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Honorable Charles A. Lile
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RE: Case No. 2008-00472
East Kentucky Power Cooperative, Inc.

The Commission staff has reviewed your application in the above case and finds that it meets the minimum filing requirements. Enclosed please find a stamped filed copy of the first page of your filing. This case has been docketed and will be processed as expeditiously as possible.

If you need further assistance, please contact my staff at 502/564-3940.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Ryan Gatewood".

Ryan Gatewood, Director
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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In the Matter of:

THE APPLICATION OF EAST KENTUCKY POWER)
COOPERATIVE, INC. FOR A CERTIFICATE OF)
PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY FOR THE)
CONSTRUCTION OF AN AIR QUALITY CONTROL)
SYSTEM AT COOPER POWER STATION)

CASE NO. 2008- 00472

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APPLICATION

1. Applicant, East Kentucky Power Cooperative, Inc., hereinafter referred to as "EKPC", Post Office Box 707, 4775 Lexington Road, Winchester, Kentucky 40392-0707, files this Application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity for the purchase and installation of an Air Quality Control System ("AQCS") at its J. S. Cooper Generating Station near Burnside, Kentucky ("Cooper Station")

2. This Application is made pursuant to KRS §278.020 and related statutes, and 807 KAR 5:001 Sections 8, 9, and related sections.

3. A copy of Applicant's restated Articles of Incorporation and all amendments thereto were filed with the Public Service Commission (the "Commission") in PSC Case No. 90-197, the Application of EKPC for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Construct Certain Steam Service Facilities in Mason County, Kentucky.

4. A copy of the resolution from Applicant's Board of Directors approving the filing of this Application is filed herewith as Application Exhibit 1.

5. Pursuant to KRS §278.020 and 807 KAR 5:001, Section 9, Applicant states that the power requirements of EKPC and its sixteen (16) member distribution cooperatives require the construction of the proposed AQCS facilities, which are more fully described in the various