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April 29, 2009

Mr. Jeff Derouen Executive Director Kentucky Public Service Commission P. O. Box 615 Frankfort, KY 40602-0615

RE: CASE 2009-00039

Dear Mr. Derouen:

Attached is an original and five(5) copies of Jackson Energy's response to the information requested in the Commission's Order dated April 14, 2009.

I am responsible for responding to questions relating to the information provided and will serve as a witness if needed.

Sincerely,

Donald Schaefer, P.E.

President & CEO

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### COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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## In the Matter of:

AN EXAMINATION BY THE PUBLIC SERVICE	)	
COMMISSION OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL	)	CASE NO.
SURCHARGE MECHANISM OF EAST	)	2009-00039
KENTUCKY POWER COOPERATIVE, INC. FOR	)	
THE SIX-MONTH BILLING PERIOD ENDING	)	
<b>DECEMBER 31, 2007; JUNE 30, 2008; AND</b>	)	
<b>DECEMBER 31, 2008; AND THE PASS-THROUGH</b>	)	
MEHCANISM FOR ITS SIXTEEN MEMBER	)	
DISTRIBUTION COOPERATIVES	)	

# RESPONSES TO INFORMATION REQUEST BY JACKSON ENERGY COOPERATIVE CORPORTION

The undersigned, Donald R. Schaefer, as President & CEO of Jackson Energy Cooperative Corporation (Jackson Energy), being first duly sworn, states as responses to requests for information herein as follows:

Request No. 1:

Has your cooperative experienced any problems in administering its environmental surcharge pass-through mechanism over the 18-month period under review in this case? If yes, explain in detail the nature of the problems and any suggested changes to cure the problems.

**Response No. 1:** No. Jackson Energy has not experienced any problems.

Request No. 2:

Has your cooperative received any customer complaints regarding the environmental surcharge pass-through mechanism during the 18-month period under review in this case? If yes, state the number of complaints received, the nature of each complaint, and the service classification of each customer making a complaint.

Response No. 2:

No. Jackson Energy has not received any complaints regarding the environmental surcharge pass-through mechanism. However, some general complaints from residential members have been expressed verbally about the surcharge on the bill. The numbers of complaints were not recorded.

Request No. 3:

Does your cooperative believe that the environmental surcharge pass-through mechanism has operated reasonably over the 18-month period under review in this case.

**Response No. 3:** Yes.

Request No. 4:

Does your cooperative have any recommended changes for its existing environmental surcharge pass-through mechanism? If yes, explain in detail the nature of each change and the reasons why the change is needed.

Response No. 4: No.

I certify that the above responses to the requests for information are true and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief formed after a reasonable inquiry.

Donald R. Schaefer, President & CEO Jackson Energy Cooperative Corporation

Subscribed and sworn to before me by Donald R. Schaefer, as President & CEO of Jackson Energy Cooperative Corporation the 30th day of April, 2009.

NOTARY PUBLIC, KY STATE AT LARGE

My Commission Expires: 1/19/10

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### CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true copy of the above Responses to Information Request was served by U.S. mail to all parties on the  $29^{th}$  day of April 2009.

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