COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In The Matter Of: Electronic Application Of Kentucky Power:Company To Amend The Settlement Agreement Approved in Case:No 2018-00035 To Provide For The One-Time Amortization Of:Unprotected Accumulated Deferred Federal Income Tax In An:Amount Sufficient To Eliminate Customer Delinquencies Greater:Than 30 Days As Of May 28, 2020:

MOTION TO INTERVENE OF KENTUCKY INDUSTRIAL UTILITY CUSTOMERS, INC.

Pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, Section 4(11), KRS 278.310, and KRS 278.040(2), Kentucky Industrial Utility Customers, Inc. ("KIUC") requests that it be granted full intervenor status in the above-captioned proceeding(s) and states in support thereof as follows:

1. 807 KAR 5:001, Section 4(11)(a)(1) requires that a person requesting leave to intervene as a party to a case before the Kentucky Public Service Commission ("Commission"), by timely motion, must state his or her interest in the case and how intervention is likely to present issues or develop facts that will assist the Commission in fully considering the matter without unduly complicating or disrupting the proceedings.

2. 807 KAR 5:001, Section 4(11)(b) provides that the Commission shall grant a person leave to intervene if the Commission finds that he or she has made a timely motion for intervention and that he or she has a special interest in the case that is not otherwise adequately represented or that his or her intervention is likely to present issues or to develop facts that assist the Commission in fully considering the matter without unduly complicating or disrupting the proceedings.

3. KIUC is an association of the largest electric and gas public utility customers in Kentucky. The purpose of KIUC is to represent the industrial viewpoint on energy and utility issues before this Commission and before all other appropriate governmental bodies. The attorneys for KIUC authorized to represent them in this proceeding and to take service of all documents are:

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4. KIUC filed a timely motion to intervene in this proceeding.

5. KIUC has a special interest in this case. Several member(s) of KIUC are served by Kentucky Power Company ("Kentucky Power"). The member(s) of KIUC who will participate herein are: Catlettsburg Refining LLC, a subsidiary of Marathon Petroleum LP.¹

6. KIUC filed the Complaint in Case No. 2018-00035 and was a Signatory Party to the Settlement which Kentucky Power now seeks to amend. Therefore, the interests of KIUC are directly affected by this case.

7. KIUC's intervention is likely to present issues or develop facts that will assist the Commission in fully considering the matters at hand. KIUC has participated in ratemaking matters before this Commission since 1978 and was formally incorporated in 1983. Over the past 30 years alone, KIUC has intervened in nearly one hundred cases addressing electric rate and service issues. In these proceedings, KIUC currently expects to, at minimum, conduct discovery, file expert testimony, and actively participate at the evidentiary hearing. Hence, KIUC will be a helpful and active participant should its request to intervene be granted.

8. KIUC intends to play a constructive role in the Commission's decision-making process.

9. KIUC's intervention will not unduly complicate or disrupt the proceedings.

¹ KIUC will supplement the names of additional KIUC member intervenors, if necessary.

WHEREFORE, KIUC requests that it be granted full intervenor status in the above-captioned proceeding.

Respectfully submitted,

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