## COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

## In the Matter of:

Electronic Application Of Kentucky Power Company	)	
For (1) A General Adjustment Of Its Rates For Electric	)	
Service; (2) Approval Of Tariffs And Riders; (3)	)	
Approval Of Accounting Practices To Establish	)	Case No. 2020-00174
Regulatory Assets And Liabilities; (4) Approval Of A	)	
Certificate Of Public Convenience And Necessity;	)	
And (5) All Other Required Approvals And Relief	)	

## **Motion For Leave To Deviate**

Kentucky Power Company ("Kentucky Power" or "Company") moves the Public Service Commission of Kentucky pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, Section 22 and 807 KAR 5:011, Section 15 for leave to deviate from the requirements of 807 KAR 5:001, Section 17(2)(b)(3), 807 KAR 5:011, Section 8(2)(b)(3), and all other applicable provisions. The identified regulations require in part that Kentucky Power publish its customer notice once a week for three consecutive weeks in a prominent manner in a newspaper of general circulation in the utility's service area, the first publication to be made no later than the date the application is submitted to the commission.

This request for deviation applies only to the publication of the required customer notice in one newspaper in the Company's service territory: the *Lewis County Herald* (Lewis County). Kentucky Power proposes to publish its required notice in the *Lewis County Herald* as provided in the regulations beginning June 30, 2020, one day after the Company will file its application with the Commission.

The *Lewis County Herald* initially agreed to publish the notice for three consecutive weeks beginning the week of June 22, 2020. The Company was first informed on June 29, 2020

that the *Lewis County Herald* mistakenly failed to publish the first customer notice as directed the week of June 22, 2020.

The Company therefore requests a deviation from the requirements of 807 KAR 5:001, Section 17(2)(b)(3) and 807 KAR 5:011, Section 8(2)(b)(3) to first publish the notice no later than the date the Company filed its application with the Commission, and that it instead be authorized to publish the required customer notice in accordance with the following schedule for the *Lewis County Herald*: June 30, July 7, and July 14, 2020.

Good cause exists for allowing the requested deviation. Whether the newspaper actually publishes the notice in accordance with the schedule provided by Kentucky Power is outside the control of Kentucky Power. The Company first learned on June 29, 2020 that the *Lewis County Herald* mistakenly failed to publish the first notice the week of June 22, 2020 and requested this deviation as soon as was practicable thereafter. The proposed publication schedule most closely matches that required by the regulations as is possible. Further, if granted, the requested deviation will result in publication of the customer notice for three consecutive publications in the subject newspaper, with its first publication only one day later than the requirement in the regulations.

Wherefore, Kentucky Power Company respectfully requests the Commission enter an Order:

1. Granting the Company's motion for leave to deviate from the requirements of 807 KAR 5:001, Section 17(2)(b)(3), 807 KAR 5:011, Section 8(2)(b)(3), and all other applicable provisions, by publishing its customer notice in the newspaper of record in Lewis County on the following schedule:

June 30, July 7, and July 14, 2020; and

2. Granting such further relief to which the Company may be entitled.

Respectfully submitted,

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