

**COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

In the Matter of:

Electronic Investigation Of Interconnection And Net)
Metering Guidelines) Case No. 2020-00302

Kentucky Power Company’s Motion to Amend Procedural Schedule

Kentucky Power Company (“Kentucky Power” or the “Company”) respectfully moves the Public Service Commission of Kentucky (the “Commission”) pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, Section 4(5), to issue an order amending the procedural schedule in this proceeding. As demonstrated below, good cause exists to amend the procedural schedule to allow the Company and all parties additional time to file supplemental briefings.

In support of this motion, Kentucky Power states as follows:

1. The Commission opened this investigation on September 24, 2020 “to investigate and potentially modify and update net metering interconnection guidelines in light of the time since the establishment of those guidelines over a decade ago and to address the enactment of Senate Bill 100, An Act Related to Net Metering, which took effect on January 1, 2020.”¹
2. On February 16, 2021, the Commission ordered each party to this proceeding to “file a written brief setting forth current and reasonably anticipated issues and concerns identified by each party regarding net metering interconnection guidelines and FERC Order No. 2222.”² The deadline for filing this brief was extended to April 19, 2021³ and the parties to this proceeding that elected to file briefs did so by that date.

¹ Order, *In the Matter of: Electronic Investigation Of Interconnection And Net Metering Guidelines*, Case No. 2020-00302 (“Net Metering Investigation”), (Ky. P.S.C. Sept. 24, 2020).

² Order, *Net Metering Investigation*, (Ky. P.S.C. Feb. 16, 2021).

³ Order, *Net Metering Investigation*, (Ky. P.S.C. March 4, 2021).

3. On February 4, 2026, the Commission issued an order scheduling a virtual informal conference on February 26, 2026 and establishing a procedural schedule that afforded participants in the proceeding the opportunity to file supplemental briefing (by March 16, 2026) and provided a deadline for parties to request a public hearing or submit a request for the matter to be decided based on the written record (by March 30, 2026) (the “Procedural Schedule”).⁴

4. It has been nearly five years since the parties initially submitted briefs in this proceeding. In the interim, there have been numerous relevant statutory and regulatory changes that impact interconnection of net metering resources. Utilities have adapted to these changes and current perspectives or practices may not be effectively represented in the briefings filed nearly five years ago. Additionally, net metering resource technologies have developed in the intervening five-year period. Finally, there may have been developments in other jurisdictions that would provide insight on the matter in Kentucky.

5. Because of the time between initial briefs and now and because of the changes in the legal framework and technologies associated with net metering, Kentucky Power requests that the Commission extend the future deadlines in the Procedural Schedule by three weeks so that the deadline for filing supplemental briefing would be April 6, 2026 and the deadline to request a public hearing or submit a request for the matter to be decided based on the written record would be April 20, 2026.

WHEREFORE, for good cause as described herein, Kentucky Power respectfully requests that the Commission enter an Order:

1. Modifying the existing Procedural Schedule in this matter and establishing an Amended Procedural Schedule as reflected herein; and

⁴ Order, Net Metering Investigation, (Ky. P.S.C. Feb. 4, 2026).

2. Granting Kentucky Power all further relief to which it may be entitled.

Respectfully submitted,



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