COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

AN EXAMINATION BY THE PUBLIC SERVICE)	
COMMISSION OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL)	
SURCHARGE MECHANISM OF EAST KENTUCKY)	
POWER COOPERATIVE, INC. FOR THE)	
TWO-YEAR BILLING PERIOD ENDING)	CASE NO.
JUNE 30, 2011, FOR THE SIX-MONTH BILLING)	2012-00486
PERIODS ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2011 AND)	
JUNE 30, 2012, AND THE PASS THROUGH)	
MECHANISM FOR ITS SIXTEEN MEMBER)	
DISTRIBUTION COOPERATIVES)	

COMMISSION STAFF'S SECOND REQUEST FOR INFORMATION TO EAST KENTUCKY POWER COOPERATIVE, INC.

East Kentucky Power Cooperative, Inc. ("EKPC"), pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, is to file with the Commission the original and five copies of the following information, with a copy to all parties of record. The information requested herein is due by February 14, 2013. Responses to requests for information shall be appropriately bound, tabbed and indexed. Each response shall include the name of the witness responsible for responding to the questions related to the information provided.

Each response shall be answered under oath or, for representatives of a public or private corporation or a partnership or association or a governmental agency, be accompanied by a signed certification of the preparer or person supervising the preparation of the response on behalf of the entity that the response is true and accurate to the best of that person's knowledge, information, and belief formed after a reasonable inquiry.

EKPC shall make timely amendment to any prior response if it obtains information which indicates that the response was incorrect when made or, though correct when made, is now incorrect in any material respect. For any request to which EKPC fails or refuses to furnish all or part of the requested information, EKPC shall provide a written explanation of the specific grounds for its failure to completely and precisely respond.

Careful attention should be given to copied material to ensure that it is legible. 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 the responses to Commission Staff's First Request for Information, Item 2.
- a. Has your cooperative experienced any problems in administering the refund of any over-recovery or collection of any under-recovery of environmental surcharge costs?
- b. Does your cooperative recommend any changes from the current method of refunding/collecting any over- or under-recovery of environmental surcharge costs over a six-month time period? If so, what is the time period your cooperative believes is appropriate?
- c. Describe the benefits, if any, of allowing the refund/collection of any over-/under-recovery of environmental surcharge costs to be spread over a time period different from the current six-month recovery period.

- d. Describe the negative effects, if any, of allowing the refund/collection of over-/under-recovery of environmental surcharge costs to be spread over a time period different from the current six-month period.
- 2. Provide each cooperative's actual average residential customer's monthly kWh usage. Based on this usage amount, provide the dollar impact any over- or under-recovery will have on the average residential customer's bill for a recovery period of six months and a recovery period of 12 months.

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