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Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc.  
Attention: Amy B. Spiller  
139 E. Fourth Street, 25 AT II  
P.O. Box 960  
Cincinnati, Ohio 45202

Re: Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc.'s - Petition for Confidentiality received 9/12/08  
PSC Reference – Case No. 2008-00287

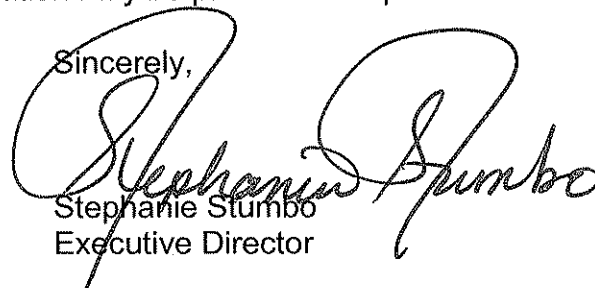
Dear Ms. Spiller:

The Public Service Commission has received Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc.'s Petition for confidential treatment requesting to protect as confidential certain information contained in its response to question 17 set out in Appendix A of the Commission's Order dated August 22, 2008. The information is described as coal bid analysis information.

Based upon a review of the information, I have determined that it is entitled to the protection requested on the grounds relied upon in the Petition and should be withheld from public inspection.

If the information becomes publicly available or no longer warrants confidential treatment, Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc. is required by 807 KAR 5:001, Section 7(9)(a), to inform the Commission so that the information may be placed in the public record.

Sincerely,



Stephanie Stumbo  
Executive Director

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