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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

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

Re: Case No. 2025-00281

In the Matter of the Electronic Application of Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc. for an Order Approving the Establishment of a Regulatory Asset for the Engineering Costs Incurred Associated with its Withdrawn Limestone Conversion and MATS Compliance Strategies

Dear Ms. Bridwell:

Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc. hereby submits electronically pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, Section 8, its responses to Commission Staff's First Request for Information in the above captioned case.

In addition, please find a Petition for Confidential Treatment for consideration. The confidential material will be filed under seal.

I certify that the electronically filed documents are true and accurate copies of the original documents and that there are currently no parties in this proceeding that the Commission has excused from participation by electronic means. Pursuant to the Commission's July 22, 2021 Order in Case No. 2020-00085, no paper copies of this filing will be made.

Respectfully submitted,

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Enclosures: As stated