COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

THE APPLICATIONS OF BIG RIVERS)
ELECTRIC CORPORATION FOR:)
(I) APPROVAL OF WHOLESALE TARIFF)
ADDITIONS FOR BIG RIVERS ELECTRIC)
CORPORATION, (II) APPROVAL OF)
TRANSACTIONS, (III) APPROVAL TO ISSUE) CASE NO. 2007-00455
EVIDENCES OF INDEBTEDNESS, AND)
(IV) APPROVAL OF AMENDMENTS TO)
CONTRACTS; AND OF E.ON U.S., LLC,)
WESTERN KENTUCKY ENERGY CORP.,)
AND LG&E ENERGY MARKETING, INC.)
FOR APPROVAL OF TRANSACTIONS)

ORDER

The Commission, having considered the motion filed jointly by Big Rivers Electric Corporation, Inc.; E.ON U.S. LLC; Western Kentucky Energy Corporation; and LG&E Energy Marketing, Inc., requesting that an informal conference be scheduled with Commission Staff, and being sufficiently advised, HEREBY ORDERS that an informal conference is scheduled on May 9, 2008 at 11:00 a.m., Eastern Daylight Time, in Hearing Room 2 of the Commission's offices at 211 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky. The purpose of the conference is to discuss all aspects of the pending application, including the request for approval of financing, and the potential resolution of outstanding issues.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 2nd day of May, 2008.

By the Commission

Commissioner Clark Abstains.

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