COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC APPLICATION OF EAST)	
KENTUCKY POWER COOPERATIVE, INC. FOR)	
1) A CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE)	CASE NO.
AND NECESSITY TO CONSTRUCT A NEW)	2024-00310
GENERATION RESOURCE; 2) A SITE)	
COMPATIBILITY CERTIFICATE; AND 3) OTHER)	
GENERAL RELIEF)	

ORDER

On January 21, 2025, Sierra Club filed a motion with the Commission requesting that its counsel be allowed to appear remotely at the informal conference (IC) scheduled for January 29, 2025, at 2 p.m. Eastern Standard Time, at the Commission's offices at 211 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky, in this matter. As grounds for its motion, Sierra Club stated that allowing counsel to participate remotely would avoid unnecessary client expense while maintaining an efficient process that would not unduly burden the Commission or the parties. No parties have filed an objection to this request.

On January 28, 2025, Nucor Steel Gallatin (Nucor) filed a motion requesting that its counsel be allowed to appear remotely at the IC scheduled for January 29, 2025. As grounds for its motion, Nucor stated that its counsel had an out-of-state professional commitment on that date that precludes an in-person attendance.³

¹ Sierra Club's Motion for Virtual Appearance (Motion) (filed Jan. 21, 2025).

² Motion at 1.

³ Nucor's Request for Virtual Appearance for the Informal Conference (Request) (filed Jan. 28, 2025).

Based on the motion, the Commission finds that Sierra Club and Nucor have established good cause for the motion and request to be granted. Counsel may appear virtually at the January 29, 2025 IC. Commission Staff will provide counsel with instructions to ensure that they have sufficient capability to participate remotely in this informal conference on January 29, 2025.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

- 1. Sierra Club's motion for counsel to appear virtually at the informal conference on January 29, 2025, is granted.
- 2. Nucor's request for counsel to appear virtually at the informal conference on January 29, 2025 is granted.
- 3. Commission Staff shall contact participants with instructions for participating remotely.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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ATTEST:

Executive Director

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