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RE: *The Matter Of: The Application Of Kentucky Power Company For An Order Approving Accounting Practices To Establish Regulatory Assets And Liabilities Related To The Extraordinary Expenses Incurred By Kentucky Power Company In Connection With Four 2012 Major Storm Events, Case No. 2012-00445*

Dear Mr. Derouen:

Enclosed please find and accept for filing the original and ten copies of Kentucky Power Company's Motion to Amend its Application in this matter. Also tendered for filing is the Amended Application.

Kentucky Power is amending its Application to include a fifth Major Event storm.

Copies of the filings also are being served on counsel for Kentucky Industrial Utility Customers, Inc. and the Office of the Attorney General along with a copy of this letter.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,

  
Mark R. Overstreet

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Enclosure

cc: Jennifer B. Hans (with enclosure)  
Michael L. Kurtz (with enclosure)

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY  
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**Motion To Amend Application**

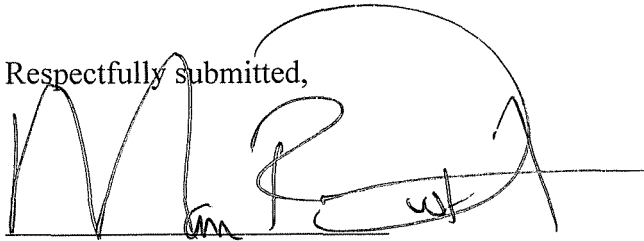
Kentucky Power Company moves the Public Service Commission of Kentucky pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, Section 3(5) to amend its Application in this proceeding to accumulate and defer for review and recovery in the Company's next base rate proceeding the costs associated with a fifth 2012 Major Event storm. In support of its motion, Kentucky Power states:

1. Kentucky Power filed its application in this proceeding on September 28, 2012. In its Application, the Company sought an order permitting it to accumulate and defer for review and recovery in the Company's next base rate proceeding the costs associated with four 2012 Major Event storms.
2. Beginning on October 29, 2012, Kentucky Power's service territory was struck by a snow storm associated with Hurricane Sandy. The storm qualified as a Major Event storm. The heavy, wet snow caused substantial damage to the Company's distribution facilities and produced significant service outages. The Company incurred \$702,525 of incremental operational and maintenance expenses that would not have been incurred but for the storm.
3. The values listed in the amended Application for the four 2012 Major Event storms that were a part of the September 28, 2012 original Application have been updated to

conform to the most recent information available to the Company. The same updated information was provided in the Company's December 7, 2012 Supplemental Response to Staff's Second Data Request, Item No. 5.

Wherefore, Kentucky Power Company respectfully requests leave to file its amended Application.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'M. Overstreet', written over a horizontal line.

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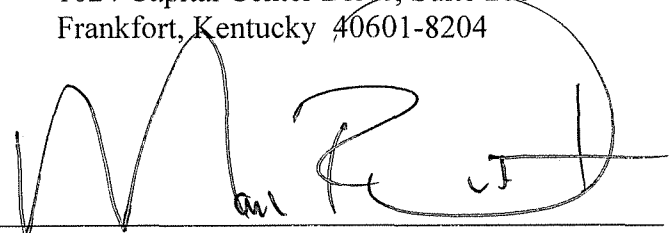
**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a true and accurate copy of the foregoing was served by United States Mail, Postage Pre-paid, upon:

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on this the 21<sup>st</sup> day of December, 2012.



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