

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC APPLICATION OF LOUISVILLE)	
GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY FOR AN)	
ADJUSTMENT OF ITS ELECTRIC AND GAS)	CASE NO.
RATES AND APPROVAL OF CERTAIN)	2025-00114
REGULATORY AND ACCOUNTING)	
TREATMENTS)	

ORDER

On September 23, 2025, the United States Department of Defense and all other Executive Agencies (DOD), an intervening party in this matter, filed a motion requesting permission to attend the October 8-9, 2025 informal conference virtually. As a basis for this motion, the DOD stated that, should a federal government shut down occur, counsel for DOD, Kyle Smith, would like to appear virtually at the informal conference, or in the alternative, be excused.¹ In the event of a government shutdown, counsel stated he would be furloughed and could not obligate the federal funds for the travel expense.²

Having considered the motion and being otherwise sufficiently advised, the Commission finds DOD's motion is granted. Although in-person appearance would be helpful considering the size and complexity of this case, the Commission recognizes it is unreasonable to require in-person attendance of the DOD's counsel if a federal government shutdown were to occur. Mr. Smith requested virtual appearance or excusal

¹ Motion to Appear Virtually or be Excused from Attendance (Motion) (filed Sept. 23, 2025) at 1.


² Motion at 1-2.

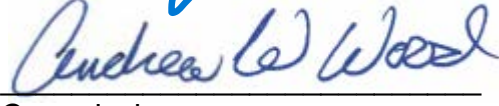
only if the government shutdown actually occurs. The Commission finds that a government shutdown would constitute good cause to allow Mr. Smith to appear virtually or be excused entirely.


IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the DOD's motion is granted.

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ATTEST:


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