

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

KENTUCKY RURAL WATER ASSOCIATION'S)
APPLICATION FOR ACCREDITATION AND) CASE NO. 2003-00482
APPROVAL OF A COURSE OF TRAINING FOR)
WATER DISTRICT COMMISSIONERS)

O R D E R

The Kentucky Rural Water Association ("KRWA") has applied for accreditation of three courses of instruction held in July and again in October 2003 at the Ponderosa Steak House in Morehead, Kentucky, the Lewisport Municipal Building in Lewisport, Kentucky, and the Ponderosa Steak House in Draffenville, Kentucky.

Pursuant to KRS 74.020(7), this Commission is required to "encourage and promote the offering of high quality water district management training programs that enhance a water district commissioner's understanding of his or her duties." The conferences for which approval is sought include instruction regarding, inter alia, vulnerability assessments, the role of operators and decision-makers, and source water protection. Having reviewed KRWA's application describing the proposed courses, the Commission finds that the proposed courses will enhance a water district commissioner's understanding of his or her duties and should be approved for 2.0 credit hours of training for drinking water operators.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. KRWA's proposed courses of instruction are hereby approved for a maximum of 2.0 credit hours.

2. KRWA shall retain a record of all persons attending the approved courses of instruction.

3. Within 14 days of the date of this Order, KRWA shall file with the Commission a sworn statement attesting that the approved courses of instruction were performed and, if any changes in the speakers or course curriculums occurred after KRWA's application, a description of those changes.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 13th day of January, 2004.

By the Commission

ATTEST:


Executive Director