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January 26, 2022

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 Approval to Issue Evidences of indebtedness, Case No. 2021-00468

Dear Executive Director:

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

- 1. This cover letter, which constitutes the Read1st file required by 807 KAR 5:001 Section 8(5);
- 2. The public version of Big Rivers' application for approval to issue evidences of indebtedness in connection with a \$150,000,000 term loan from National Rural Utilities Cooperative Finance Corporation ("CFC"); and
- 3. Big Rivers' motion for confidential treatment of the 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.

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/ Senthia Santana

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