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Ms. Linda Bridwell
Executive Director
Kentucky Public Service Commission
211 Sower Boulevard
Frankfort, Kentucky 40602

Re: **Case No. 2021-00245**

In the Matter of: Electronic 2021 Integrated Resource Plan of Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc.

Dear Ms. Bridwell:

Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc. hereby submits its Response to Commission Staff's First Request for Information electronically pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001. I certify that the electronic documents are true and accurate copies of the original documents.

In addition, please find Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc.'s Petition for Confidential Treatment being filed under seal.

Respectfully submitted,

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