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To whom it may concern,

On July 18th, 2012 I received a notice along with my months bill. This notice was to inform me about the annual increase in Revenues of 6.5% and the adjustments of rates and charges that the Kentucky Utilities Company had filed for. This Notice also goes on to say that "Any Corporation Association, Body Politic, or person with a substantial interest to intervene may do so by written Request." So, as a Resident of Kentucky and a consumer Of electricity. This is my request to intervene and strongly **Disagree** with the annual increase and rate changes the K.U is asking for.

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As a State employee I have seen my 40 hr. work week reduced down to 37 1/2. We have taken at least 6 mandatory ferlo days, and have been cut back to 30 hrs. a week 4 months in the winter. These hour reductions and cutbacks result in alot less pay. Not only has the Governor cut employees hours he has also talked about cutting back and staying within budget, Then why are we raising rates..???

The K.U already has an Active Rate Increase for school tax on each bill, which is 3% times the bill amount. Plus this New Increase Request they are asking for will cost hundreds of thousands of Kentucky Residents around \$88.92 extra a year. But this amount is based only on homes using 1,000 kilowatt hours, so the estimated

increase would probably cost more than that.

In today's economy with gas prices hovering at \$3.50 to \$4.00 a gallon the housing market crash and people losing their homes . Massive unemployment rates with job losses and companies shutting down now is **NOT** the time for an increase. I would like to thank the Public Service Commission for the service they do and for taking the time to listen to the public. I would once again like to thank you for the opportunity to state my position and concerns about this increase.

Bruce W. Harris

**NOTICE TO CUSTOMERS OF
KENTUCKY UTILITIES COMPANY**

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on June 29, 2012, Kentucky Utilities Company (“KU”) filed with the Kentucky Public Service Commission (“Commission”) a request for an adjustment of its rates and charges to become effective on and after August 1, 2012, subject to the “Stay-Out” Commitment in Article I.1.1 of the Settlement Agreement approved in September 30, 2010 Order in Case No. 2010-00204, under which the change in rates may be filed with the Commission during 2012, but not take effect before January 1, 2013.

The proposed rates reflect a proposed annual increase in revenues of approximately 6.5% to KU.

The estimated amount of the annual change and the average monthly bill to which the proposed electric rates will apply for each electric customer class are as follows:

Electric Rate Class	Annual \$ Increase	Annual % Increase	Mthly Bill \$ Increase	Mthly Bill % Increase
Residential	\$37,381,886	8.03%	\$ 7.41	8.03%
General Service	\$ 9,061,201	4.97%	\$ 9.20	4.97%
All Electric School	\$ 635,467	5.81%	\$ 82.81	5.81%
Power Service	\$ 6,849,989	2.53%	\$ 96.29	2.53%
TODS Power - Secondary	\$ 1,907,198	6.59%	\$ 1,160.80	6.59%
TODP Power - Primary	\$12,380,611	6.62%	\$ 6,159.51	6.62%
Retail Transmission	\$ 5,128,398	6.50%	\$ 11,982.24	6.50%
Fluctuating Load Service	\$ 1,417,956	6.25%	\$118,163.01	6.25%
Outdoor Lights	\$ 1,267,776	5.41%	\$ 0.62	5.41%
Lighting Energy	\$ 124	5.42%	\$ 11.27	5.42%
Traffic Energy	\$ 6,388	5.40%	\$ 0.79	5.40%
CTAC	\$ 681,722	85.37%	N/A	N/A

KU is also proposing changes in the text to most of its tariffs, including its terms and conditions for electric service. Complete copies of the proposed tariffs containing the proposed text changes and rates may be obtained by contacting Lonnie E. Bellar, Kentucky Utilities Company at 220 West Main Street, Louisville, Kentucky, 40202, 502-627-4830, or by visiting Kentucky Utilities Company’s website at www.lge-ku.com.

KU does not propose to change its customer deposit amounts. Text changes are proposed that state when Rate GS deposit may be waived in conjunction with taking service under Rate RS.

KU’s application contains the rates proposed by Kentucky Utilities Company; however, the Public Service Commission may order rates to be charged that differ from the proposed rates contained in this notice.

Notice is further given that any corporation, association, body politic or person with a substantial interest in the matter may (by written request) within thirty (30) days after publication of the notice of the proposed rate changes, request to intervene. The motion shall be submitted to the Public Service Commission, 211 Sower Boulevard, P. O. Box 615, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, and shall set forth the grounds for the request, including the status and interest of the party. Intervention may be granted beyond the thirty (30) day period for good cause shown. Any person who has been granted intervention may obtain copies of the application and any other filing made by the utility by