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PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

RE: Attorney General's Supplemental Response to Staff Data Request 1 c in In the Matter of: An Adjustment of the Electric Rates, Terms and Service of Kentucky Utilities, Case No. 2003-00434

Dear Mr. Dorman,

Enclosed herewith is the Attorney General's Supplemental Response to Staff Information Request 1 c in the above styled action. By this letter I give notice that all parties of record have been served with a copy of the supplemental response.

Sincerely.

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cc: Parties of Record



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AN ADJUSTMENT OF THE ELECTRIC)	
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KENTUCKY UTILITIES COMPANY	ĺ	

Supplemental Response to Staff Requests for Information Posed by Order Dated April 6, 2004

Attached is the supplemental Response of Michael J. Majoros, Jr. to Item 1(c) of the Staff Request for information posed by Order of April 6, 2003, calculating Rate Base.

Respectfully Submitted,

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KENTUCKY UTILITIES COMPANY

Pro Forma Net Original Cost Rate Base Reflecting Majoros Adjustments <u>As of September 30, 2003</u>

			Kentucky Jurisdiction (1)		
1.	Utility Plant at Original Cost	\$	3,066,042,028		
2.	Adjustments				
3.	Pro forma ECR Net Rate Base - Rives Exhibit 2, Column 15		(137,666,131)		
4.	Pro forma E.W. Brown Repairs - Rives Exhibit 2, Column 6		(4,706,912)		
5.	Pro forma Green River 1 & 2 retirement - Rives Exhibit 2, Column 7		(18,137,447)		
6.	Asset Retirement Obligation - Asset Case No. 2003-00427		(7,408,501)		
7.	Adjusted Utility Plant		2,898,123,037		
8.	Deduct:				
9.	Reserve for Depreciation		1,377,898,286		
10.	Pro forma Green River 1 & 2 retirement - Rives Exhibit 2, Column 7		(17,086,448)		
11.	Net Utility Plant		1,537,311,199		
	Deduct:				
13.	Customer Advances for Construction		1,455,980		
14.	Accumulated Deferred Income Taxes		244,795,245		
15.	Investment Tax Credit		5,453,270		
16.	Total Deductions		251,704,495		
17.	Net Plant Deductions	-	1,285,606,704		
18.	Add:				
19.	Materials and Supplies (a)		57,926,039		
20.	Prepayments (a)(b)		2,935,464		
21.	Emission Allowances (a)		59,742		
22.	Cash Working Capital (page 2)		49,574,688		
23.	Total Additions		110,495,933		
24.	Total Net Original Cost Rate Base (Per Company)	\$	1,396,102,637	(1)	
	Majoros Adjustments:				
26.	Add: Annualized Depreciation Adjustment (Rate Base)		15,039,000	(2)	
27.	Less: CWC Adjustments		(2,279,242)	(3)	
28.	Rate Base (Per Majoros)	\$	1,408,862,395		

- (a) Average for 13 months.
- (b) Includes prepayments for property insurance only.
- (1) Attachment to Company response to PSC Set 3, Question No. 38, page 1 of 2.
- (2) Majoros Revenue Requirement Testimony, Exhibit___(MJM-7).
- (3) See page 2 of 2.

KENTUCKY UTILITIES COMPANY

Pro Forma Calculation of Cash Working Capital Reflecting Majoros Adjustments <u>As of September 30, 2003</u>

		Kentucky Jurisdiction (1)	
1. Operating expense and taxes for the 12 months ended September 30, 2003		682,633,628	
2. Pro forma Operations and Maintenance Expense Adjustments - Rives Exhibit 1, line 43		(32,038,555)	
3. Adjusted Operating expense and taxes for the 12 months ended		(32,038,333)	
September 30, 2003	\$	650,595,073	
4. Deduct:			
5. Depreciation and Amortization		88,376,624	
6. Pro forma Depreciation and Amortization Adjustments - Rives Exhibit 1, L. 14		2,091,278	
7. Pro forma ECR Depreciation Adjustments - Rives Exhibit 1, Schedule 1.03		(248,468)	
8. Depreciation for Asset Retirement		112,951	
9. Regulatory Credits		(9,444,394)	
10. Pro forma Cumulative Effect of Acct. Change Adjustment - Rives Exhibit 1, L. 2	8	8,434,618	
11. Accretion Expense		788,340	
12. Taxes			
13. Federal Income - current		18,941,937	
14. State Income - current		7,036,885	
15. Pro forma Federal and State Income Tax Adjustments - Rives Exhibit 1, L. 38	-4((14,817,954)	
16. Deferred Income - net		16,165,478	
17. Property and Other 18. Pro forma ECR Property and Other Tax Adjustment - Rives Exhibit 1.		13,973,445	
Schedule 1.03		(248,468)	
19. Investment Tax Credit - net		-	
20. Electric Power Purchased		130,560,629	
21. Pro forma Electric Purchased Power Adjustment - Rives Exhibit 1, L. 9		(7,725,329)	
22. Total Deductions	\$	253,997,572	
23. Remainder	\$	396,597,501	
24. Cash Working Capital (12 1/2% of Line 28) (Per Company)	\$	49,574,688	(1)
25. Majoros Adjustments:			
26. Environmental Surcharge and DSM at 12.5%		(399,367)	(2)
27. Annualized Depreciation Expense Difference		(399,307)	(2)
\$15,039,000 @ 12.5%		(1,879,875)	(3)
28. Subtotal	\$	(2,279,242)	
29. Adjusted Cash Working Capital (Per Majoros)	\$	47,295,446	

⁽¹⁾ Attachment to Company response to PSC Set 3, Question No. 38, page 2 of 2.

⁽²⁾ Majoros Revenue Requirement Testimony, page 7.

⁽³⁾ Majoros Revenue Requirement Testimony, Exhibit___(MJM-7)