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October 11, 2018

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

Re: **Case No. 2018-00261**

In the Matter of Electronic Application of Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc. for Authority to 1) Adjust Natural Gas Rates 2) Approval of a Decoupling Mechanism 3) Approval of New Tariffs 4) and For All Other Required Approvals, Waivers, and Relief

Dear Ms. Pinson:

Enclosed please find for filing the newspaper notices and affidavits attesting to the publications of Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc.'s filing of its Application seeking approval by the Kentucky Public Service Commission of an adjustment of natural gas rates. The notices were published as follows:

Boone County Recorder	August 30, 2018 September 6, 2018 September 13, 2018
Campbell County Recorder	August 30, 2018 September 6, 2018 September 13, 2018
Falmouth Outlook	August 28, 2018 September 4, 2018 September 11, 2018
Gallatin County News	August 29, 2018 September 5, 2018 September 12, 2018
Grant County News	August 30, 2018 September 6, 2018 September 13, 2018

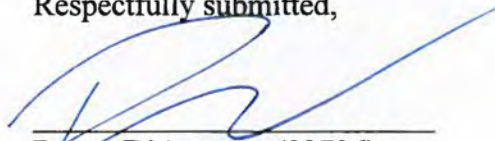
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Kenton Community Recorder August 30, 2018
September 6, 2018
September 13, 2018

Kentucky Enquirer August 29, 2018
September 5, 2018
September 12, 2018

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

Respectfully submitted,



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