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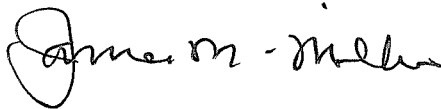
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Re: In the matter of: The Application of Big Rivers Electric Corporation
for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Construct a
161 kV Transmission Line in Breckinridge and Meade Counties,
Kentucky, PSC Case No. 2004-365

Dear Ms. O'Donnell:

Enclosed are an original and ten copies of the responses of Big Rivers Electric Corporation to the Commission's data requests dated December 3, 2004, in the above-styled matter. Please feel free to contact me with any questions.

Sincerely yours,



James M. Miller

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Enclosures

cc: David Spainhoward

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**Item 3) Provide a copy of Big Rivers' September 1999 Transmission System
Construction Work Plan, including appendices, covering the period 2000-2002.**

Response) Attached

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**Item 4) Provide a copy of Big Rivers' July 2002 Transmission System Construction
Work Plan, including appendices, covering the period 2003-2005.**

Response) Attached

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