

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC JOINT APPLICATION OF	)	
KENTUCKY UTILITIES COMPANY AND	)	CASE NO. 2026-00077
LOUISVILLE GAS AND ELECTRIC	)	
COMPANY FOR APPROVAL OF MERGER	)	

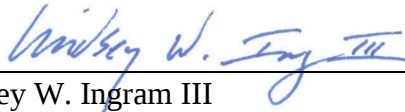
**KENTUCKY UTILITIES COMPANY’S
AND LOUISVILLE GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY’S
STATEMENT REGARDING HEARING**

The Commission’s April 30, 2026 Order in this matter set forth a procedural schedule for discovery, intervenor testimony, and rebuttal testimony. With the filing of Kentucky Utilities Company’s (“KU”) and Louisville Gas and Electric Company’s (“LG&E”) (collectively, the “Companies”) rebuttal testimony on July 1, 2026, the only remaining item in that procedural schedule is a July 2, 2026 deadline, which is the “last day for parties to request a Public Hearing or submit a request for the matter to be decided upon the written Record.”¹ The Companies do not request a hearing because the Companies believe the Commission has everything it needs in the record to approve all relief they have requested, including a Stipulation and Recommendation filed contemporaneously herewith. Therefore, the Companies request the matter be submitted on the written record and respectfully request the Commission issue an order on all issues in this case by July 29, 2026.

¹ April 30, 2026 Order, Appendix.

Dated: July 2, 2026

Respectfully submitted,



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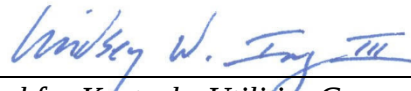
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

In accordance 807 KAR 5:001, Section 8 as modified by the Commission's Order of July 22, 2021 in Case No. 2020-00085 (Electronic Emergency Docket Related to the Novel Coronavirus COVID-19), this is to certify that the electronic filing has been transmitted to the Commission on July 2, 2026; and that there are currently no parties in this proceeding that the Commission has excused from participation by electronic means.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Lindsey W. Engle".

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