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### **RIDER AMO**

# ADVANCED METER OPT-OUT (AMO) - RESIDENTIAL

### APPLICABILITY

Applicable to residential customers served under Rate RS who request an electric meter that does not utilize radio frequency communications to transmit data provided that such a meter is available for use by the Company. At the Company's option, meters to be read manually may be either an advanced meter with the radio frequency communication capability disabled or other non-communicating meter. The meter manufacturer and model chosen to service the customer's premise are at the discretion of the Company and are subject to change at the Company's option, at any time. Rider AMO is optional and is available subject to the Terms and Conditions below.

## DEFINITION

"Advanced meter" means any electric meter that meets the pertinent engineering standards using digital technology and is capable of providing two-way communications with the electric utility to provide usage and/or other technical data.

### CHARGES

Residential customers who elect, at any time, to opt-out of the Company's advanced metering infrastructure (AMI) system shall pay a one-time fee of \$100.00 and a recurring monthly fee of \$25.00. During the Metering Upgrade project deployment phase, if prior to an advanced meter being installed at a customer premise, any existing residential electric customer that elects to participate in this opt-out program, Duke Energy Kentucky will not charge the one-time set-up fee, providing the residential electric customer notifies the Company of such election in advance of the advanced meter being installed. Those residential customers electing to participate in this residential opt-out program will be subject to the ongoing \$25.00 per month ongoing charge. Following deployment completion, any residential customer who later elects to participate in the Opt-Out Program will be assessed the \$100 set-up fee in addition to the ongoing monthly charge.

### **TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

The Company shall have the right to refuse to provide advanced meter opt-out service in either of the following circumstances:

- (a) If the customer has a history of meter tampering or unauthorized use of electricity at the current or any prior location.
- (b) If such a service creates a safety hazard to consumers or their premises, the public, or the electric utility's personnel or facilities.
- (c) If a customer does not allow the electric utility's employees or agents access to the meter at the customer's premises for either maintenance, connection/disconnection, or meter-reading.

#### SERVICE REGULATIONS

The supplying of, and billing for, service and all conditions applying thereto, are subject to the jurisdiction of the Kentucky Public Service Commission, and to Company's Service Regulations currently in effect, as filed with the Kentucky Public Service Commission Batched Cay MMISSION

Issued by authority of an Order by the Kentucky Public Service Commission dated May 25, 2017 in Case No. 2016-00152.

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