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Mr. Jeff DeRouen  
Executive Director  
Public Service Commission  
211 Sower Boulevard, P.O. Box 615  
Frankfort, Kentucky 40602-0615

Re: Big Rivers Electric Corporation - Notice of Intent

Dear Mr. DeRouen:

Big Rivers Electric Corporation gives this notice pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001 Section 10(2), through counsel, of its intent to file no sooner than four weeks from today a notice of and application for a general adjustment in its rates. The general adjustment in rates will be supported by a fully forecasted test period.

A copy of this notice has been served upon the Kentucky Attorney General, Utility Intervention and Rate Division by regular mail, and a copy of this notice in a portable document format has been transmitted by electronic mail to the Attorney General's Office of Rate Intervention at [rateintervention@ag.ky.gov](mailto:rateintervention@ag.ky.gov).

Big Rivers notes that the Public Service Commission has proposed amendments to regulations that are relevant to this proceeding and that the effective date of those regulations is not yet known. Big Rivers is currently preparing its application under the existing regulations. To the extent that the proposed amendments are made effective prior to Big Rivers filing its notice of and application for a general adjustment in its rates, Big Rivers anticipates filing a motion for deviation to allow it to file under the presently existing regulations.

Please serve any order or other documents pertaining to this matter upon the following persons in addition to the undersigned:

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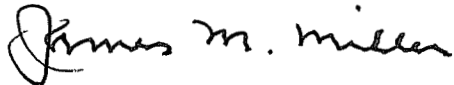
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Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "James M. Miller". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "J" and a period after the first name.

James M. Miller  
Counsel for Big Rivers Electric Corporation

cc: Mark A. Bailey  
Albert Yockey  
Kentucky Attorney General Office of Rate Intervention