

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

APPLICATION FOR ADJUSTMENT OF ELECTRIC)
RATES OF KENTUCKY POWER COMPANY) CASE NO. 91-066

O R D E R

On June 7, 1991, the Attorney General's office, Utility and Rate Intervention Division ("AG"), filed a motion requesting the Commission to compel Kentucky Power Company ("Kentucky Power") to provide the information requested in 65 items of the AG's first information request. The AG's motion lists the 65 items, along with Kentucky Power's objections or responses to the items, and claims that either the objections are groundless or the responses insufficient. Further, the AG requests a hearing on the motion and a modification of the procedural schedule.

Based on the motion and being advised, the Commission hereby finds that Kentucky Power should file by June 14, 1991 its response to the AG's motion. For each item in the AG's motion which was objected to as being burdensome and/or voluminous, and each item in the Commission's May 10, 1991 Order which was similarly objected to, Kentucky Power should provide at an evidentiary hearing an estimate of the amount of time, effort, and number of pages necessary to respond to each item.

The AG's request to modify the procedural schedule will be deferred until a decision is made on the motion to compel.

However, the Commission notes that Kentucky Power has responded without objection to approximately 250 other items of the AG's first information request and there has been no good cause shown why supplemental information requests cannot be propounded on those items.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. Kentucky Power shall respond by June 14, 1991 to the AG's motion to compel.

2. A hearing be and it hereby is scheduled on June 19, 1991 at 9:00 a.m., Eastern Daylight Time, in Hearing Room No. 1 of the Commission's offices at 730 Schenkel Lane, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

3. The AG's request to modify the procedural schedule be and it hereby is deferred until after a decision on the motion to compel.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 13th day of June, 1991.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION


For the Commission

ATTEST:


Executive Director