

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC APPLICATION OF KENTUCKY)	
POWER COMPANY FOR (1) A GENERAL)	
ADJUSTMENT OF ITS RATES FOR ELECTRIC)	
SERVICE; (2) APPROVAL OF TARIFFS AND)	
RIDERS; (3) APPROVAL OF ACCOUNTING)	CASE NO.
PRACTICES TO ESTABLISH REGULATORY)	2023-00159
ASSETS AND LIABILITIES; (4) A)	
SECURITIZATION FINANCING ORDER; AND (5))	
ALL OTHER REQUIRED APPROVALS AND)	
RELIEF)	

ORDER

On November 8, 2023, Kentucky Power Company (Kentucky Power) filed a motion requesting the Commission allow a stenographic transcript, to be prepared by a Commission-authorized court reporter, of the formal hearing which is scheduled to begin November 28, 2023. Kentucky Power stated the transcription will aid the parties in briefing the matter and could help the Commission in its deliberations. Kentucky Power stated it would pay all costs associated with the stenographic transcription. Kentucky Power stated the names and qualifications of the court reporter(s) that will be present for the hearing.

Based upon the motion and being otherwise sufficiently advised, the Commission finds that Kentucky Power has established good cause to permit a court reporter to attend the hearing and to produce a stenographic transcript to be filed within a reasonable time after the hearing is completed. That transcript, which will be paid for directly by Kentucky Power, will be included in the evidentiary record but will not take the place of the digital

video recording as the official record maintained in accordance with the requirements of KRS 278.360. The Commission finds Kentucky Power should contact Commission Staff to schedule a time for the court reporter(s) to setup and test their equipment prior to the November 28, 2023 hearing. Additionally, the Commission will not permit stoppages of the hearing if the court reporter's equipment malfunctions. The court reporter(s) may address any issues with equipment during regular breaks in the hearing.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. Kentucky Power's motion for preparation of a stenographic hearing transcript is granted.
2. Kentucky Power shall directly pay all costs for the court reporter(s).
3. Kentucky Power shall contact Commission Staff to schedule a time for the court reporter(s) to set up and test their equipment.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION



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