

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

OWEN ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE)
CORPORATION INC.)

ALLEGED FAILURE TO COMPLY)
WITH KRS 278.042)

CASE NO.
2013-00230

ORDER

On August 2, 2013, an informal conference with Owen Electric Cooperative Corporation Inc. ("Owen Electric") was held at the Commission Offices to discuss and address the issues in this case. On August 6, 2013, Commission Staff filed a memorandum memorializing the discussions held at the informal conference. As set forth in the informal conference memorandum, Owen Electric agreed to provide certain information to Commission Staff, including, but not limited to, an itemized and finalized list of modifications to safety, supervisory, and policy changes; revisions to Owen Electric's safety manual; a description of other general safety measures that have been or will be implemented; the results of the Caterpillar survey and the changes adopted as a result of the study; and a detailed statement of the costs incurred by virtue of all the remedial measures and policies. The informal conference memorandum also stated that Owen Electric requested a formal evidentiary hearing in this case, which is currently scheduled for September 12, 2013, be rescheduled to a later date to allow it to gather this information and to pursue additional settlement discussions.

The Commission, having considered the informal conference memorandum and finding good cause, HEREBY ORDERS that:

1. Owen Electric's request to reschedule the formal evidentiary hearing is granted.
2. The formal evidentiary hearing currently scheduled for September 12, 2013 is continued to a date to be determined.
3. Owen Electric shall provide the information described in the findings above no later than November 1, 2013.
4. Subsequent to Owen Electric's filing of the information described in the findings above, Commission Staff shall issue a Staff Notice of Informal Conference to continue discussions of the issues in this case.

By the Commission



ATTEST



Executive Director

Honorable James M Crawford
Attorney At Law
Crawford & Baxter, P.S.C. Attorneys at Law
523 Highland Avenue
P. O. Box 353
Carrollton, KENTUCKY 41008

Mark Stallons
President & CEO
Owen Electric Cooperative, Inc.
8205 Highway 127 North
P. O. Box 400
Owenton, KY 40359