

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

THE APPLICATION OF EAST KENTUCKY POWER)	
COOPERATIVE FOR CONTINUATION OF)	CASE NO.
TOUCHSTONE ENERGY HOME PROGRAM)	2006-00547
REBATE)	

FIRST DATA REQUEST OF COMMISSION STAFF TO
EAST KENTUCKY POWER COOPERATIVE

East Kentucky Power Cooperative ("EKPC"), pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, is requested to file with the Commission the original and 5 copies of the following information, with a copy to all parties of record. The information requested herein is due on or before February 28, 2007. Each copy of the data requested should 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 should be given to copied material to ensure that it is legible. Where information requested herein has been provided, in the format requested herein, reference may be made to the specific location of said information in responding to this information request.

1. Concerning the "Touchstone Energy Home" program:
 - a. What safeguards has EKPC established that will ensure that those participants receiving rebates have met all the program's requirements?
 - b. What procedures are used to ensure that only one incentive payment is paid to a single address?

2. Concerning the electric heat pump program:
 - a. What validation procedures did EKPC establish to ensure that the installed electric heat pump met the “Energy Star” standards for that participant?
 - b. What procedures are used to ensure that only one incentive payment is paid to a single address?
3. Refer to EKPC’s Integrated Resource Plan, Case No. 2006-00471,¹ and specifically the section on DSM – 2 Touchstone Energy Home program. What are EKPC’s plans on maintaining the DSM – 2 Touchstone Energy Home program participants’ information?
4. Concerning the recovery of program costs:
 - a. While preparing the application in this case, did EKPC give any consideration to seeking cost recovery of the program costs as provided under KRS 278.285? Explain the response.
 - b. If EKPC does not plan to seek recovery of the DSM program costs, explain in detail why EKPC decided against seeking cost recovery under KRS 278.285.
5. Has EKPC pursued other means to fund this rebate program (i.e., Federal Grants, Corporate Sponsorships, etc)?
6. Provide a breakdown of customer participation, by member-company, which includes how many customers have received rebates and the amount of those rebates.

¹ Case No. 2006-00471, The 2006 Integrated Resource Plan of East Kentucky Power Cooperative, Inc.

7. Provide any workpapers associated with the determination of energy savings attributable to this program to date, and expected savings in the future.

8. Provide total dollar amount of rebates paid by EKPC since June 1, 2006.



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DATED February 14, 2007

cc: All Parties