COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

BIG RIVERS ELECTRIC CORPORATION S) APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL OF A) CASE NO. LEVERAGED LEASE OF THREE GENERATING) 99-450 UNITS)

<u>ORDER</u>

This matter arises upon the motions of Alcan Aluminum Corporation and Southwire Company (Petitioners) for full intervention. It appears to the Commission that Petitioners have a special interest which is not otherwise adequately represented, and that such intervention is likely to present issues and develop facts that will assist the Commission in fully considering the matter without unduly complicating or disrupting the proceedings. Petitioners must accept the existing procedural schedule set forth in our November 15, 1999 Order. That Order established dates for discovery, with a final decision by November 24, 1999.

This Commission being otherwise sufficiently advised, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

1. The motions of Petitioners to intervene are granted, and each Petitioner shall accept the existing procedural schedule.

2. Each shall be entitled to the full rights of a party and shall be served with the Commission's Orders and with filed testimony, exhibits, pleadings, correspondence, and all other documents submitted by parties after the date of this Order.

3. Should any Petitioner file documents of any kind with the Commission in the

course of these proceedings, said Petitioner shall also serve a copy of said documents on all other parties of record.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 22nd day of November, 1999.

By the Commission

ATTEST:

Executive Director