COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC INVESTIGATION OF POLE) CASE NO. ATTACHMENTS) 2023-00416

ORDER

On June 27, 2024, the Commission issued an Order in this proceeding allowing the Kentucky Broadband and Cable Association (KBCA) allowing KBCA to file, by July 10, 2024, updates to pending applications for pole attachments. The Order also provided that Kentucky's electric cooperatives (collectively, Cooperatives) and Louisville Gas and Electric Company (LG&E) and Kentucky Utilities Company (KU) (jointly, LG&E/KU should file responses to the updates within ten days of the filing of the updates.

On July 2, 2024, KBCA filed a motion for an extension of time in which to file its updates. As grounds for its motions KBCA stated that additional time was necessary due to work and vacation schedules. KBCA also stated that it had spoken to the Cooperatives and LG&E/KU and that KBCA and those utilities had generally agreed that KBCA and the Cooperatives would file a joint submission and KBCA and LG&E/KU would file a joint submission. In the alternative, KBCA proposed that if KBCA and the various utilities could not agree on the joint submissions, KBCA would file its updates no later than July 19, 2024, and the utilities would file their responses no later than July 26, 2024.

The Commission finds that KBCA has provided sufficient grounds to support its motion and the motion should be granted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

- 1. KBCA's motion for an extension of time is granted.
- 2. KBCA and the utilities, if they agree on joint submissions, shall file their joint submissions no later than July 19, 2024.
- 3. If KBCA and the utilities do not agree on joint submissions, KBCA may file its updates no later than July 19, 2024, to which the utilities shall file their responses no later than July 26, 2024.

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