

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY  
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In the matter of:

AN ASSESSMENT OF )  
KENTUCKY'S ELECTIC ) ADMINISTRATIVE CASE NO. 2005-00090  
GENERATION, TRANSMISSION )  
AND DISTRIBUTION NEEDS )

**JOINT MOTION OF BIG RIVERS ELECTRIC CORPORATION AND KENERGY  
CORP. FOR ENLARGEMENT OF TIME**

Big Rivers Electric Corporation ("Big Rivers") and Kenergy Corp. ("Kenergy") jointly move the Public Service Commission ("Commission") for an enlargement of time until June 10, 2005, in which to respond to the data requests and directives contained in the Commission's order of May 27, 2005. In support of their joint motion, Big Rivers and Kenergy state as follows, through counsel:

The Commission entered an order on Friday, May 27, 2005, requiring Big Rivers to "file a detailed explanation of the reasons why its generating resources will not be used to serve the Smelters after 2010/2011," and requiring Kenergy to "file responses to the information requested in Item Nos. 7-9 and 11-14 of Appendix B to the Commission's March 10, 2005 Order," along with any other information necessary for Kenergy to explain how it intends to serve the Smelters after 2010/2011. The Order requires Big Rivers' and Kenergy's responses to be filed within 10 days of the date of the Order, which is June 6, 2005.

Big Rivers and Kenergy will have a very difficult time responding to the Commission's order, in the detail required, by June 6. Because of the Memorial Day holiday, Big Rivers and Kenergy did not receive the Commission's Order until Tuesday, May 31, 2005, leaving only six days (two of which fall on a weekend) to prepare and file responses. Additionally, the personnel

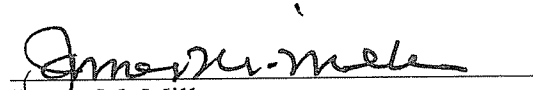
from both Big Rivers and Kenergy who are necessary for preparing the responses to the Commission's Order will be out of town this week for prescheduled business meetings. Big Rivers is also preparing its written comments required by the Commission's Order dated May 11, 2005, which are due on June 8.

Big Rivers and Kenergy believe their responses to the Commission's order can be much more thoughtful and complete, if those responses may be filed on or before Friday, June 10. This enlargement of time would still result in the information sought by the Commission being filed at least three days (one full business day) before the technical conference on June 14.

WHEREFORE, Big Rivers and Kenergy respectfully request that the Commission enter an Order granting Big Rivers and Kenergy an enlargement of time until June 10, 2005, to respond to the Commission's May 27, 2005, Order.

On this the first day of June, 2005.

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& MILLER, P.S.C.



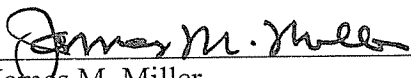
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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a true and accurate copy of the foregoing Joint Motion for Enlargement of Time was served by first class mail, postage prepaid, on this the first day of June, 2005, upon the attached service list.

  
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