

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

THE JOINT APPLICATION OF BIG RIVERS)	
ELECTRIC CORPORATION, GREEN RIVER)	
ELECTRIC CORPORATION, HENDERSON)	
UNION ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, JACKSON)	
PURCHASE ENERGY CORPORATION, AND)	CASE NO.
MEADE COUNTY RURAL ELECTRIC)	98-427
COOPERATIVE CORPORATION FOR)	
AUTHORITY TO REFUND CERTAIN)	
AMOUNTS RECEIVED AS RESTITUTION)	
BY BIG RIVERS ELECTRIC CORPORATION)	

O R D E R

This matter arising upon the joint motion of Southwire Company and Alcan Aluminum Corporation (hereinafter referred to collectively as "Smelters"), filed August 24, 1998, for full intervention, and it appearing to the Commission that the Smelters have a special interest which is not otherwise adequately represented, and that such intervention is likely to present issues and develop facts that will assist the Commission in fully considering the matter without unduly complicating or disrupting the proceedings, and this Commission being otherwise sufficiently advised,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

1. The motion of the Smelters to intervene is granted.
2. The Smelters shall be entitled to the full rights of a party and shall be served with the Commission's Orders and with filed testimony, exhibits, pleadings, correspondence, and all other documents submitted by parties after the date of this Order.

3. Should the Smelters file documents of any kind with the Commission in the course of these proceedings, they shall also serve a copy of said documents on all other parties of record.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 27th day of August, 1998.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

B. J. Helton
For the Commission

ATTEST:

Heleen C. Helton
Executive Director