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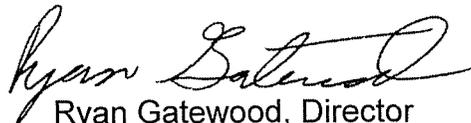
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Sincerely,

  
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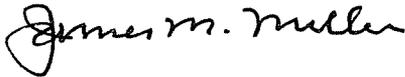
Re: Notice and Application of Big Rivers Electric Corporation  
for a General Adjustment in Rates P.S.C. Case No. 2009-00040

Dear Mr. Derouen:

Enclosed are an original and ten copies of the Notice and Application of Big Rivers Electric Corporation for a General Adjustment in Rates in P.S.C. Case No. 2009-00040 ("Notice and Application"). A copy of this Notice and Application has been served on the Kentucky Attorney General, Utility Intervention and Rate Division.

Big Rivers seeks to have the rates proposed by it ordered into effect on April 1, 2009, on an emergency, interim basis. Attached to this letter is a request by Big Rivers for an informal conference to expedite whatever procedural schedule Public Service Commission staff may require in connection with Big Rivers' request for emergency, interim relief. Please feel free to contact me with any questions you may have.

Sincerely yours,



James M. Miller  
Counsel for Big Rivers Electric Corporation

cc: Mark A. Bailey  
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