

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

GENERAL ADJUSTMENT OF ELECTRIC RATES)	CASE NO.
OF EAST KENTUCKY POWER)	2006-00472
COOPERATIVE, INC.)	

O R D E R

On February 13, 2007, the Commission determined that the application submitted by East Kentucky Power Cooperative, Inc. ("East Kentucky") for an increase in its electric rates utilizing a historic test period was filed as of February 6, 2007. In its application, East Kentucky proposed that its rates become effective on April 1, 2007.

Based on a review of East Kentucky's rate application, the Commission finds that an investigation will be necessary to determine the reasonableness of the proposed rates and that the investigation cannot be completed by April 1, 2007. Therefore, pursuant to KRS 278.190(2), the Commission will suspend the effective date of the proposed rates for 5 months. The Commission reserves judgment as to whether East Kentucky's request for interim rate relief should be granted during the suspension period.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. Pursuant to KRS 278.190(2), East Kentucky's proposed rates are suspended up to and including August 31, 2007.
2. Nothing contained herein shall prevent the Commission from entering further Orders in this matter.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 27th day of March, 2007.

By the Commission

ATTEST:

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Executive Director