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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Hon. Kent A. Chandler Executive Director Public Service Commission 211 Sower Boulevard, P.O. Box 615 Frankfort, Kentucky 40602-0615

> Re: In the Matter of: Electronic Examination by the Public Service Commission of the Environmental Surcharge Mechanism of Big Rivers Electric Corporation for the Two-Year Billing Period Ending July 31, 2019, and the Pass Through Mechanism of its Three Member Distribution Cooperatives – Case No. 2020-00144

Dear Mr. Chandler:

Big Rivers Electric Corporation ("Big Rivers") hereby electronically files the following materials today in the above-referenced matter:

- (i) This cover letter, which constitutes the Read 1st file required by 807 KAR 5:001 Section 8(5);
- (ii) The Direct Testimony of Nicholas R. Castlen on behalf of Big Rivers and its three Member Distribution Cooperatives; and
- (iii) Big Rivers' responses, on behalf of itself and its three Member Distribution Cooperatives, to the information requested in Appendix B of the Public Service Commission's Order dated May 5, 2020.

Big Rivers will file the requisite paper copies of this electronic filing within thirty days after the current state of emergency is lifted, as required by the Commission's Orders in Case No. 2020-00085.

The undersigned certifies that the materials in the electronic filing are a true representation of the materials in paper medium, and that the electronic version of the paper filing is a true and accurate copy of each paper filed in paper medium. The Commission has excused no parties to this proceeding from its electronic filing procedures.



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Please feel free to contact me should you have any questions regarding this filing.

Sincerely yours,

/s/ Tyson Kamuf

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