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### PARTIES OF RECORD

Re: Case Nos. 2010-00238 and 2010-00449

Attached are copies of the memoranda which are being filed in the record of the above-referenced cases. If you have any comments you would like to make regarding the contents of the informal conference memoranda, please do so within five days of receipt of this letter. If you have any questions, please contact Richard Raff at 502-564-3940, Extension 263.

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**Attachments** 



#### INTER-AGENCY MEMORANDUM

#### KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

TO:

Case File

FROM:

Richard Raff, Assistant General Counsel

DATE:

February 8, 2011

RE:

Case No. 2010-00449

Application of East Kentucky Power Cooperative, Inc. for an Order Approving the Establishment of a Regulatory Asset for the Amount

Expended on its Smith 1 Generating Unit

Pursuant to the Commission's Order issued January 18, 2011, an informal conference was held on January 25, 2011, at the Commission's offices in Frankfort, Kentucky. This conference was held concurrently with one in Case No. 2010-00238. A list of the attendees is attached hereto.

The parties discussed procedural issues related to the hearing to be held on February 8, 2011, including the witnesses to be presented by East Kentucky Power Cooperative, Inc. ("EKPC"). Also discussed was the estimated rate impact of amortizing the costs associated with cancelling the Smith 1 generating unit. EKPC agreed to file a written response, within 7 days of the conference, showing this impact on rates and how the impact will vary based on a range of assumptions as to the salvage value of the Smith 1 equipment, which EKPC acquired but no longer needs. In addition, EKPC explained its efforts to obtain low cost, long term financing for its expenditures on Smith 1.

## COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

Please sign in:

AN INVESTIGATION OF EAST KENTUCKY ) CASE NO. POWER COOPERATIVE, INC.'S NEED FOR ) 2010-00238 THE SMITH 1 GENERATING FACILITY

January 25, 2011

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