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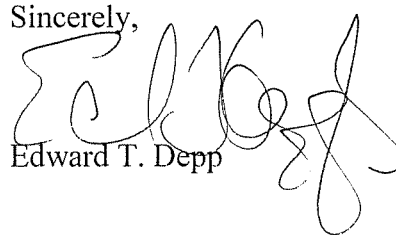
**Re: *Application of Big Rivers Electric Corporation for an Adjustment of Rates;
P.S.C. Case No. 2012-00535***

Dear Mr. Derouen:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced case, please find one original and eleven (11) copies of Big Rivers Electric Corporation's Response to the Attorney General's Motion to Amend Procedural Schedule to Allow for an Enlargement of Time Within Which to File Testimony. Please file-stamp one copy, and return it to me in the enclosed self-addressed stamped envelope.

Thank you, and if you have any questions, please call me.

Sincerely,



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Enclosure

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5 In the Matter of:

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7 Application of Big Rivers Electric)
8 Corporation for a General) Case No. 2012-00535
9 Adjustment in Rates)
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12 **RESPONSE OF BIG RIVERS ELECTRIC CORPORATION TO THE ATTORNEY**
13 **GENERAL'S MOTION TO AMEND PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE TO ALLOW FOR AN**
14 **ENLARGEMENT OF TIME WITHIN WHICH TO FILE TESTIMONY**
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16 Big Rivers Electric Corporation ("Big Rivers"), by counsel, and for its response to the
17 Motion to Amend Procedural Schedule to Allow for an Enlargement of Time Within Which to
18 File Testimony of the Attorney General ("AG"), states as follows.

19 In its motion, the AG requests that the procedural schedule be amended only as to one of
20 its witnesses, Mr. David Brevitz, so that (i) testimony from Mr. Brevitz is due a week after
21 testimony from the AG's other witnesses is due, and (ii) requests for information to Mr. Brevitz
22 are due a week after requests for information to the AG's other witnesses are due. The AG also
23 notes that the amended schedule which would apply to Mr. Brevitz would align with the
24 enlargement in time which was requested by intervenor Kentucky Industrial Utility Customers,
25 Inc. ("KIUC") in its March 21, 2013 Petition to Amend Procedural Schedule and Request for an
26 Informal Conference.


27 Big Rivers is sympathetic to the situation presented by the AG and does not object to the
28 dates that the AG has proposed. However, as it stated in its March 25 Response to KIUC's
29 petition, Big Rivers will require all of the witnesses' testimony in order to adequately prepare its
30 data requests. An enlargement in time that applies to a single witness's testimony would unduly
31 prejudice Big Rivers and result in administrative inefficiency and an unnecessarily complex

1 procedural schedule. As a matter of fundamental fairness, the amended procedural schedule as
2 applied to Mr. Brevitz's testimony should apply to all of the intervenors' witnesses.

3 WHEREFORE, Big Rivers respectfully requests that the Commission grant the Attorney
4 General's motion by amending the procedural schedule with respect to all parties, thus requiring
5 (i) all intervenor witness testimony to be filed by April 18, 2013 and (ii) all Big Rivers' requests
6 for information to the intervenors to be filed by May 2, 2013. Big Rivers proposes that all other
7 dates on the current procedural order would remain the same.

8 On this the 4th day of April, 2013.

9 Respectfully submitted,

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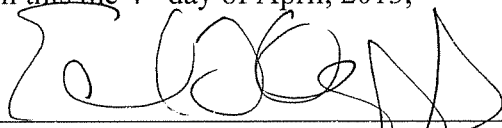
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I certify that a true and accurate copy of the foregoing was or will be served by Federal Express or by hand delivery upon the persons listed on the attached service list, on the date this petition is filed with the Kentucky Public Service Commission or the following day.

On this the 4th day of April, 2013,



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