

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY  
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

AN EXAMINATION BY THE PUBLIC SERVICE	)	
COMMISSION OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL	)	
SURCHARGE MECHANISM OF EAST KENTUCKY	)	CASE NO.
POWER COOPERATIVE, INC. FOR THE	)	2013-00140
SIX-MONTH BILLING PERIOD ENDING	)	
DECEMBER 31, 2012 AND THE PASS THROUGH	)	
MECHANISM FOR ITS SIXTEEN MEMBER	)	
DISTRIBUTION COOPERATIVES	)	

ORDER

On May 23, 2013, East Kentucky Power Cooperative, Inc. ("EKPC") filed a motion for itself and on behalf of its 16 Member Distribution Cooperatives ("Member Cooperatives") for an amendment of the procedural schedule issued on May 14, 2013 that would allow the filing of prepared direct testimony and responses to requests for information no later than June 14, 2013. In support of its motion, EKPC states that the procedural schedule provides that EKPC shall file prepared direct testimony and responses to requests for information no later than June 7, 2013, and that the Member Cooperatives shall file responses to information requests no later than June 7, 2013.

It further states that each of the Member Cooperatives is requested to provide the actual average residential customer's monthly usage, and based on the usage amount, the dollar impact any over- or under-recovery will have on the average residential customer's monthly bill for the requested recovery period. It states that the Member Cooperatives cannot finalize their respective responses to Request No. 7 in

Appendix B without calculations that EKPC will prepare in its response to Request No. 2.

In addition, it states that EKPC will need for each of the Member Cooperatives to review the calculations included in the response to Request No. 2 for accuracy. The exchange and verification of this information, it states, will be difficult to complete within the approximate three-week period permitted in the existing procedural schedule. EKPC states that it and the Member Cooperatives believe an additional week would be necessary to complete reasonable and accurate responses to the information requests. It states that a one-week delay from the June 7, 2013 date would not disrupt the remaining events in the procedural schedule, as the next request for information to EKPC and the Member Cooperatives is to be filed no later than July 19, 2013. It states that granting an extension to June 14, 2013 would still provide five weeks for review and examination of the responses before the next scheduled round of data requests.

Based on the motion and being otherwise sufficiently advised, the Commission finds that the motion of EKPC and its Member Cooperatives should be granted and that the procedural schedule should be amended to allow EKPC to file its prepared direct testimony and responses to the request for information requested in Appendix B of the May 14, 2013 Order no later than June 14, 2013, and that each of the Member Cooperatives should file its response to the request for information in Appendix B of the May 14, 2013 Order no later than June 14, 2013.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

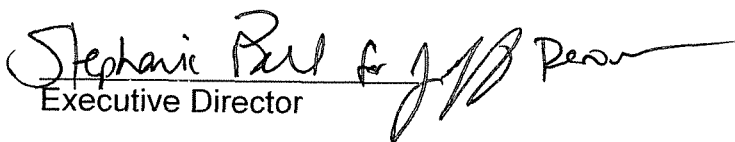
1. The motion of EKPC and its Member Cooperatives is granted.

2. The procedural schedule set forth in the Appendix to this Order is substituted for and replaces the procedural schedule set forth in the Appendix to the Commission's May 14, 2013 Order.

By the Commission

ENTERED <sup>#1</sup>
MAY 31 2013
KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

ATTEST:

  
Executive Director

APPENDIX A

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE  
COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2013-00140 DATED **MAY 31 2013**

Requests for intervention shall be filed no later than.....	05/24/13
EKPC shall file its prepared direct testimony and responses to the request for information requested in Appendix B no later than.....	06/14/13
Each of the 16 Member Cooperatives shall file its responses to the request for information requested in Appendix B no later than.....	06/14/13
All additional requests for information to EKPC and its 16 Member Cooperatives shall be filed no later than.....	07/19/13
EKPC and its 16 Member Cooperatives shall file responses to additional requests for information no later than.....	07/31/13
Intervenor testimony, if any, in verified prepared form shall be filed no later than.....	08/14/13
All requests for information to Intervenors shall be filed no later than.....	08/28/13
Intervenors shall file responses to requests for information no later than.....	09/11/13
Last day for EKPC and its 16 Member Cooperatives or Intervenors to request a hearing or submit this case for decision based on the record.....	09/20/13

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