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Ms. Linda Bridwell
Executive Director
Kentucky Public Service Commission
211 Sower Blvd
Frankfort, KY 40601

Re: Case No.2023-00012

In the Matter of: the Electronic Examination of the Application of the Fuel Adjustment Clause of Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc. from November 1, 2020 through October 31, 2022.

Dear Ms. Bridwell:

Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc. hereby submits its Testimonies and Responses to Staff's First Request for Information. I certify that the electronic documents are true and accurate copies of the original documents.

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

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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Enclosures: As stated