COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

APPLICATION OF KENTUCKY POWER)
COMPANY, D/B/A AMERICAN ELECTRIC)
POWER FOR AUTHORITY TO IMPLEMENT) CASE NO. 98-345
A TARIFF RIDER FOR TEMPORARY)
EMERGENCY CURTAILABLE SERVICE)

ORDER

Kentucky Power Company d/b/a American Electric Power ("Kentucky Power") and the Attorney General ("Attorney General") have jointly moved to dismiss this proceeding as moot. As grounds for their motion, they state that the proposed Tariff Rider for Temporary Emergency Curtailable Service ("TEC"), which became effective subject to change on July 8, 1998, has not been applied to any Kentucky customer and will terminate on September 30, 1998. No objections to the motion have been filed.

Having considered the motion and being otherwise sufficiently advised, the Commission finds that:

- 1. The TEC Tariff Rider was intended to deal with temporary emergency operating conditions during the summer of 1998 and expired on September 30, 1998.
- 2. No Kentucky Power customer elected to participate in TEC Service or submitted a TEC bid. The TEC rider, therefore, has not been applied to any Kentucky Power customer.
- 3. The AG has withdrawn his request for information and his request for a public hearing.

4. Due to the lack of participation, the issues of cost recovery and administration of the TEC bidding system are moot.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

- 1. The motion of Kentucky Power and the AG is granted.
- 2. Kentucky Power's Application for authority to implement a TEC Tariff Rider is denied as moot.
- 3. No action taken in this proceeding shall be construed a finding on the reasonableness or lawfulness of the TEC Tariff Rider.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 1st day of October, 1998.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Chairman

Vice Chairman

Commissioner

ATTEST

Executive Director