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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Ms. Linda C. Bridwell Executive Director Public Service Commission 211 Sower Boulevard, P.O. Box 615 Frankfort, Kentucky 40602-0615

> Re: In the Matter of: Electronic Application of Big Rivers Electric Corporation for a Certificate Of Public Convenience and Necessity to Construct a 161 KV Transmission Line in Mccracken County, Kentucky
> - Case No. 2021-00275

Dear Ms. Bridwell:

Big Rivers Electric Corporation ("*Big Rivers*") is electronically filing the following materials:

- 1. This letter, which constitutes the Read1st file required by 807 KAR 5:001 Section 8(5);
- 2. Big Rivers' application seeking a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity ("*CPCN*") to construct a 3.8 mile 161 kilovolt ("kV") transmission line in McCracken County, Kentucky, and a finding that no CPCN is required for two related substation projects or, alternatively a CPCN for any of the projects that the Kentucky Public Service Commission determines require a CPCN; and
- 3. Big Rivers' motion for confidential treatment of the confidential information in the application (the "*Confidential Information*").

Pursuant to the Commission's Orders in Case No. 2020-00085, Big Rivers will file the Confidential Information with the Commission via email to PSCED@ky.gov or by providing the Commission a link to an encrypted file-share site from which the Confidential Information can be downloaded. Ms. Linda C. Bridwell September 22, 2021 Page 2

The Commission has excused no parties to this proceeding from its electronic filing procedures.

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

Sincerely,

/s/ Tyson Kamuf

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