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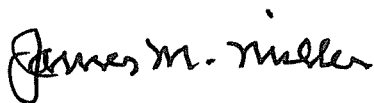
PUBLIC SERVICE
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Re: In the Matter of: Notice and Application of Big Rivers
Electric Corporation for a General Adjustment in Rates,
PSC Case No. 2011-00036

Dear Mr. DeRouen:

Big Rivers filed on April 15, 2011, a petition for confidential protection covering certain of its responses to the Second Information Request of Public Service Commission ("Commission") Staff, to the Attorney General's Initial Data Requests, and to the Kentucky Industrial Utility Customers, Inc.'s First Set of Data Requests ("KIUC's First Set of Data Requests"). Among the responses for which Big Rivers sought confidential protection in that petition were Big Rivers' responses to Items 19 and 35 of the Attorney General's Initial Data Requests ("AG 1-19" and "AG 1-35," respectively) and Item 121 of KIUC's First Set of Data Requests ("KIUC 1-121"). The information in those three responses for which Big Rivers sought confidential protection was information about the compensation of certain individuals. That information is in the same category of information for which the Commission denied confidential protection in its letter dated April 21, 2011, in this matter. Therefore, Big Rivers withdraws its request for confidential protection relating to its responses to AG 1-19, AG 1-35, and KIUC 1-121.

Sincerely yours,



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