COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

APPLICATION OF GREEN RIVER ELECTRIC)CORPORATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE)AND NECESSITY PURSUANT TO KRS 278.020(1))AND 807 KAR 5:001, SECTION 9 AND RELATED)SECTIONS AUTHORIZING CERTAIN PROPOSED)CONSTRUCTION)

CASE NO. 95-556

ORDER

This matter arising upon request of Green River Electric Corporation ("Green River"), filed April 1, 1996, for confidential protection of information submitted on diskette in response to the Commission's Order of March 4, 1996, and it appearing to this Commission as follows:

By Order dated March 4, 1996, the Commission directed Green River to respond to four data requests. The Order further asked that the information requested in Item 1 be furnished on a diskette. Green River has requested by letter that the information submitted in response to Item 1 of the Commission's Order be protected as confidential. No petition or other document in conformity with the provisions of 807 KAR 5:001, Section 7, has been filed requesting that the information in the report be protected as confidential.

KRS 61.872(1) requires information filed with the Commission to be available for public inspection unless specifically exempted by statute. Exemptions from this requirement are provided in KRS 61.878(1). The procedure for obtaining confidential protection for information filed with the Commission is provided in 807 KAR 5:001, Section 7. Green River has not met the procedural requirements of the regulation, and the information cannot be protected as confidential.

This Commission being otherwise sufficiently advised,

IT IS ORDERED that:

 The request to protect as confidential information filed by Green River on diskette in response to Item 1 of the Commission's March
4, 1996 Order is hereby denied.

2. The information sought to be protected shall be held and retained by this Commission as confidential and shall not be open for public inspection for a period of 20 days from the date of this Order to allow Green River the opportunity to seek any remedy afforded by law.

3. If at the expiration of the 20-day period no action has been taken by Green River, the information shall be placed in the public record without further Orders herein.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 23rd day of April, 1996.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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