

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY  
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

AN INVESTIGATION OF BIG RIVERS )  
ELECTRIC CORPORATION'S RATES ) CASE NO. 9885  
FOR WHOLESALE ELECTRIC SERVICE )

O R D E R

On August 26, 1987, National-Southwire Aluminum Company filed a petition seeking rehearing of the Commission's Order entered August 10, 1987. Additional petitions for rehearing have been filed by Alcan Aluminum Corporation, Hancock County, Utility Rate Cutters of Kentucky, Big Rivers Electric Corporation, and the Utility and Rate Intervention Division of the Attorney General's Office.

The Commission, having reviewed the petitions, is of the opinion and hereby finds that the parties should be afforded a reasonable opportunity to file responses. To prevent the pending petitions from being deemed to be denied by operation of law pursuant to KRS 278.400, the Commission will grant the petitions for the limited purpose of further consideration.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the petitions for rehearing be and they hereby are granted for the limited purpose of tolling KRS 278.400 to allow the parties adequate time to file responses. All responses shall be filed by September 18, 1987.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 3rd day of September, 1987.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

*Richard D. Herman, Jr.*  
Chairman

*Tom Chappell, Jr.*  
Vice Chairman

*Spencer H. Williams, Jr.*  
Commissioner

ATTEST:

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Executive Director