

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

AN INVESTIGATION OF MEADE COUNTY)
RURAL ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE)
CORPORATION'S RATES FOR) CASE NO. 9976
DISTRIBUTION ELECTRIC SERVICE)

O R D E R

The Commission, on its own motion, initiated Case No. 9885, An Investigation of Big Rivers Electric Corporation's Rates for Wholesale Electric Service, to review the current wholesale electric rates authorized for Big Rivers Electric Corporation ("Big Rivers") and to determine if any changes in rates are needed to reflect the commercialization of the Wilson generating plant. Any change in the wholesale electric rates authorized would affect the four distribution cooperatives, of which Meade County Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation ("Meade County") is one. Therefore, the Commission, on its own motion, finds that a flow-through rate case should be initiated for Meade County.

To conduct this flow-through rate case as expeditiously as possible the Commission will establish this case and will require Meade County to file revised tariff sheets which reflect the proposed increase in wholesale electric rates, with adequate documentation which supports the revised tariff filing. The requested information will be due August 4, 1987. The Commission

will incorporate the complete record of evidence from Case No. 9617 into this new docket and all parties in Case No. 9617 will be designated as parties herein.

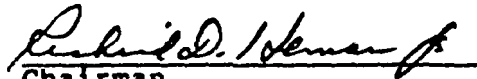
IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. A flow-through rate case for Meade County be and it hereby is established; the record of evidence in Case No. 9617 be and it hereby is incorporated by reference; and all parties to Case No. 9617 be and they hereby are designated as parties herein.


2. Meade County shall file, on or before August 4, 1987, revised tariff sheets which reflect the proposed increase in wholesale electric rates, with adequate documentation supporting the revised tariff filing.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 27th day of July, 1987.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION


Chairman


Vice Chairman


Commissioner

ATTEST:

Executive Director