

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC TARIFF FILING OF DUKE)	
ENERGY KENTUCKY, INC. FOR APPROVAL OF)	CASE NO.
AN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT INCENTIVE)	2022-00394
SERVICE AGREEMENT WITH DIVERSEY, INC.)	

**MOTION OF DUKE ENERGY KENTUCKY, INC. FOR LEAVE TO
FILE OUT-OF-TIME AND ACCEPT ENTRY OF APPEARANCE INSTANTER**

Now comes Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc. (Duke Energy Kentucky or the Company), pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, Section 5, the Kentucky Public Service Commission's (Commission) November 22, 2022 Order in this proceeding (Order) and other applicable law, and hereby respectfully requests approval from the Commission for leave to file out-of-time an appearance of counsel as instructed by Paragraph 3 of said Order. In support of this Motion, Duke Energy Kentucky respectfully states as follows:

In its Order, Paragraph 3, the Commission ordered the Company to enter an appearance in this proceeding within seven days of the date of the service of the Order. The Company received the Order via electronic mail on November 22, 2022 the week of the Thanksgiving holiday. As such, the deadline to file an entry of appearance was November 29, 2022. Due to personnel vacations during the holiday week and an internal processing error, this deadline was mis-calendared.

The Company does not believe filing an entry of appearance out-of-time will result in any undue prejudice or delay as none of the other procedural deadlines in the Commission's Order have passed.

WHEREFORE, Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc. respectfully requests for the reasons as set forth above the Commission grant their request to file an entry of appearance out of time and accept it for filing instanter.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

This is to certify that the foregoing electronic filing is a true and accurate copy of the document being filed in paper medium; that the electronic filing was transmitted to the Commission on December 2nd, 2022; and there are currently no parties that the Commission has excused from participation by electronic means in this proceeding.

/s/Rocco D'Ascenzo

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