

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

APPLICATION OF KENTUCKY POWER)	
COMPANY FOR: (1) A CERTIFICATE OF)	
PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY)	CASE NO.
AUTHORIZING THE COMPANY TO CLOSE)	2015-00152
THE BIG SANDY PLANT COAL ASH)	
IMPOUNDMENT; AND (2) FOR ALL OTHER)	
REQUIRED APPROVALS AND RELIEF)	

ORDER

On June 30, 2015, Kentucky Power Company ("Kentucky Power") filed an application seeking authority for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to close in place the coal ash impoundment located at Kentucky Power's Big Sandy Generating Station and for all other required relief or approvals.¹

Having reviewed Kentucky Power's application, the Commission finds that an investigation will be necessary to determine the reasonableness of the request.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. The procedural schedule set forth in the Appendix to this Order shall be followed.

2. a. Responses to requests for information in paper medium shall be appropriately bound, tabbed, and indexed and shall include the name of the witness responsible for responding to the questions related to the information provided, with the original in paper medium and an electronic copy to the Commission.

¹ Kentucky Power tendered its application on June 15, 2015, along with a motion to deviate from filing requirements. On June 30, 2015, the Commission issued an Order granting the motion, and the application was deemed filed as of the date of the Order.

b. Each response shall be answered under oath, or for representatives of a public or private corporation or a partnership or an association or a governmental agency, be accompanied by a signed certification of the preparer or person supervising the preparation of the response on behalf of the entity that the response is true and accurate to the best of that person's knowledge, information, and belief formed after a reasonable inquiry.

c. Any party shall make timely amendment to any prior response if it obtains information which indicates that the response was incorrect when made or, though correct when made, is now incorrect in any material respect.

d. For any request to which a party fails or refuses to furnish all or part of the requested information that party shall provide a written explanation of the specific grounds for its failure to completely and precisely respond.

e. Any party filing a document containing personal information shall, in accordance with 807 KAR 5:001, Section 4(10), encrypt or redact the document so that personal information cannot be read.

3. Any party filing testimony shall file with the Commission an original in paper medium and an electronic copy. The original in paper medium should be appropriately bound, tabbed and indexed.

4. Kentucky Power shall give notice of the hearing in accordance with the provisions set out in 807 KAR 5:001, Section 9(2)(b). At the time publication is requested, Kentucky Power shall forward a duplicate of the notice and request to the Commission.

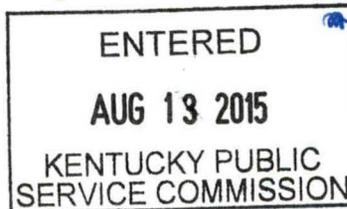
5. A person who submits a motion to intervene after August 19, 2015, and upon a showing of good cause is granted leave to intervene, shall accept and abide by the existing procedural schedule.

6. At any public hearing in this matter, neither opening statements nor summarization of direct testimonies shall be permitted.

7. Motions for extensions of time with respect to the schedule herein shall be made in writing and will be granted only upon a showing of good cause.

8. Nothing contained herein shall prevent the Commission from entering further Orders in this matter.

By the Commission



ATTEST:

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Executive Director

APPENDIX

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE
COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2015-00152 DATED **AUG 13 2015**

- Request for intervention shall be filed by08/19/15
- All initial requests for information to Kentucky Power shall
be filed no later than09/02/15
- Kentucky Power shall file responses to initial requests for
information no later than09/17/15
- All supplemental requests to Kentucky Power shall be filed
no later than.....10/01/15
- Kentucky Power shall file responses to supplemental requests
for information no later than10/15/15
- Intervenor testimony, if any, in verified prepared form, shall
be filed no later than10/29/15
- All requests for information to intervenors shall be filed no
later than.....11/16/15
- Intervenors shall file responses to requests for information
no later than.....12/02/15
- Kentucky Power shall file rebuttal testimony, if any, no later
than.....12/17/15
- Last day for Kentucky Power to publish notice of hearing..... To be scheduled
- Public Hearing to be held in Hearing Room 1
of the Commission's Offices at 211 Sower Boulevard,
Frankfort, Kentucky, for the purpose of cross-examination
of witnesses of Kentucky Power and Intervenors To be scheduled

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