COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC EXAMINATION OF THE)	
APPLICATION OF THE FUEL)	CASE NO.
ADJUSTMENT CLAUSE OF BIG RIVERS)	2018-00023
ELECTRIC CORPORATION FROM MAY 1,)	
2017 THROUGH OCTOBER 31, 2017)	

ORDER

The Commission, on February 16, 2018, and pursuant to 807 KAR 5:056 established this proceeding to review Big Rivers Electric Corporation ("Big Rivers") fuel adjustment clause from May 1, 2017, through October 31, 2017. The Commission, pursuant to 807 KAR 5:056, Section 1(11), at six-month intervals, must conduct public hearings on a utility's past fuel adjustments and, in compliance with this regulation, scheduled a public hearing for April 18, 2018, at the Commission's offices. The obligation to hold a hearing is mandatory under the regulation.

The Commission, having reviewed the responses to requests for information, prefiled testimony, and other evidence submitted to the Commission, has determined that neither it nor Commission Staff, will have any questions for Big Rivers' witnesses at the April 18, 2018 hearing scheduled in this matter. To that end, the Commission finds that, while Big Rivers must still appear at the April 18, 2018 hearing, its witnesses are not required to appear at the hearing. Based upon the foregoing, IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Big Rivers' witnesses are excused from the April 18, 2018 hearing and do not need to attend the hearing.

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By the Commission

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KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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