COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In the Matter of:

AN EXAMINATION BY THE PUBLIC

SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE

APPLICATION OF THE FUEL ADJUST
MENT CLAUSE OF BIG SANDY

RURAL ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE

CORPORATION FROM NOVEMBER 1,

1982, TO APRIL 30, 1983

ORDER

Pursuant to 807 KAR 5:056, Section 1(11), the Public Service Commission ("Commission") issued an Order on July 5, 1983, requiring Big Sandy Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation ("Big Sandy") to notify its customers of a hearing to be held on August 23, 1983. Big Sandy was not required to appear at the scheduled hearing unless an appearance was requested by the Attorney General's Division of Consumer Protection or other interested parties, or by the Commission on its own motion. Furthermore, Big Sandy filed an affidavit stating its compliance with the provisions of the Fuel Adjustment Clause as prescribed in 807 KAR 5:056. Big Sandy also filed its monthly fuel charges for the 6-month period under review.

Following proper notice, no party of record requested Big Sandy to appear at the hearing scheduled for August 23, 1983. After reviewing Big Sandy's monthly fuel clause filings for the 6-month period under review, the Commission is of the opinion that Big Sandy has complied with the provisions of 807 KAR 5:056.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the charges collected by Big Sandy through the fuel adjustment clause for the period November 1, 1982, through April 30, 1983, be and they hereby are approved.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 24th day of October, 1983.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Vice Chairman

Commissioner

ATTEST:

Secretary