COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

APPLICATION OF BIG RIVERS ELECTRIC)	
CORPORATION FOR TERMINATION OF)	CASE NO.
CONTRACTS AND A DECLARATORY ORDER)	2018-00146
AND FOR AUTHORITY TO ESTABLISH A)	
REGULATORY ASSET)	

ORDER

This matter arises upon the motion of Big Rivers Electric Corporation (BREC), filed September 14, 2018, requesting that the current abeyance period be extended until October 2, 2018. In support of its motion, BREC notes that the Commission issued an Order on August 17, 2018, granting BREC's motion to hold this matter in abeyance to allow the parties an opportunity to engage in settlement discussions regarding BREC's request for authority to establish a regulatory asset for the expenses associated with the termination of the Station Two contracts. The August 17, 2018 Order placed the matter in abeyance for 30 days from the date of the Order and scheduled a formal status conference for October 2, 2018. BREC states that the parties to this matter have reached a tentative, unanimous settlement of all remaining issues, but have not yet finalized a settlement agreement. BREC further states that the parties have been diligently working to finalize the settlement agreement and that it is likely that the agreement will be finalized prior to the October 2, 2018 formal status conference.

Having reviewed the motion and being otherwise sufficiently advised, the Commission finds that BREC has established good cause to have the abeyance period

be continued until October 2, 2018. The Commission further finds that BREC should submit the formal settlement agreement as soon as it has been finalized and executed by the parties and prior to the October 2, 2018 status conference.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

- BREC's motion to continue to hold the remaining procedural deadlines in this matter in abeyance is granted.
- 2. BREC shall file the formal settlement agreement as soon as it has been finalized and executed by the parties and prior to the October 2, 2018 status conference.

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By the Commission

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