# COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

## BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

AN ELECTRONIC EXAMINATION OF THE	)	
APPLICATION OF THE FUEL ADJUSTMENT	)	CASE NO.
CLAUSE OF KENTUCKY POWER COMPANY	)	2023-00008
FROM NOVEMBER 1, 2020 THROUGH	)	
OCTOBER 31, 2022	)	

## ORDER

On September 13, 2023, Kentucky Power Company (Kentucky Power) filed a motion requesting to amend the procedural schedule issued by the Commission on September 6, 2023. Kentucky Power stated it is a party in multiple other cases at the Commission that all have similar procedural dates for responses to requests for information and testimony. Kentucky Power stated that many of the witnesses responsible for responding to requests for information in this proceeding are also responsible for responding to requests for information and providing testimony in other cases. Kentucky Power requests that the Commission extend the deadline for it to file the direct testimony of its witnesses in verified prepared form and its responses to Commission Staff's First Request for Information by 90 days, up to and including, December 22, 2023. Kentucky Power stated that the extension of the procedural schedule in this case will not prejudice the Commission or any of the intervening parties

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Order (Ky PSC Sept. 6, 2023), Appendix.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Kentucky Power's Motion to Amend Procedural Schedule (filed Sept. 13, 2023) at unnumbered pages 1–2.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Kentucky Power's Motion to Amend Procedural Schedule at unnumbered page 2.

and that the intervenors have indicated they do not object to amending the procedural schedule.

The Commission finds that Kentucky Power's motion should be granted in part and denied in part. The Commission denies Kentucky Power's request for an extension of 90 days, finding that Kentucky Power did not provide good cause for an extension of 90 days to be granted. However, the Commission grants Kentucky Power's motion for an extension for a reasonable amount of time and finds that the procedural schedule established in the Commission's September 6, 2023 Order should be amended. The Commission finds that an additional 14 days, up to and including October 6, 2023, should be granted for Kentucky Power to file the direct testimony of its witnesses in verified prepared form and its responses to Commission Staff's First Request for Information. The amended procedural schedule is attached as an Appendix to this Order. The Commission finds that Kentucky Power and any intervenors should respond to all requests for information propounded by Commission Staff in this case according to the date set forth on those requests, regardless of whether they appear on this amended schedule.

#### IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

- Kentucky Power's motion to amend the procedural schedule in this case is granted.
- 2. Kentucky Power's motion to extend the deadline to file the direct testimony of its witnesses in verified prepared form and its responses to Commission Staff's First Request for Information for an additional 90 days is denied.

- 3. Kentucky Power shall have an additional 14 days, up to and including October 6, 2023, to file the direct testimony of its witnesses in verified prepared form and its responses to Commission Staff's First Request for Information.
- 4. The amended procedural schedule set forth in the Appendix to this Order shall be followed.
- 5. Kentucky Power and intervenors shall respond to all requests for information propounded by Commission Staff, whether identified in the procedural schedule or otherwise, as provided by those requests.
- 6. All provisions of the Commission's Order of September 6, 2023, that are in conflict with the provisions of this Order are vacated. All other provisions of the Commission's September 6, 2023 Order not in conflict shall remain in effect.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Chairman

Vice Chairman

**ENTERED** 

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KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

ATTEST:

## **APPENDIX**

# APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2023-00008 DATED SEP 18 2023

Last day for intervention requests to be accepted	09/22/2023
Kentucky Power shall file with the Commission the direct testimony of its witnesses in verified prepared form and the responses to requests for information set forth in Appendix B of the September 6, 2023 Order no later than	10/06/2023
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All supplemental requests for information to Kentucky Power shall be filed no later than	10/20/2023
Kentucky Power shall file responses to supplemental requests for information no later than	11/03/2023
All additional supplemental requests for information to Kentucky Power shall be filed no later than	11/17/2023
Kentucky Power shall file responses to additional supplemental requests for information no later than	12/12/2023
Intervenor testimony, if any, in verified prepared form shall be filed no later than	12/22/2023
All requests for information to Intervenors shall be filed no later than	01/05/2024
Intervenors shall file responses to requests for information no later than	01/19/2024
Kentucky Power shall file, in verified form, its rebuttal testimony no later than	02/05/2024

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