

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

AN EXAMINATION OF THE APPLICATION OF)
THE FUEL ADJUSTMENT CLAUSE OF EAST)
KENTUCKY POWER COOPERATIVE, INC. FROM) CASE NO. 2005-00241
NOVEMBER 1, 2004 TO APRIL 30, 2005)

COMMISSION STAFF'S INTERROGATORIES AND
REQUESTS FOR PRODUCTION OF DOCUMENTS TO
EAST KENTUCKY POWER COOPERATIVE, INC.

Pursuant to Administrative Regulation 807 KAR 5:001, Commission Staff requests that East Kentucky Power Cooperative, Inc. ("East Kentucky") file the original and 5 copies of the following information with the Commission within 10 days of the date of this request, with a copy to all parties of record. Each copy of the information requested shall be placed in a bound volume with each item tabbed. When a number of sheets are required for an item, each sheet should be appropriately indexed, for example, Item 1(a), Sheet 2 of 6. Include with each response the name of the witness who will be responsible for responding to questions relating to the information provided. Careful attention shall be given to copied material to ensure its legibility. When the requested information has been previously provided in this proceeding in the requested format, reference may be made to the specific location of that information in responding to this request.

1. Refer to East Kentucky's Response to the Commission's Order of July 7, 2005, Item 5. During April 2005, Cooper Unit One experienced over 233 hours of forced outages due to boiler tube leaks at Cooper Unit One.

a. Explain whether the failures occurred in a common location or whether the failures occurred over a wide-spread area.

b. State whether East Kentucky believes the boiler tube repairs performed sufficiently addressed the problem. Explain. State whether additional boiler tube repairs have been performed on Cooper Unit One since April 30, 2005, and describe the nature of these repairs.

2. Refer to East Kentucky's Response to the Commission's Order of July 7, 2005, Item 6. East Kentucky has received only 22 percent of the annual requirements due under its contract with Oxford Mining Company through June 5, 2005. Explain whether East Kentucky is aware of any production or delivery problems for coal purchased from Oxford Mining Company.

3. Refer to Item 13 of the response to the Commission's July 7, 2005 Order, which indicates that East Kentucky sent an updated fuel procurement policy and procedures manual to the Commission in June 2005. Provide 3 copies of these updated policies and procedures for the record of this case.



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DATED: August 10, 2005

cc: Parties of Record