

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY  
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

THE APPLICATION OF MEADE COUNTY RURAL )  
ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE CORPORATION FOR )  
A CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE AND )  
NECESSITY PURSUANT TO KRS 278.020(1) AND ) CASE NO.  
807 KAR 5:001, SECTION 9 AND RELATED ) 2005-00522  
SECTIONS, AUTHORIZING CERTAIN PROPOSED )  
CONSTRUCTION )

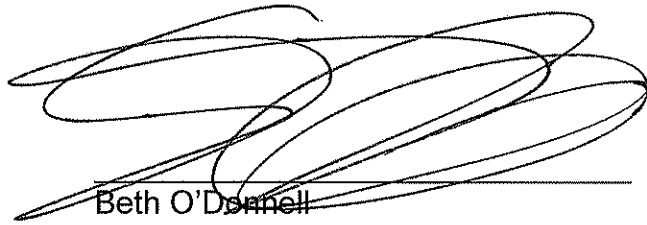
FIRST DATA REQUEST OF COMMISSION STAFF TO  
MEADE COUNTY RURAL ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE CORPORATION

Meade County Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation ("Meade County RECC"), pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, is requested to file with the Commission the original and 5 copies of the following information, with a copy to all parties of record. The information requested herein is due on or before January 27, 2006. Each copy of the data requested should be placed in a bound volume with each item tabbed. When a number of sheets are required for an item, each sheet should be appropriately indexed, for example, Item 1(a), Sheet 2 of 6. Include with each response the name of the witness who will be responsible for responding to questions relating to the information provided. Careful attention should be given to copied material to ensure that it is legible. Where information requested herein has been provided, in the format requested herein, reference may be made to the specific location of said information in responding to this information request. When applicable, the information requested herein should be provided for total company operations and jurisdictional operations, separately.

1. Provide voltage drop studies associated with this 2005-2008 3-year construction work plan study.

2. Provide copies of the Rural Utilities Service ("RUS") Form 740c that is associated with the pending 3-year work plan.

3. Refer to page 3 of the application. Meade County RECC states that 100 percent of this work plan will be financed through RUS. Traditionally, work plans have been financed with 70 percent of the funding through RUS and the remaining 30 percent of the funding through a supplemental lender. Explain why Meade County RECC has decided to use 100 percent RUS financing for this work plan. Include with this explanation a discussion of the financing options available to Meade County RECC and what qualifications Meade County RECC had to meet to utilize 100 percent RUS financing.



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DATED January 12, 2006

cc: All Parties