COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the	Matter	· of:
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ELECTRONIC TARIFF FILING OF KENTUCKY)	CASE NO.
POWER COMPANY TO UPDATE ITS)	2023-00318
PURCHASE POWER ADJUSTMENT RATES)	

COMMISSION STAFF'S FIRST REQUEST FOR INFORMATION TO KENTUCKY POWER COMPANY

Kentucky Power Company (Kentucky Power), pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, shall file with the Commission an electronic version of the following information. The information requested is due on October 26, 2023. The Commission directs Kentucky Power to the Commission's July 22, 2021, Order in Case No. 2020-00085¹ regarding filings with the Commission. Electronic documents shall be in portable document format (PDF), shall be searchable, and shall be appropriately bookmarked.

Each response shall include the question to which the response is made and shall include the name of the witness responsible for responding to the questions related to the information provided. Each response shall be answered under oath or, for representatives of a public or private corporation or a partnership or association or a governmental agency, be accompanied by a signed certification of the preparer or the person supervising the preparation of the response on behalf of the entity that the

¹ Case No. 2020-00085, *Electronic Emergency Docket Related to the Novel Coronavirus COVID- 19* (Ky. PSC July 22, 2021), Order (in which the Commission ordered that for case filings made on and after March 16, 2020, filers are NOT required to file the original physical copies of the filings required by 807 KAR 5:001, Section 8).

response is true and accurate to the best of that person's knowledge, information, and belief formed after a reasonable inquiry.

Kentucky Power shall make timely amendment to any prior response if Kentucky Power obtains information that indicates the response was incorrect or incomplete when made or, though correct or complete when made, is now incorrect or incomplete in any material respect.

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

Careful attention shall be given to copied and scanned material to ensure that it is legible. When the requested information has been previously provided in this proceeding in the requested format, reference may be made to the specific location of that information in responding to this request. When applicable, the requested information shall be separately provided for total company operations and jurisdictional operations. When filing a paper containing personal information, Kentucky Power shall, in accordance with 807 KAR 5:001, Section 4(10), encrypt or redact the paper so that personal information cannot be read.

1. Refer to the Application, 20230920_KPCo_PPA_2023-08-15_Update 1.xlsx, Tabs PPA Form 1.0 and PPA Form 2.0 P1. Confirm that the proposed rates for Phase 1 are based on a full year's billing determinants. If confirmed, explain how the proposed rates will fully refund the Rockport Fixed Cost Savings for the "stub" period over the period the rates will be in effect.

- 2. Refer to the Application, 20230920_KPCo_PPA_2023-08-15_Update 1.xlsx, Tab PPA Form 2.0 P1.
- a. Provide the monthly historic period energy and demand billing determinants.
- b. Provide the rates that would result from using the historic period energy and demand billing determinants that coincide with the periods that the Phase 1 and Phase 2 rates would be in effect.
- 3. Refer to the Application, 20230920_KPCo_PPA_2023-08-15_Update 1.xlsx, Tab PPA Form 3.0a. Confirm that Kentucky Power's proposed over/under recovery calculation compares the Purchased Power Adjustment (PPA) revenues collected in a particular month and the PPA revenue requirement incurred in that same month. If confirmed, explain how the over/under recovery calculation is reasonable given that the revenues are based on the prior year's PPA revenue requirement.

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