, Frankfort, Kentucky 40602, establishing the grounds for the request including the status and interest of the party. If the Commission does not receive a written request for intervention within thirty (30) days of initial publication or mailing of the notice, the Commission may take final action on the application.

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