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## PARTIES OF RECORD

RE: Case No. 2022-00066

The Commission staff has reviewed the application in the above case and finds that it meets the minimum filing requirements and has been accepted for filing.

Enclosed please find a stamped filed copy of the first page of your filing. This case has been docketed and will be processed as expeditiously as possible.

If you need further assistance, please contact my staff at 502-564-3940.

Sincerely,

Linda C. Bridwell **Executive Director** 

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#### **COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY**

#### BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

APPLICATION OF KENTUCKY UTILITIES	)	
COMPANY FOR A CERTIFICATE OF	)	
PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY	)	CASE NO.
FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF	)	2022-00066
TRANSMISSION FACILITIES IN HARDIN	)	
COUNTY, KENTUCKY	)	

### **VERIFIED APPLICATION**

Kentucky Utilities Company ("KU" or the "Company"), pursuant to KRS 278.020, 807 KAR 5:001, and 807 KAR 5:120, hereby applies to the Kentucky Public Service Commission ("Commission") for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity ("CPCN") for the construction of certain electric transmission facilities to be located in Hardin County, Kentucky. KU seeks a CPCN to construct two 345kV transmission lines, two 138kV transmission lines, and two associated substations to serve Ford Motor Company's and its partner, SK Innovation's, (collectively, "Ford")<sup>1</sup> new battery production facilities at the Glendale Megasite in Hardin County, Kentucky which is south of Elizabethtown, Kentucky near the town of Glendale as well as to meet expected need for future development in the area including other customers supporting Ford. In support of this Verified Application, the Company states as follows:

1. <u>Address.</u> KU's full name and business address is: Kentucky Utilities Company, One Quality Street, Lexington, Kentucky 40507. KU may be reached by electronic mail at the electronic mail addresses of its counsel set forth below.

 $<sup>^{1}</sup>$ Ford Motor Company has partnered with SK Innovation to build the battery plants at what will be called the BlueOvalSK Battery Park.

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