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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 Henderson County, Kentucky, Case No. 2022-00012*

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) and Big Rivers’ notice of substitution of witnesses; and
2. Big Rivers’ Witness List for the upcoming May 31, 2022 hearing, in this matter, pursuant to Ordering Paragraph No. 2 of the Commission Order dated May 2, 2022.

In addition, Big Rivers hereby notifies the Public Service Commission (the “Commission”) of Big Rivers’ intent to substitute Christopher (“Chris”) S. Bradley, Big Rivers’ Vice President of System Operations, as a witness for Michael S. Mizell and Mark J. Eacret. Mr. Bradley will be adopting and testifying to all matters raised by Mr. Mizell’s and Mr. Eacret’s prefiled responses to information requests, to avoid unduly complicating and disrupting the progress and proceedings of this matter.

The original witnesses only sponsored one information request response each. Mr. Eacret, Big Rivers’ Vice President of Energy Services, sponsored the response to

Item No. 3 of the Commission Staff's First Request for Information, regarding the cost effectiveness of the proposed projects. The response provided a calculation of the projected benefits to Big Rivers' Member-Owners from sales to Pratt Industries. Big Rivers' response to Item No. 11 of the Commission Staff's First Request for Information, sponsored by Mr. Bradley provided information regarding the cost effectiveness of the proposed projects compared to alternatives considered.

Mr. Mizell, Big Rivers' Vice President of Environmental Compliance, sponsored the response to Item No.1 of the Commission Staff's First Request for Information. This response explained that a National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) review was not required for the proposed projects. The Commission Staff expanded the original request in Item No. 1 of the Staff's Second Request for Information, to which Mr. Bradley sponsored the response, providing information related to the environmental review process regarding the proposed projects.

This substitution is appropriate because the time commitment required for in-person attendance is substantial relative to the single response by each witness and considering the witnesses would travel and stay overnight in Frankfort to attend the morning hearing. The substitution will not prejudice any party. Mr. Bradley is familiar with and well versed in the issues raised in the responses, and will be available for questioning on the two responses.

Mr. Bradley is a graduate of University of Evansville, where he received an undergraduate degree in electrical engineering and a graduate degree in Engineering Management. Mr. Bradley has worked in the electric industry for thirty-two (32) years, holding various management positions at Big Rivers. Mr. Bradley has sponsored the responses to information requests in this case and other cases before the Commission, including in Case No. 2012-00555;<sup>1</sup> Case No. 2013-

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<sup>1</sup> *In the Matter of: An Examination of the Application of the Fuel Adjustment Clause of Big Rivers Electric Corporation from November 1, 2010 through October 31, 2012*, P.S.C. Case No. 2012-00555.

00199;<sup>2</sup> Case No. 2014-00166;<sup>3</sup> Case No. 2014-00455;<sup>4</sup> Case No. 2021-00058;<sup>5</sup> and Case No. 2020-00299.<sup>6</sup>

A copy of Mr. Bradley's professional summary is attached as Exhibit A. Mr. Bradley's Affidavit fully adopting the two responses is attached hereto for inclusion into the case record.

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 yours,

/s/ Senthia Santana

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<sup>2</sup> *In the Matter of: Application of Big Rivers Electric Corporation for a General Adjustment in Rates*, P.S.C. Case No. 2013-00199.

<sup>3</sup> *In the Matter of: 2014 Integrated Resource Plan of Big Rivers Electric Corporation Case*, P.S.C. Case No. 2014-00166.

<sup>4</sup> *In the Matter of: An Examination of the Application of the Fuel Adjustment Clause of Big Rivers Electric Corporation from November 1, 2012 through October 31, 2014*, P.S.C. Case No. 2014-00455.

<sup>5</sup> *In the Matter of: An Examination of the Application of the Fuel Adjustment Clause of Big Rivers Electric Corporation from November 1, 2018 through October 31, 2020*, P.S.C. Case No. 21-00058.

<sup>6</sup> *In the Matter of: Electronic 2020 Integrated Resource Plan of Big Rivers Electric Corporation*, P.S.C. Case No. 2020-00299.



# **Professional Summary**

Christopher S. Bradley, PE  
Director Transmission System  
Big Rivers Electric Corporation  
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Henderson, Kentucky 42420

## **Professional Experience**

Big Rivers Electric Corporation 1989 to Present

Vice President System Operations

Director Transmission System

Director Energy Control & Compliance

Manager Energy Control & Compliance

System Planning and Reliability Compliance Supervisor

Senior System Planning Engineer

## **Education**

Master of Science in Engineering Management

University of Evansville, Evansville, IN, 1992

Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering

University of Evansville, Evansville, IN, 1989

## **Certifications**

Registered as a Professional Engineer in Kentucky – PE

## **Professional Organizations**

Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers - IEEE