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Ms. Kathleen Parks
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Kentucky Alliance Against Racist and Political Repression
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Dear Ms. Parks, Mr. Owens and Mr. Lott:

I am writing in response to your August 2 request to Kentucky Public Service Commission (PSC) Chairman David Armstrong to hold a local public meeting in Louisville on the application of PPL Corp. to acquire Louisville Gas & Electric Co. (LG&E) as part of its purchase of E.ON US.

Due to the compressed time frame set by Kentucky statute for the consideration of this matter and other time demands on the PSC, it is not possible to schedule a local public meeting at this late date.

However, public comments will be accepted at the start of the formal hearing in this case. That hearing will be held at the PSC offices in Frankfort on September 8 at 10 a.m. Written comments, which carry the same weight as comments delivered in person, can be mailed to the PSC and they will be accepted through the date of the hearing.

Furthermore, I should note that the PSC heard and took note of numerous public comments made on this issue during its public meetings in April and May of this year on the rate increases sought by LG&E and Kentucky Utilities Co.

While the PSC will be unable to hold a public meeting, I would like to extend to you the offer for members of the PSC staff to meet with your group to explain the legal process under which the PSC considers transactions such as this one, including the criteria for approval.

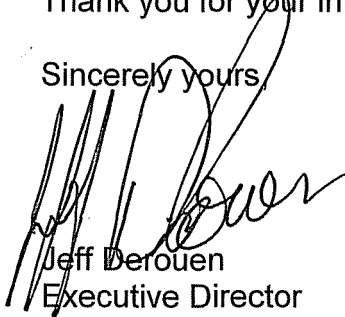
Unlike a public meeting, this informational meeting will offer an opportunity for questions and answers. We will be happy to meet with you at your offices and to do so after normal business hours.

If you are interested in arranging an informational meeting, please contact Andrew Melnykovich, our Director of Communications. He can be reached at 502-564-3940, ext. 208, or 502-330-5981.

We look forward to hearing from you and meeting with the Kentucky Alliance.

Thank you for your interest in this matter.

Sincerely yours,



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