### COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

#### BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

APPLICATION OF BIG RIVERS ELECTRIC	)	
CORPORATION FOR APPROVAL TO MODIFY ITS	)	
MRSM TARIFF, CEASE DEFERRING	)	CASE NO.
DEPRECIATION EXPENSES, ESTABLISH	)	2020-00064
REGULATORY ASSETS, AMORTIZE	)	
REGULATORY ASSETS, AND OTHER	)	
APPROPRIATE RELIEF	)	

#### ORDER

On March 18, 2020, the Attorney General of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, by and through the Office of Rate Intervention (Attorney General), filed a motion requesting that the Commission grant the Attorney General a two-day extension, up to March 26, 2020, to file his initial data requests, which have a procedural deadline of March 24, 2020. The Attorney General stated that counsel for Big Rivers Electric Corporation (BREC) advised that BREC did not have an objection to the motion.

As a basis for the motion, the Attorney General stated that he was in the process of completing a review of the application and retaining an expert consultant, which likely could not be completed by March 24, 2020. The Attorney General further stated that he does not request any further changes to the procedural schedule.

Based upon the motion and being otherwise sufficiently advised, the Commission finds that granting the Attorney General's motion will not result in undue delay or prejudice to any party, especially because BREC conveyed to the Attorney General that it does not object to the motion. Therefore, the Attorney General's motion should be granted.

Because this proceeding is on an expedited procedural schedule, the Commission will not make further changes to the procedural schedule. Commission Staff (Staff) will file Staff's first data request pursuant to the existing procedural schedule. If BREC determines that it needs an additional two days to file its response to the Attorney General's data request, then BREC should file a motion requesting the additional time to respond to the Attorney General's data request.

## IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

- 1. The Attorney General's motion for an additional two days to file its initial data request is granted.
- 2. The Attorney General shall file its initial data request on or before March 26, 2020.
- 3. The provisions of the procedural schedule entered March 12, 2020, in this proceeding that are not in conflict with this Order shall remain in effect.

# By the Commission

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ATTEST:

**Executive Director** 

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