COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

AN INVESTIGATION OF DUKE ENERGY)	
KENTUCKY, INC.'S ACCOUNTING SALE OF)	CASE NO.
NATURAL GAS NOT USED IN ITS COMBUSTION)	2014-00078
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ORDER

On March 14, 2014, the Commission issued an order establishing this case to investigate and address Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc.'s ("Duke Kentucky") proposed accounting treatment for natural gas which was purchased in January 2014 for use in its combustion turbines at Woodsdale Station, but which was unused and subsequently sold.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

- 1. The procedural schedule set forth in the Appendix, which is attached hereto and incorporated herein, shall be followed.
- 2. a. Responses to requests for information shall be filed in accordance with the electronic filing procedures set forth in 807 KAR 5:001, Section 8, and shall be appropriately indexed and bookmarked and shall include the name of the witness responsible for responding to the questions related to the information provided, with copies to all parties of record and a paper copy to the Commission. Any request for information by letter from Commission Staff shall be responded to as if set forth in a Commission Order.

- b. Each response shall be answered under oath or, for representatives of a public or private corporation or a partnership or an association or a governmental agency, be accompanied by a signed certification of the preparer or person supervising the preparation of the response on behalf of the entity that the response is true and accurate to the best of that person's knowledge, information, and belief formed after a reasonable inquiry.
- c. A party shall make timely amendment to any prior response if it obtains information which indicates that the response was incorrect when made or, though correct when made, is now incorrect in any material respect.
- d. For any request to which a party fails or refuses to furnish all or part of the requested information, that party shall provide a written explanation of the specific grounds for its failure to completely and precisely respond.
- 3. Any party filing testimony shall file in accordance with the electronic filing procedures set forth in 807 KAR 5:001, Section 8, with one paper copy to the Commission.
- 4. At any public hearing in this matter, neither opening statements nor summarization of direct testimonies shall be permitted.
- 5. Any objections or motions relating to discovery or procedural dates shall be filed upon four business days' notice or the filing party shall explain, in writing, why such notice was not possible.
- 6. The Commission does not look favorably upon motions for continuance. Consequently, motions for extensions of time with respect to the schedule herein shall be made in writing and will be granted only upon a showing of good cause.

- 7. A person who submits a motion to intervene after April 18, 2014 and, upon a showing of good cause, is granted full intervention shall accept and abide by the existing procedural schedule.
- 8. Nothing contained herein shall prevent the Commission from entering further Orders in this matter.

By the Commission

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Executive Director

APPENDIX

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2014-00078 DATED APR 0 1 2014

A person interested in becoming a party to this proceeding shall file a motion to intervene with the Commission pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, Section 4(11) no later than
All Requests for Information to Duke Kentucky shall be filed no later than
Duke Kentucky's responses to Requests for Information shall be filed no later than
All supplemental Requests for Information to Duke Kentucky shall be filed no later than
Duke Kentucky's responses to supplemental Requests for Information shall be filed no later than06/06/14
Intervenor testimony, if any, in verified prepared form, or comments shall be filed no later than
All Requests for Information to Intervenors shall be filed no later than
Intervenors' responses to Requests for Information shall be filed no later than
Duke Kentucky's rebuttal testimony, if any, shall be filed no later than08/01/14
Public Hearing to be held at 10:00 a.m. Eastern Standard Time, in Hearing Room 1 of the Commission's offices at 211 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky, for the purpose of cross-examination of witnesses of Duke Kentucky and Intervenors
Briefs, if any, shall be filed no later than

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