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## December 17, 2007

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We enclose one attested copy of the Commission's Order in the above case.

Sincerely,

Beth O'Donnell Executive Director

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## COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

## BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

EAST KENTUCKY POWER COOPERATIVE, INC.

CASE NO. 2007-00404

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ALLEGED FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH KRS 278.042

## ORDER

On October 24, 2007, the Commission ordered East Kentucky Power Cooperative, Inc. ("EKPC") to appear before it to present evidence as to the three alleged violations of KRS 278.042 and the National Electrical Safety Code ("NESC") and show cause why it should not be subject to the penalties of KRS 278.990 for the alleged violations.

On November 13, 2007, EKPC filed its Response and Request for Informal Conference. Having considered EKPC's Request for Informal Conference, and being otherwise sufficiently advised, the Commission finds that an informal conference is appropriate in this matter.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. The formal hearing scheduled for January 8, 2008 is canceled.

2. An informal conference with Commission Staff is scheduled for January 8, 2008 at 9:00 a.m., Eastern Standard Time, in Conference Room 1 of the Commission's offices at 211 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 17th day of December, 2007.

By the Commission

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