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Mr. Jeff Derouen
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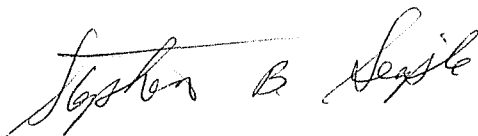
RE: Case No. ~~2010-00233~~

CASE NO. 2012-00132

Dear Mr Derouen:

Attached is an original and eleven copies of Columbia Gas of Kentucky, Inc.'s Motion for Extension of Time in the above case. Please docket the original and ten copies, and after the extra copy has been date stamped please return the extra copy to me in the enclosed self-addressed stamped envelope. If you have questions, please contact me 614-460-4648.

Sincerely,



Stephen B. Seiple
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COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:)
)
THE APPLICATION OF COLUMBIA)
GAS OF KENTUCKY, INC. TO EX-)
TEND ITS SMALL VOLUME GAS)
TRANSPORTATION SERVICE.)

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MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME OF
COLUMBIA GAS OF KENTUCKY, INC.

Now comes Columbia Gas of Kentucky, Inc., ("Columbia") and files the instant Motion for Extension of Time to file its CHOICE Survey Report as prescribed by the Kentucky Public Service Commission's ("Commission") February 3, 2011 Order in the above-captioned matter. Columbia respectfully requests until July 15, 2012 to file the results of its survey for the reasons explained below.

On February 3, 2011, the Kentucky Public Service Commission ("Commission") entered an Order in the above-caption matter, approving the extension of Columbia's CHOICE program through March 31, 2014. Pursuant to the Order, Columbia is also required to administer a survey, developed collaboratively with Columbia, Commission Staff and interested stakeholders, specifically aimed at Columbia's CHOICE program, and to report the results of said survey by

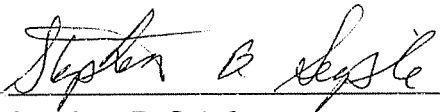
March 31, 2012. While Columbia has made reasonable efforts to develop and implement the survey, Columbia is unable to meet the March 31, 2012 deadline.

Since the Commission's Order, Columbia, the interested parties and Commission Staff have worked to achieve consensus on the questions to be asked in the Commission's ordered survey. This process proved to be more involved and lengthy than originally anticipated. The stakeholders, however, were ultimately able to reach a consensus on the content of the survey. Nonetheless, because of the amount of time it took to reach consensus on the survey questions Columbia lost its place in the previously committed work schedule of The Matrix Group, the research organization that actually conducts the survey and prepares the report. Columbia has informed Commission Staff and interested parties of the timing problems related to the survey and requested an extension of the Survey Report beyond March 31, 2012. None of the parties objected to this request.

Initial survey calls have begun; however, Columbia will not have the comprehensive information to provide a survey report by March 31, 2012. Therefore, Columbia respectfully requests an extension until July 15, 2012 to file the survey results.

Dated at Columbus, Ohio this 28th day of March, 2012.

Respectfully submitted,
COLUMBIA GAS OF KENTUCKY, INC.

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