COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

INVESTIGATION INTO ELECTRIC) ADMINISTRATIVE UTILITIES' EMERGENCY RESPONSE PLANS) CASE NO. 345

ORDER

The Commission, on its own motion, is opening this proceeding to consider whether electric utilities should be required to have plans which direct how each utility should adequately respond to emergencies affecting its facilities or services.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. All jurisdictional electrical utilities are hereby made parties.

2. All parties shall, within 30 days of the date of this Order, file written comments regarding whether electric utilities should be required to have plans which direct how each utility should adequately respond to emergencies affecting the utility's facilities or service and, if so, what minimum criteria should be contained in such plans.

3. All parties shall, within 30 days of the date of this Order, file their existing emergency response plans.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 12th day of October, 1992.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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ATTEST:

Executive Director