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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

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Ms. Linda Bridwell Executive Director Kentucky Public Service Commission 211 Sower Boulevard Frankfort, Kentucky 40602-0615

Re: <u>Case No. 2021-00459</u>

In the Matter of the Verified Application of Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc. for Proposed Accounting and Fuel Adjustment Clause Treatment and for Declaratory Ruling

Dear Ms. Bridwell:

Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc. hereby submits its *Verified Application of Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc. and Request for Expedited Treatment* electronically pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001(8). I certify that the electronically filed documents are true and accurate copies of the original documents. The Company will retain the original filing in paper medium as the requirement to file it with the Commission was permanently granted a deviation in Case No. 2020-00085.

Respectfully submitted,

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