

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC APPLICATION OF SOUTH)	
KENTUCKY RURAL ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE)	CASE NO.
CORPORATION FOR A GENERAL)	2024-00402
ADJUSTMENT OF RATES AND OTHER)	
GENERAL RELIEF)	

COMMISSION STAFF'S POST-HEARING REQUEST FOR INFORMATION
TO SOUTH KENTUCKY RURAL ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE CORPORATION

South Kentucky Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation (South Kentucky RECC), pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, shall file with the Commission an electronic version of the following information. The information requested is due no later than July 29, 2025. The Commission directs South Kentucky RECC 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

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).

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.

South Kentucky RECC shall make timely amendment to any prior response if South Kentucky RECC 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 South Kentucky RECC fails or refuses to furnish all or part of the requested information, South Kentucky RECC 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, South Kentucky RECC shall, in accordance with 807 KAR 5:001, Section 4(10), encrypt or redact the paper so that personal information cannot be read.

1. Provide a side-by-side comparison of the cost justification for the current \$17.55 Meter Test Charge to the cost justification of the proposed \$150.00 Meter Test Charge in Excel spreadsheet format with all formulas, rows, and columns unprotected and fully accessible.

2. Provide a side-by-side comparison of the cost justification for the current \$6.20 Return Check Charge to the cost justification of the proposed \$10.00 Return Check Charge in Excel spreadsheet format with all formulas, rows, and columns unprotected and fully accessible.

3. Provide a side-by-side comparison of the cost justification for the current \$17.55 Trip Charge: Regular Hours to the cost justification of the proposed \$140.00 Trip Charge: Regular Hours in Excel spreadsheet format with all formulas, rows, and columns unprotected and fully accessible.

4. Provide a side-by-side comparison of the cost justification for the current \$345.00 Trip Charge: After Hours to the cost justification of the proposed \$387.00 Trip Charge: After Hours in Excel spreadsheet format with all formulas, rows, and columns unprotected and fully accessible.

5. Explain whether South Kentucky RECC has the capability to communicate with customers via SMS/text messaging, in addition to email. If not, explain whether South Kentucky RECC plans to acquire that capability.

6. Refer to the Direct Testimony of John Wolfram, page 12 and Exhibit JW-2, Reference Schedule 1.10, line 171. Explain the increase of 5.8 percent in wages and the 11.9 percent increase into payroll tax.

7. Refer to the Rebuttal Testimony of John Wolfram, page 11, lines 1-4. Explain why there was a correction to the salary and wages expense and not a change in the payroll taxes.



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