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In the Matter of:

An Examination of Application of the Fuel Adjustment Clause of
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April 30, 2013 – Case No. 2013-00266

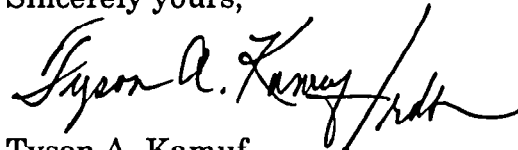
Dear Mr. Derouen:

Big Rivers Electric Corporation (“Big Rivers”) hereby files an original and six (6) copies of its response to the Commission Staff’s Information Request from the Hearing of October 16, 2013.

Please confirm the Commission’s receipt of this information by having the Commission’s date stamp placed on the enclosed additional copy and returning to Big Rivers in the self-addressed, postage paid envelop provided.

Should you have any questions about this matter, please contact me.

Sincerely yours,



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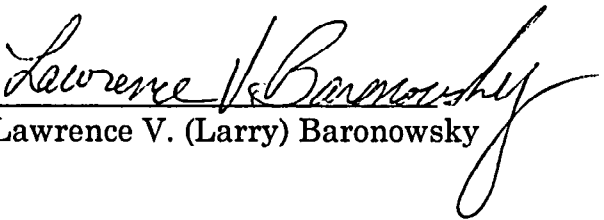
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BIG RIVERS ELECTRIC CORPORATION

**AN EXAMINATION OF THE APPLICATION OF THE FUEL ADJUSTMENT
CLAUSE OF BIG RIVERS ELECTRIC CORPORATION
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CASE NO. 2013-00266**

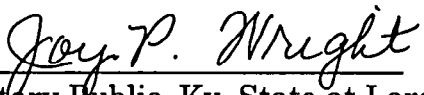
VERIFICATION

I, Lawrence V. (Larry) Baronowsky, verify, state, and affirm that the data request responses filed with this verification for which I am listed as a witness are true and accurate to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief formed after a reasonable inquiry.


Lawrence V. (Larry) Baronowsky

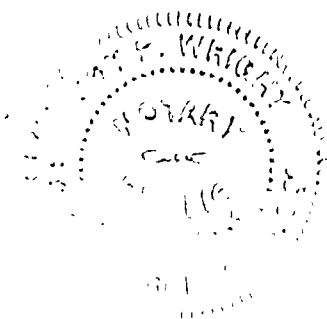
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COUNTY OF HENDERSON)

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me by Lawrence V. (Larry)
Baronowsky on this the 24 day of October, 2013.


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Request for Information from the Hearing
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1 **Item 1)** *Refer to page 9 of 11 of the attachment provided in Big Rivers'*
2 *response to Item 7 of the Commission Staff's Request for Information*
3 *dated August 8, 2013. The explanation for the January outage states, "The*
4 *unit was removed from service to clean the furnace and wash the air*
5 *heaters." Please explain why this outage is listed as a forced outage.*

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7 **Response)** On January 4th, Coleman 1 was off line on a forced outage and Coleman began
8 preliminary discussions with energy marketing about scheduling a Coleman 2 outage for an air
9 heater wash and deslag. Throughout the day on January 4th, the slagging issue on Coleman 2
10 worsened quickly and it was obvious Coleman 2 needed to come off line. Coleman 2 was kept
11 on line until Coleman 1 was returned to service (January 5, 2013, at 3:38 PM CT) and stable.
12 Coleman 2 was removed from service at 11:09 PM CT on January 5, 2013 and was correctly
13 classified as a forced outage (UO3) (Unplanned Outage, Class 3). As defined by Standard 762
14 – 2006 of the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE), "a Class 3 unplanned
15 outage can be postponed beyond 6 hours, but requires that a unit be removed from the in-
16 service state before the end of next weekend."

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19 **Witness)** Lawrence V. Baronowsky

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