

April 1, 2014

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

Delica J. Martin

RE: Case No. 2014-00051

Dear Mr. Derouen:

Enclosed are an original and seven (7) copies of Shelby Energy Cooperative Inc.'s response to the commission staff's first request for information to East Kentucky Power Cooperative and each of its sixteen member cooperatives dated March 6, 2014. The information has been provided by e-mail to all parties of record.

Should you have any questions or need further information, please let me know.

Sincerely,

Debra J. Martin
President & CEO

**Enclosures** 

## **VERIFICATION**

The undersigned, Debra J. Martin, President and CEO of Shelby Energy Cooperative, Inc. certifies that the responses contained in this document are true and accurate to the best of her knowledge, information and belief after a reasonable inquiry.

Debra J. Martin

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

**COUNTY OF SHELBY** 

Subscribed and sworn to before my by Debra J. Martin, President and CEO of Shelby

Energy Cooperative, Inc., to be her free act and deed this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of

(SEAL)

Mary Feder Co Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

<sub>ID:</sub> 4288



# 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	)	
POWER COOPERATIVE, INC. FOR THE SIX-	)	CASE NO.
MONTH BILLING PERIOD ENDING DECEMBER	)	2014-00051
31, 2013 AND THE PASS THROUGH MECHANISM	)	
FOR ITS SIXTEEN MEMBER DISTRIBUTION	)	
COOPERATIVES	•)	

RESPONSE OF <u>SHELBY ENERGY COOPERATIVE</u>, INC. TO COMMISSION STAFF'S FIRST REQUEST FOR INFORMATION TO EAST KENTUCKY POWER COOPERATIVE, INC. AND EACH OF ITS SIXTEEN MEMBER COOPERATIVES

DATED: March 6, 2014

Shelby Energy Cooperative's Response to the **Commission Staff's First Request for Information** 

Case No. 2014-00051

Question:

2(a). This question is addressed to each of the 16 member distribution cooperatives.

For each of the 16 member distribution cooperatives, prepare a summary schedule showing the

Distribution cooperative's pass-through revenue requirement for the months

corresponding with the six-month review. Include the two months subsequent to the

billing period included in the applicable review period. Include a calculation of any

additional over- or under-recovery amount the distribution cooperative believes

needs to be recognized for the six-month review. Include all supporting calculations

and documentation for the additional over- or under-recovery.

Response:

2(a). Refer to Exhibit A, Page 2 Of 4.

Witness: Mary E. Federle

# Shelby Energy Cooperative's Response to the Commission Staff's First Request for Information Case No. 2014-00051

## Question:

2(b). This question is addressed to each of the 16 member distribution cooperatives. For each of the 16 member distribution cooperatives, provide an explanation of the factors that contributed to each individual member distribution cooperative's over-or under recovery amount.

# Response:

2(b). The basic operation of the surcharge pass-through mechanism will produce monthly over-and under-recoveries as a result of the fact the 12-month average retail revenues used to calculate the pass-through factor never match the retail revenues to which the pass-through is applied. If the 12-month average retail revenues are below the retail revenues to which pass-through factor is applied, then there will be over-recoveries. If the 12-month average retail revenues are above the retail revenues to which the factor is applied, under-recoveries will result. This is part of the natural operation of the mechanism.

Another factor contributing to the over-or under-recoveries calculated for this review period is the amortization of previous surcharge over- or under-recoveries as determined in the final Orders in Case Nos. 2012-00486 and 2013-00140. Case No. 2012-00486 covered 18 months of surcharge operations and Case No. 2013-00140 covered 6 months of operations. While the over- or under-recoveries reflected 24 months of surcharge operations, in each case the amortization period was 6 months. Because of the timing of the final Orders in these

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cases, the amortization periods overlapped for 5 months.

The net amortization from two surcharge review proceedings resulted in a net over-

recovery for Shelby, which resulted in the surcharge revenues to be collected from retail

customers being lower than the amounts billed by EKPC. Coupled with the natural operation

of the surcharge pass-through mechanism, Shelby experienced an under-recovery for the

current review period.

Witness: Mary E. Federle

Shelby Energy Cooperative's Response to the **Commission Staff's First Request for Information** 

Case No. 2014-00051

Question:

7. This question is addressed to each of the 16 member distribution cooperatives. For

your particular distribution cooperative, provide the actual average

residential customer's monthly usage for the 12 months ending November 30, 2013. Based on

this usage amount, provide the dollar impact any over- or under-recovery will have on the

average residential customer's monthly bill for the requested recovery period. Provide all

supporting calculations.

Response:

Using billing data for November, 2013, \$136.82 is the average residential 7.

monthly bill when no over-or under-recovery amount is included. When the over- or

under-recovery is included in the calculation for the same period of time, \$137.04 is the

monthly bill. This results in a dollar impact of \$.22 to the customer.

Please refer to Exhibit A for supporting calculations and documentation.

Witness: Mary E. Federle

Average Monthly Residential kWh:		1,25
Residential Rate:		•
Facility Charge	\$10.14	\$10.14
kWh Charge	\$0.08861	110.85
Fuel Adjustment Factor	(\$0.00245)	(3.06
Surcharge (November, 2013)	12.64%	14.9
** Refer to Exhibit A - Page 3	of 4	
County Tax	3.00%	<u>\$3.98</u>
		\$136.82
Average Monthly Residential kWh:	Bill with Recovery	1,251
Average Monthly Residential kWh: Residential Rate:		1,251
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# Shelby Energy Coop - Calculation of (Over)/Under

	EKPC	Billed to					
	Invoice	Retail					
	Month	Consumer &					
	recorded	recorded on	Monthly	Cumulative			
	Member's	Member's	(Over) or	(Over) or			
	Books	Books	Under	Under			
Mo/Yr	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)			
Jul-13	\$407,660	\$ 450,714	\$ (43,054)	\$ (43,054)			
Aug-13	\$387,875	\$ 384,038	\$ 3,837	\$ (39,218)			
Sep-13	\$335,874	\$ 316,359	\$ 19,515	\$ (19,703)			
Oct-13	\$302,599	\$ 300,133	\$ 2,466	\$ (17,237)			
Nov-13	\$397,201	\$ 374,304	\$ 22,897	\$ 5,661			
Dec-13	\$487,131	\$ 457,802	\$ 29,329	\$ 34,990			
Jan-14	\$489,209	\$ 483,642	\$ 5,567	\$ 40,557			
Feb-14	\$326,107	\$ -	\$326,107	\$ 366,664			

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Cumulative 6-months (Over)/Under Recovery	\$ 34,990
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Monthly Recovery (per month for six months) \$ 5,832

# East Kentucky Power Cooperative, Inc. - Distribution Cooperatives Pass Through Mechanism Report for Shelby Energy Cooperative

## For the Month Ending February 2014

Exhibit A
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"Actual"

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1	- 1			Monthly	Revenue	Monthly	Ended Avera	ge	Revenue		of	Net	Revenue	Total	Retail	Net Monthly	ended	Pass
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Factor	Į.			Sales to		to	from Sales	to		R	Recovery	Red	quirement	Revenues	Adjustment	Revenues	Revenues,	Mechanism
Expense	EKPC	EKPC	EKPC	Shelby	l i	Shelby	Shelby			1							Net	Factor
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Mar-12	12.92%	0.00%	12.92%	\$ 2,138,995		\$ 2,138,99	<b>\$</b> 2,308,	109	\$ 298,208	\$	-	\$	298,208	\$ 3,442,496		\$ 3,442,496	\$ 3,062,098	9.67%
Apr-12	14.94%	0.00%	14.94%	\$ 1,804,363		\$ 1,804,36	3 \$ 2,301,	307	\$ 343,815	\$	-	\$	343,815	\$ 2,794,395		\$ 2,794,395	\$ 3,011,888	11.23%
May-12	16.90%	0.00%	16.90%	\$ 2,164,468		\$ 2,164,46	3 <b>\$</b> 2,315,	157	\$ 391,262	\$	-	\$	391,262	\$ 2,595,891		\$ 2,595,891	\$ 3,005,311	12.99%
Jun-12	15.55%	0.00%	15.55%	\$ 2,324,480		\$ 2,324,48	\$ 2,310,4	139	\$ 359,273	\$	-	\$	359,273	\$ 2,813,948		\$ 2,813,948	\$ 3,019,335	11.95%
Jul-12	14.51%	0.00%	14.51%	\$ 2,682,728		\$ 2,682,72	3 \$ 2,306,4	163	\$ 334,668	\$	-	\$	334,668	\$ 3,057,650		\$ 3,057,650	\$ 3,044,777	11.08%
Aug-12	14.13%	0.00%	14.13%	\$ 2,490,773		\$ 2,490,77	3 \$ 2,295,8	343	\$ 324,403	\$	-	\$	324,403	\$ 3,440,409		\$ 3,440,409	\$ 3,082,968	10.65%
Sep-12	16.23%	0.00%	16.23%	\$ 2,181,247		\$ 2,181,24	7 \$ 2,301,9	85	\$ 373,612		-	\$	373,612	\$ 3,312,891		\$ 3,312,891	\$ 3,067,819	12.12%
Oct-12	17.57%	0.00%	17.57%	\$ 2,096,007		\$ 2,096,00	7 \$ 2,311,	363	\$ 406,194	\$	-	\$	406,194	\$ 2,721,063		\$ 2,721,063	\$ 3,060,763	13.24%
Nov-12	18.23%	0.00%	18.23%	\$ 2,415,495		\$ 2,415,49	5 \$ 2,333,0	81	\$ 425,430	\$		\$	425,430	\$ 2,691,569		\$ 2,691,569	\$ 3,064,900	13.90%
Dec-12	14.61%	0.00%	14.61%	\$ 2,639,906		\$ 2,639,90	\$ 2,344,	239	\$ 342,493	\$	-	\$	342,493	\$ 2,973,858		\$ 2,973,858	\$ 3,071,506	11.17%
Jan-13	13.49%	0.00%	13.49%	\$ 2,819,093	•	\$ 2,819,09	3 \$ 2,348,	539	\$ 316,818		-	\$	316,818	\$ 3,386,926		\$ 3,386,926	\$ 3,077,236	10.31%
Feb-13	12.61%	0.00%	12.61%	\$ 2,617,830		\$ 2,617,83			\$ 298,178		-	\$	298,178	\$ 3,885,909		\$ 3,885,909	\$ 3,093,084	9.69%
Mar-13	14.37%	0.00%	14.37%			\$ 2,635,51			\$ 345,741		-	\$	345,741	\$ 3,756,665		\$ 3,756,665	\$ 3,119,264	11.18%
Apr-13	14.27%	0.00%	14.27%	\$ 2,144,617		\$ 2,144,61			\$ 347,381		-	\$	347,381	\$ 3,355,954		\$ 3,355,954	\$ 3,166,061	11.14%
May-13	17.97%	0.00%	17.97%			\$ 2,222,90			\$ 438,327		-	\$	438,327	\$ 2,802,057		\$ 2,802,057	\$ 3,183,242	13.84%
Jun-13	17.09%	0.00%	17.09%			\$ 2,405,08				-	-	\$	418,010	\$ 2,719,460		\$ 2,719,460	\$ 3,175,368	13.13%
Jul-13	15.77%	0.00%	15.77%			\$ 2,385,36			\$ 381,816		(30,009)		351,807	\$ 3,082,318		\$ 3,082,318	\$ 3,177,423	11.08%
Aug-13	15.49%	0.00%	15.49%			\$ 2,459,55				-	(18,324)	•	356,310	\$ 3,366,360		\$ 3,366,360	\$ 3,171,252	11.21%
Sep-13	14.93%	0.00%	14.93%			\$ 2,170,11			\$ 360,951		(18,324)	-	342,627	\$ 3,263,531		\$ 3,263,531	\$ 3,167,139	10.80%
Oct-13	16.69%	0.00%	16.69%			\$ 2,026,77			\$ 402,538		(18,324)		384,214			\$ 2,833,897	\$ 3,176,542	12.13%
Nov-13	17.43%	0.00%	17.43%			\$ 2,379,87			\$ 419,869		(18,324)					\$ 2,747,463	\$ 3,181,200	12.64%
Dec-13	14.54%	0.00%	14.54%			\$ 2,794,78					(18,324)			\$ 3,193,519		\$ 3,193,519		10.49%
Jan-14	10.92%	0.00%	10.92%			\$ 3,364,55			\$ 269,423		11,685	\$	281,108	\$ 3,675,557		\$ 3,675,557	\$ 3,223,558	8.79%
Feb-14	5.44%	0.00%	5.44%	\$ 2,986,330		\$ 2,986,33	) \$ 2,497,	956	\$ 135,889	\$	-	\$	135,889	\$ 4,282,470		\$ 4,282,470	\$ 3,256,604	4.22%

#### Notes

Shelby Total Monthly Retail Revenues in Column (11) includes demand and energy charges, customer charges, and FAC revenues. Revenues reported in Columns (4), (6), (7), (11), (13), and (14) are net of Green Power Revenues.

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### East Kentucky Power Cooperative, Inc. - Distribution Cooperatives Pass Through Mechanism Report for Shelby Energy Cooperative

## For the Month Ending February 2014

Exhibit A
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"6-Month Recovery"

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