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Case No. 2024-00115

Thank you for your comments on the application of Kentucky Power Company. Your comments in the above-referenced matter have been received and will be placed into the case file for the Commission's consideration. Please cite the case number in this matter, 2024-00115, in any further correspondence. The documents in this case are available at [View Case Filings for: 2024-00115 \(ky.gov\)](#).

Thank you for your interest in this matter.

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Dear Commissioners

Case #2024-00115 KY Power DSM Case

Kentucky Power serves a population where many struggle financially. A more robust DMS program is needed to serve the people of eastern Kentucky to allow more control of energy costs and reduce the frequency and size of rate increases.

I have been a Kentucky Power customers for many years (decades!). My bill has increased significantly over time, but especially it seems just over the last few years. DSM programs, aggressively made available to those who struggle pay their bills, can lessen the burden of increasing bills.

We know that in our state and world today we need to better manage and even reduce energy use. Technology, including energy-saving technology, is changing so fast that it makes no sense to lock electric consumers into a 40-year obligation to technologies of the past. How great it would be if Kentucky Power became a state and national leader in helping a region, where the housing stock is poor and electric bills take a larger chunk of household income, become a model for smart energy consumption.

Sincerely,
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