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Via Overnight Mail

August 20, 2012

Mr. Jeff Derouen, Executive Director Kentucky Public Service Commission 211 Sower Boulevard Frankfort, Kentucky 40602

Re: Case No. 2012-00063

Dear Mr. Derouen:

Please find enclosed the original and ten (10) copies of KENTUCKY INDUSTRIAL UTILITY CUSTOMERS, INC.'s PETITION FOR CONFIDENTIAL TREATMENT for filing in the above-referenced matter.

By copy of this letter, all parties listed on the Certificate of Service have been served. Please place these documents of file.

Very Truly Yours,

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Certificate of Service Quang Nyugen, Esq. Faith Burns, Esq. David C. Brown, Esq.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing was served by electronic mail (when available) and by mailing a true and correct copy by regular, U.S. Mail, unless other noted, this 20th day of August, 2012 to the following

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In the	Matter of:		AUG 2 1 2012
			PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
	Application of Big Rivers Electric Corporation)	COMMISSIONE
	for Approval of its 2012 Environmental)	
	Compliance Plan, for Approval of its Amended)	
	Environmental Cost Recovery Surcharge Tariff,)	Case No. 2012-00063
	for Certificates of Public Convenience and)	
	Necessity, and for Authority to Establish a)	
	Regulatory Account)	

KENTUCKY INDUSTRIAL UTILITY CUSTOMERS, INC.'S

PETITION FOR CONFIDENTIAL TREATMENT

Kentucky Industrial Utility Customers, Inc. ("KIUC"), by counsel, for their Petition for Confidential Treatment filed pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, Section 7 and KRS 61.878(1)(c), states as follows:

On March 25, 2011 counsel for KIUC signed a Confidentiality Agreement in which KIUC agreed to protect certain information contained in Big Rivers Electric Corporation's (BREC) data responses and pre-filed testimony. On August 6, 2012 and August 9, 2012 KIUC filed data responses to Commission Staff, Big Rivers and the Sierra Club that contain or reference information from Big Rivers' testimony/exhibits and data responses that are subject to confidential treatment per the Confidentiality Agreement signed by KIUC at the request of Big Rivers. The following KIUC data responses contain such confidential information:

Commission Staff – Q. 1 BREC – Q. 1, 3, 4, 11, 24, 25, 26 and 27 Sierra Club – Q. 1.a Pursuant to this Confidential Agreement, KIUC petitions the Commission for confidential treatment of the above-referenced data responses.

Respectfully submitted,

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