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**VIA ELECTRONIC FILING**

November 30, 2023

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

**Re: Case No. 2023-00239**

In the Matter of: Electronic Application of Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Construct a 138-KV Transmission Line and Associated Facilities in Boone County (Hebron to Oakbrook Transmission Line Project)

Dear Ms. Bridwell:

In accordance with the Commission's October 2, 2023 Order in this proceeding, Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc. (Duke Energy Kentucky or Company) respectfully requests that the matter be submitted for decision based upon the existing evidentiary record. The deadline for discovery and for intervention has now passed. Duke Energy Kentucky does not believe there is a need to conduct an evidentiary hearing in this proceeding and believes that the matter can now be decided by the Commission.

In accordance with 807 KAR 5:001, I certify that the electronically filed document is a true and accurate copy of the original document and that there are currently no parties in this proceeding that the Commission has excused from participation by electronic means.<sup>1</sup> Pursuant to the Commission's July 22, 2021 Order in Case No. 2020-00085, no paper copies of this filing will be made.

Please feel free to contact me should you have any questions concerning this matter.

Sincerely,

*/s/Larisa M. Vaysman*

Larisa M. Vaysman

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<sup>1</sup>Pursuant to the Commission's November 13, 2023, Order, an intervenor has been granted an indefinite extension for filing a written statement pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, Section 8(9), certifying that he possesses the facilities to receive electronic transmissions and setting forth the electronic mail address to which all electronic notices and messages related to this proceeding should be served. The intervenor has not yet filed such a statement, nor has he objected to the use of electronic filing and been excused. As a courtesy, however, the Company has mailed a copy of this letter to the address provided below the signature in his August 10, 2023 request for intervention.