COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

APPLICATION OF BIG SANDY RECC, BLUE GRASS ENERGY COOPERATIVE CORPORATION, CLARK ENERGY COOPERATIVE, CUMBERLAND VALLEY ELECTRIC, FARMERS RECC, FLEMING-MASON ENERGY, GRAYSON RECC, INTER-COUNTY ENERGY COOPERATIVE, JACKSON ENERGY COOPERATIVE, LICKING VALLEY RECC, NOLIN RECC, OWEN ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, SALT RIVER ELECTRIC, SHELBY ENERGY COOPERATIVE, SOUTH KENTUCKY RECC AND TAYLOR COUNTY RECC FOR AUTHORITY TO PASS THROUGH THE ENVIRONMENTAL SURCHARGE OF EAST KENTUCKY POWER COOPERATIVE, INC.)))) CASE NO.) 2004-00372)))))
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ORDER

This matter arising upon the motion of Gallatin Steel Company ("Gallatin Steel"), filed September 29, 2004, for full intervention, it appearing to the Commission 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 Gallatin Steel to intervene is granted.

2. Gallatin Steel 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 Gallatin Steel file documents of any kind with the Commission in the course of these proceedings, it shall also serve a copy of said documents on all other parties of record.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 7th day of October, 2004.

By the Commission

ATTEST:

Kobert a amonth for the Executive Director

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