

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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**PUBLIC SERVICE
COMMISSION**

In the Matter of:

CONSIDERATION OF THE NEW FEDERAL)
STANDARDS OF THE ENERGY)
INDEPENDENCE AND SECURITY ACT OF)
2007)

CASE NO. 2008-00408

JOINT MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE TESTIMONY

Kentucky’s jurisdictional electric utilities, Big Rivers Electric Corporation, Big Sandy RECC, Bluegrass Energy Cooperative, Cumberland Valley Electric, Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc., East Kentucky Power Cooperative, Inc., Farmers RECC, Fleming-Mason Energy Cooperative, Grayson RECC, Inter-County Energy Cooperative, Jackson Energy Cooperative, Kentucky Power Company, Kentucky Utilities Company, Licking Valley RECC, Louisville Gas and Electric Company, Nolin RECC, Owen Electric Cooperative, Salt River Electric Cooperative, Shelby Electric Cooperative, South Kentucky RECC, and Taylor County RECC (collectively the “Jurisdictional Utilities”) move the Public Service Commission of Kentucky for an extension of time through December 24, 2008, in which to comply with the Commission’s November 13, 2008 Order and file the testimony that is presently due on or before January 9, 2009.

In support of their motion, the Jurisdictional Utilities state:

- (a) The Commission’s Order directs the Jurisdictional Utilities to file testimony addressing four questions with respect to two federal standards. Additional time is required to develop the testimony to ensure the Jurisdictional Utilities properly address the Commission’s inquiries;

(b) The intervening Thanksgiving holiday has reduced the availability of certain personnel who will contribute to the preparation of the testimony;

(c) The short extension requested should not impede the Commission's ability to complete its work by the deadline provided in the Energy Independence and Security Act of 2007. The Commission's Order indicates that the Commission must complete its consideration of the federal standards by December 19, 2009, or more than eleven months after the time the Jurisdictional utilities will file their testimony if the requested extension is granted; and

(d) A procedural schedule has not been established in this proceeding and thus the requested extension will not require any adjustment to a published schedule or adversely affect other parties.

Wherefore, the Jurisdictional Utilities respectfully request they be granted to and including January 9, 2009 to comply with the Commission's November 13, 2008 Order directing them to file testimony in this proceeding.

Respectfully submitted,

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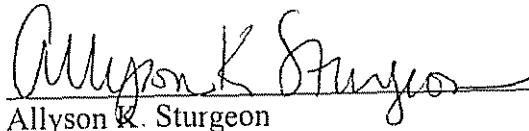
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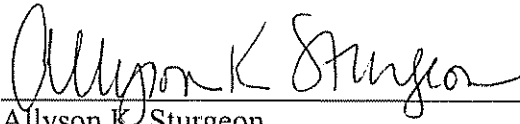
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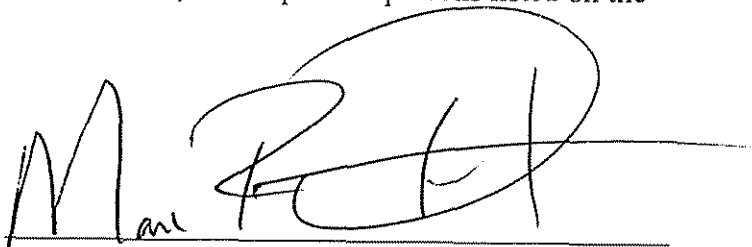
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