COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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APPLICATION OF KENTUCKY POWER)	
COMPANY FOR: (1) A GENERAL)	
ADJUSTMENT OF ITS RATES FOR ELECTRIC)	
SERVICE; (2) AN ORDER APPROVING ITS)	CASE NO.
2014 ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE PLAN;)	2014-00396
(3) AN ORDER APPROVING ITS TARIFFS AND)	
RIDERS; AND (4) AN ORDER GRANTING ALL)	
OTHER REQUIRED APPROVALS AND RELIEF)	

ORDER

On April 21, 2015, Kentucky Power Company ("Kentucky Power") filed a motion, pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, Sections 9(9)(a)(1) and 9(9)(a)(2), requesting an Order providing for the provision of a stenographic transcript, to be prepared by a Commission-authorized court reporter, of the formal hearing for this matter, which is scheduled to begin on May 5, 2015. Kentucky Power suggests that such a transcript will aid the parties in briefing the issues raised in this case and may assist the Commission in its deliberations. The motion sets forth the name and qualifications of the reporter Kentucky Power has hired for the May 5, 2015 hearing. Kentucky Power acknowledges that it is responsible for the cost of a stenographic transcript and for having the transcripted filed in the record of this case.

Based on the motion and being otherwise sufficiently advised, the Commission finds that its regulation, 807 KAR 5:001, Section 9(9)(a), provides for a digital video recording to be made of all hearings unless otherwise directed by Order. In this instance, Kentucky Power has established good cause to allow it to hire a court reporter

to attend the hearing and produce a stenographic transcript to be filed within a reasonable time after the hearing is completed. That transcript, which will be paid for directly by Kentucky Power, will be included in the evidentiary record but will not supplant the digital video recording as the official record maintained in accordance with the requirements of KRS 278.360.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

- 1. Kentucky Power's motion for preparation of a stenographic hearing transcript is granted.
 - Kentucky Power shall directly pay all costs for the court reporter.

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KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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Case No. 2014-00396

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