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Beth A. O'Donnell, Executive Director Kentucky Public Service Commission 211 Sower Boulevard Frankfort, Kentucky 40602 PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Re: Case no. 2006-00455

via (FedEx Tracking # 858720856231)

Dear Ms. O'Donnell:

Please find enclosed the original and twelve copies of Petition to Intervene of EnviroPower, Inc. filed in the above-referenced matter.

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

Sincerely Yours

Stephen M. Soble

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COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSIONE IVED

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In the Matter of:

AN INVESTIGATION OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF EAST KENTUCKY POWER COOPERATIVE, INC.

CASE NO. 2006-00455

PETITION TO INTERVENE OF ENVIROPOWER, INC.

Pursuant to K.R.S. §278.310 and 807 KAR Section 3(8), EnviroPower, Inc. ("EnviroPower") respectfully requests that it be granted full intervenor status in the above-captioned proceeding and states in support thereof as follows:

- EnviroPower, a Kentucky corporation, is a legitimate merchant power plant developer in the Commonwealth, approved by the appropriate authorities in the Commonwealth.
- 2. EnviroPower, by virtue of having been the sole final bidder on two 278 MW power plants which were awarded by East Kentucky Power Cooperative, Inc. ("EKPC") to itself has direct knowledge and unique expertise which has a direct and material bearing on the investigation in the above referenced case.
- 3. EnviroPower has never been allowed to present the full extent of its knowledge or the full extent of its expertise to Kentucky Public Service Commission in any proceeding.
- 4. EnviroPower has a unique and legitimate pecuniary interest in the viability of the transmission lines owned and operated by EKPC, as such lines and the prices charged

by EKPC and other service terms will directly and substantially impact the business of EnviroPower in delivering electricity to its customers.

- 5. EnviroPower has information, which properly vetted through a grant of full intervention, and at a public hearing, if one were to occur, would illustrate how the EKPC self-build awards will cost the rate payers of the Commonwealth well in excess of \$350 Million in overcharges for electricity and will necessarily result in the waste of tens, if not hundreds, of megawatts of generating capacity. Furthermore, the information, based on both direct knowledge of EKPC's operations and plans, and upon expertise in the industry, will illustrate for the commission the potential injury to the transmission system owned, operated and maintained by EKPC, to the detriment of the electric power generating community and ultimately to the ratepayers of the Commonwealth.
- 6. The matters being decided by the Commission in this case may have a significant impact on the prices and service terms for electric power transmission as well as the rates charged by EKPC for electricity.
- 7. The attorneys for EnviroPower authorized to represent EnviroPower in this proceeding and to take service of all documents are:

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8. The position of EnviroPower cannot be adequately represented by any existing party to this proceeding. EnviroPower intends, and commits itself, to playing a constructive role in the Commission's decision-making process and EnviroPower's participation cannot reasonably be construed to, and will not, unduly prejudice any party.

WHEREFORE, EnviroPower respectfully requests that it be granted full intervenor status in the above captioned proceeding.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing was served by mailing a true and correct copy, by regular U.S. mail to all parties on the 5th day of January, 2007.

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