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Mr. Jeff DeRouen
Executive Director
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211 Sower Boulevard, P.O. Box 615
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Re: Notice and Application of Big Rivers Electric Corporation
for a General Adjustment in Rates P.S.C. Case No. 2009-00040

Dear Mr. DeRouen:

Enclosed are an original and seven copies of the Motion of Big Rivers Electric Corporation to withdraw its application for a rate adjustment in this matter. I certify that copies of this letter and these responses have been served on all parties of record.

Sincerely yours,

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In the Matter of:

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BIG RIVERS ELECTRIC CORPORATION'S
MOTION TO WITHDRAW APPLICATION

Big Rivers Electric Corporation ("Big Rivers") moves the Kentucky Public Service Commission ("Commission") to enter an order permitting it to withdraw its application in this matter. When this application for a general adjustment in rates was filed, Big Rivers was unequivocal that the sole purpose of the filing was to provide revenue that was badly needed if the "Unwind Transaction" approved by the Commission in *In the Matter of the Applications of Big Rivers Electric Corporation, E.ON U.S., LLC, Western Kentucky Energy Corp. and LG&E Energy Marketing, Inc.*, P.S.C. Case No. 2007-00455 failed to close. Although the road to closing was quite rough at times, the Unwind Transaction did close on July 16, 2009, rendering this proceeding moot. Big Rivers accordingly moves the Commission to permit Big Rivers to terminate this case by withdrawing its application.

This the 17th day of July, 2009.

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