

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY  
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

APPLICATION OF OWEN ELECTRIC	)	CASE NO.
COOPERATIVE, INC. FOR AN ADJUSTMENT	)	2008-00154
OF RATES	)	

O R D E R

On January 27, 2009, Owen Electric Cooperative, Inc. ("Owen") filed notice that it was substituting the testimony of Robert Hood with the testimony of Mark Stallons. In the notice, Owen advised that Mr. Stallons had succeeded Mr. Hood as the company's president on January 5, 2009. Similar to Mr. Hood's prefiled testimony, Mr. Stallons' testimony, filed with the notice, provides a general discussion regarding the reasons why Owen filed its rate application. Mr. Stallons' testimony, however, contains additional information concerning Owen's proposed rate design and its impact on the company's efforts to implement demand-side management and energy efficiency programs.

On January 29, 2009, the Attorney General ("AG") filed a motion to strike that portion of Mr. Stallons' testimony which addresses a subject matter that was not covered by Mr. Hood's testimony. The AG argues that Mr. Stallons' testimony was untimely filed and that the additional subject matter has not been subjected to review and scrutiny by the Intervenors.<sup>1</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> In addition to the AG, Gallatin Steel Company was granted intervention in this matter.

In the alternative, the AG requests that the hearing scheduled for February 3, 2009 be postponed and that the procedural schedule be modified to allow for additional discovery concerning Mr. Stallons' prefiled testimony.

Having reviewed the motion and being otherwise sufficiently advised, the Commission finds that the AG's request to modify the procedural schedule is reasonable and should be granted.

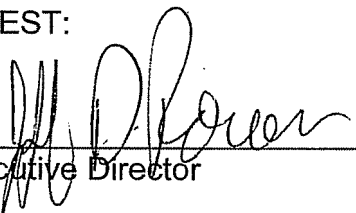
IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. The hearing scheduled for February 3, 2009 shall be continued.
2. The procedural schedule set forth in Appendix A, which is attached hereto and incorporated herein, shall be followed and supersedes the previous schedule established in the Commission's September 15, 2008 Order.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 3rd day of February, 2009.

By the Commission

ATTEST:

  
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Executive Director

APPENDIX A

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE  
COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2008-00154 DATED FEBRUARY 3, 2009

All supplemental requests for information to  
Owen regarding the prefiled testimony  
of Mark Stallons shall be filed no later than .....02/13/09

Owen shall file responses to supplemental  
requests for information no later than .....02/27/09

Public hearing to be held at 10:00 a.m., Eastern Standard Time,  
in Hearing Room 1 of the Commission's offices at 211 Sower Boulevard,  
Frankfort, Kentucky, for the purpose of  
cross-examination of witnesses of Owen and Intervenors .....03/25/09

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