

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY  
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

THE APPLICATION OF SALT RIVER RURAL )  
ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE CORPORATION )  
FOR PERMISSION TO DEVIATE FROM ) CASE NO. 10093  
THE PROVISIONS OF TITLE 807 KAR )  
5:006, SECTION 6(5) )

O R D E R

By application received November 25, 1987, Salt River Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation ("Salt River") requested authorization to deviate from 807 KAR 5:006, Section 6(5), which requires each utility to initiate a program to read each revenue related meter at least once each calendar year.

IT IS ORDERED that Salt River submit the following information on its meter reading program:

1. The procedure for reading all of its meters on a yearly basis.
2. The number of new employees required to perform only a meter reading function.
3. If presently using existing employees, how many and what department(s) they come from and how much meter reading affects their normal duties.
4. The number of meters to be read per year in order to complete a three-year meter reading program on a per substation basis.

5. Any budgeted allocations toward a yearly meter reading program.

6. Historical meter reading data, from the years 1979 through 1985, as follows:

- a. Dates Read
- b. Total Meters Read
- c. Total Deviations
- d. Additional KWH Billed
- e. Routine Deviations
- f. Routine Additional KWH Billings
- g. Exceptional Deviations
- h. Exceptional KWH Billed
- i. Additional Revenue Generated
- j. Total Cost of Annual Program
- k. Average Cost Per Meter Read
- l. Additional Revenue Per Meter Read
- m. Net Average Cost Per Meter Read

Salt River shall provide the Commission with the original and ten copies of its answers no later than January 5, 1988. If it is unable to provide the requested information by that date, it should request an extension of time. Any request for extension shall state the reason for delay and include the expected date of submission.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 17th day of December, 1987.

ATTEST:

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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Executive Director

*Richard D. Herman*  
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For the Commission