

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION

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In the Matter of

APPLICATION OF BIG RIVERS ELECTRIC CORPORATION FOR:

(1) A CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY UNDER KRS 278.020 AND 807 KAR 1:010, SECTIONS 7 AND 8 TO CONSTRUCT AND OPERATE THE FOLLOWING FACILITIES:

(a) TWO ADDITIONAL GENERATING UNITS, EACH HAVING A NET RATED CAPABILITY OF 395 MW TO BE KNOWN AS THE "D. B. WILSON GENERATING STATION" AND TO BE LOCATED IN OHIO COUNTY, KENTUCKY,

(b) ANY AND ALL APPURTENANT AND RELATED EQUIPMENT AND FACILITIES,

(2) A CERTIFICATE OF ENVIRONMENTAL COMPATIBILITY UNDER KRS 278.025 FOR THE FACILITIES DESCRIBED IN PARAGRAPH (1) HEREOF.

CASE NO.
7557

O R D E R

The Commission, on its own Motion, hereby ORDERS That the ~~record in the above case be and it hereby is reopened to the extent that~~ Big Rivers Electric Corporation is hereby ORDERED to file with the Commission by May 12, 1980 and to provide copies to parties of record, its plans to finance the construction of the facilities for which a certificate of convenience and necessity is sought in this proceeding.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 30th day of April, 1980.

ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION


Chairman


Vice Chairman


Commissioner

ATTEST:

Secretary