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Re: UNWIND Kenergy Corp. PSC Case No. 2008-00009

Dear Ms. Stumbo:

Enclosed for filing please find the original and 10 copies of Motion to File Amended Application with attachments. We tender herewith the original of the proposed Amended Application for filing in the record when the motion is granted.

Your assistance in this matter is appreciated.

Very truly yours,

DORSEY, KING, GRAY, NORMENT & HOPGOOD

By

Frank N. King, Jr. Counsel for Kenergy Corp.

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CASE NO. 2008-00009

#### **MOTION TO FILE AMENDED APPLICATION**

**KENERGY CORP**. ("Kenergy"), by counsel, moves that it be permitted to file Amended Application herein. In support of this motion Kenergy states that the original Application needs to be amended to address matters that have occurred since the original filing herein and to confirm that the six (6) tariff riders originally proposed in this proceeding are still applicable and do not need modification. A copy of the proposed Amended Application is attached hereto.

WHEREFORE, Kenergy moves that it be permitted to file Amended Application and that it be afforded all proper relief.

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#### **AMENDED APPLICATION**

The Amended Application of Kenergy Corp. ("Kenergy") respectfully shows:

# Introduction

The purpose of this Amended Application is three-fold:

(1) To change from approximately five (5) years to one year the length of time that the Unwind Rider—Composite Factor (URCF) will be used to confirm that the net effect of the other five (5) riders is zero. The reason for this change is that Kenergy and the other two (2) member cooperatives of Big Rivers Electric Corporation have agreed with Big Rivers' proposal to modify the manner in which the Economic Reserve will be used which will allow retail rates to gradually increase after the first year following the closing of the Unwind in order to avoid a severe increase in rates later.

(2) To change the reference to the proposed wholesale smelter agreements between Kenergy and Big Rivers and the retail smelter agreements between Kenergy and its two (2) smelter customers, Alcan and Century. The reason for this change is that these agreements have been revised since the filing of the original application herein, and the revised agreements are now exhibits to the Amended and Supplemental Application of joint applicants Big Rivers and E.ON US in Case No. 2007-00455.

(3) To file the Supplemental Direct Testimony of Jack D. Gaines. This supplemental testimony confirms that the six (6) tariff riders originally proposed in this proceeding are still applicable and do not need modification, and addresses matters that have occurred since the original filing herein.

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Kenergy hereby amends its Application in the following respects:

1. The statement in the Application that the sixth retail tariff rider will be used to confirm that the net effect of the five (5) corresponding riders is zero for a projected period of time expected to be approximately five (5) years is changed to state that the projected period of time is expected to be one year. This statement appears in the Application in the last paragraph on the first page and in paragraph (d) on page 3.

2. Reference to the smelter agreements in paragraph (k) of the Application is changed to state that the smelter agreements in substantially complete form are included in Exhibit 81 to the Amended and Supplemental Application of Big Rivers and E.ON US.

3. Attached as Exhibit 14 is the Supplemental Direct Testimony of Jack D. Gaines confirming that the six (6) tariff riders proposed in this proceeding are still applicable and do not need modification, and addressing matters that have occurred since the original filing herein.

4. In all other respects Kenergy adopts and reaffirms its Application filed herein.

WHEREFORE, Kenergy requests as set forth in its original Application.

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4 5 6			Supplemental Direct Testimony
7 8	1.	Q.	PLEASE STATE YOUR NAME AND BUSINESS ADDRESS.
9		A.	My name is Jack D. Gaines. My business address is P.O. Box 88039,
10			Dunwoody, Georgia 30356.
11	2.	Q.	BY WHOM ARE YOU EMPLOYED AND IN WHAT CAPACITY?
12		Α.	I am employed by and am President of JDG Consulting, LLC ("JDG").
13	3.	Q.	HAVE YOU FILED PREPARED TESTIMONY IN THIS
14			PROCEEDING?
15		A.	Yes, I have.
16	4	Q.	WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF THIS SUPPLEMENTAL DIRECT
17			TESTIMONY?
18		A.	The purpose is to update my filed prepared testimony and to affirm the six
19			retail tariff riders, the revised Schedule 34-Smelter Customers Served
20			Under Special Contract - Class A, and the rates for Small Power
21			Production and Qualifying Facilities filed by Kenergy in this proceeding
22	5.	Q.	HAVE YOU REVIEWED EXHIBIT WSS-16, THE REVISED TARIFF
23			SCHEDULE MRSM, FILED ON OCTOBER 9, 2008 BY BIG RIVERS
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25		Α.	Yes, I have.
26	6.	Q.	DO ANY OF THE SIX TARIFF RIDERS PROPOSED BY KENERGY
27			IN THIS PROCEEDING NEED TO BE MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF



1THE CHANGE PROPOSED BY BIG RIVERS TO ITS SCHEDULE2MRSM, OR FOR ANY REASON?

A. No changes to any of Kenergy's proposed tariff riders are needed.

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- 4 7. Q. ARE THERE ANY CHANGES YOU WANT TO MAKE TO YOUR
  5 FILED TESTIMONY BASED ON MORE CURRENT INFORMATION?
- Yes, there are two changes. First, at page 3 of my filed testimony, I stated 6 A that "the Wholesale Discount Adjustment ("WDAR") will continue in 7 effect unchanged." That is no longer true. Big Rivers discontinued its 8 Member Discount Adjustment Rider effective September 1, 2008. 9 Therefore, the WDAR has also been discontinued. Second, at page 7, line 10 7 through 10, I stated that "BREC and the BREC Members have carefully 11 structured the five wholesale riders and corresponding retail riders to have 12 zero effect on customers' bills so long as sufficient funds are available 13 from the BREC Economic Reserve currently estimated to be five years." 14 Based on Big Rivers' most recent financial model filed October 9, 2008 in 15 PSC Case No. 2007-00455 and PSC Case No. 2007-00460, the Economic 16 Reserve is no longer expected to be sufficient to fully offset the five 17 wholesale riders to allow a zero effect on customers' bills for five years. 18 This is in part due to the economics reflected in Big Rivers' most recent 19 financial model which have shortened the period from five years to 20 between three and four years. It is also a result of the revision proposed by 21 Big Rivers to Schedule MRSM which is designed to allow gradual 22

increases in the net wholesale bills to the BREC Members to extend the

life of the Economic Reserve and to avoid there being a severe rate
 increase upon its expiration. At this time, the zero effect on customer bills
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4 8. Q. DOES THIS CONCLUDE YOUR SUPPLEMENTAL DIRECT
5 TESTIMONY AT THIS TIME?

6 A. Yes, it does.

# **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that the foregoing was served on the persons named in the attached service list by mailing true and correct copies of same this the 11<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2008.

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