COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

AN EXAMINATION OF THE APPLICATION OF THE FUEL ADJUSTMENT CLAUSE OF EAST KENTUCKY POWER COOPERATIVE, INC. FROM NOVEMBER 1, 2016 THROUGH APRIL 30, 2017

CASE NO. 2017-00283

ORDER

Pursuant to 807 KAR 5:056, the Commission established this case on August 30, 2017, to review and evaluate the operation of the Fuel Adjustment Clause ("FAC") of East Kentucky Power Cooperative, Inc. ("East Kentucky") for the six-month period that ended on April 30, 2017. As part of this review, East Kentucky responded to two requests for information and the Commission held a formal hearing in this matter on October 16, 2017.

A review of East Kentucky's monthly FAC filings shows that the fuel cost billed for the six-month period under review ranged from a low of \$.02275 per kWh in February 2017, to a high of \$.02691 per kWh in December 2016, with a six-month average of \$.02536 per kWh.

The Commission, having considered the evidence of record and being otherwise sufficiently advised, finds no evidence of improper calculation or application of East Kentucky's FAC charges or improper fuel procurement practices. IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the charges and credits billed by East Kentucky through its FAC for the period November 1, 2016, through April 30, 2017, are approved.

By the Commission



ATTEST:

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