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## Re: <u>Case No. 2006-00307</u>

Dear Ms. O'Donnell:

Please be advised that the Kentucky Industrial Utility Customers, Inc (KIUC) will not file an initial brief in the above-referenced proceeding. However, KIUC would like to note that the issue of whether environmental compliance costs incurred at the out-of-state facilities of Kentucky Power's sister-AEP affiliate companies are recoverable through KRS 278.183 is currently being appealed at the Kentucky Court of Appeals. KIUC believes that the outcome of this Appeal will affect Kentucky Power's application in this proceeding.

By copy of this letter, all parties listed on the Certificate of Service have been served. Please place this document of file.

Very Truly Yours,

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing was served by mailing a true and correct copy, by first-class postage prepaid mail, unless otherwise noted, to all parties on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2006.

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