COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

AN ELECTRONIC EXAMINATION OF THE) APPLICATION OF THE FUEL ADJUSTMENT) CASE NO. CLAUSE OF LOUISVILLE GAS & ELECTRIC) 2022-00266 COMPANY FROM NOVEMBER 1, 2021) THROUGH APRIL 30, 2022)

COMMISSION STAFF'S SECOND REQUEST FOR INFORMATION TO LOUISVILLE GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY

Louisville Gas and Electric Company (LG&E), pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, is to file with the Commission an electronic version of the following information. The information requested is due on October 28, 2022. The Commission directs LG&E to the Commission's July 22, 2021 Order in Case No. 2020-00085¹ regarding filings with the Commission. Electronic documents shall be in portable document format (PDF), shall be searchable, and shall be appropriately bookmarked.

Each response shall include the question to which the response is made and shall include the name of the witness responsible for responding to the questions related to the information provided. Each response shall be answered under oath or, for representatives of a public or private corporation or a partnership or association or a governmental agency, be accompanied by a signed certification of the preparer or the person supervising the preparation of the response on behalf of the entity that the

¹ Case No. 2020-00085, *Electronic Emergency Docket Related to the Novel Coronavirus COVID-19* (Ky. PSC July 22, 2021), Order (in which the Commission ordered that for case filings made on and after March 16, 2020, filers are NOT required to file the original physical copies of the filings required by 807 KAR 5:001, Section 8).

response is true and accurate to the best of that person's knowledge, information, and belief formed after a reasonable inquiry.

LG&E shall make timely amendment to any prior response if LG&E obtains information that indicates the response was incorrect when made or, though correct when made, is now incorrect in any material respect. For any request to which LG&E fails or refuses to furnish all or part of the requested information, LG&E shall provide a written explanation of the specific grounds for its failure to completely and precisely respond.

Careful attention shall be given to copied material to ensure that it is legible. When the requested information has been previously provided in this proceeding in the requested format, reference may be made to the specific location of that information in responding to this request. When applicable, the requested information shall be separately provided for total company operations and jurisdictional operations. When filing a paper containing personal information, LG&E shall, in accordance with 807 KAR 5:001, Section 4(10), encrypt or redact the paper so that personal information cannot be read.

1. Refer to the Direct Testimony of Delbert Billiter (Billiter Testimony), page 2, lines 15–23; and page 4, lines 1–7; and LG&E's Response to Staff's First Request for Information (Staff's First Request), Item 4. Between the two solicitations sent during the review period to over 70 vendors, only 4 and 10 vendors responded, respectively. Explain whether LG&E is aware of the reasons the non-respondents did not reply. For example, they were simply at capacity and had no additional supplies available or there was not sufficient transportation available.

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2. Refer to LG&E's Response to Staff's First Request, Item 3e. Increased coal inventory target levels is not the same as increase inventory levels. Explain further whether LG&E is actively trying to increase its coal supply inventory levels in the face of the additional risks. If so, explain the progress being made to achieve that goal.

3. For each month of the review period, provide the total amount of fuel related cost that occurred during a forced outage that was disallowed pursuant to 807 KAR 5:056, or that LG&E was unable to collect via any other means.

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