

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

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| ELECTRONIC TARIFF FILING OF |) | |
| KENTUCKY UTILITIES COMPANY FOR |) | CASE NO. 2022-00371 |
| APPROVAL OF AN ECONOMIC |) | |
| DEVELOPMENT RIDER SPECIAL |) | |
| CONTRACT WITH BITIKI-KY, LLC |) | |

**MOTION OF KENTUCKY UTILITIES COMPANY
TO SUBMIT CASE FOR DECISION ON THE RECORD**

In response to the Kentucky Public Service Commission’s (“Commission”) November 4, 2022 Order in this proceeding directing that “KU [Kentucky Utilities Company] or any Intervenor shall request either a hearing or that the case be submitted for decision based on the record no later than ... 02/28/2023,” KU hereby moves the Commission to issue an order deciding the issues in this proceeding based upon the record because KU is unaware of any genuine issue of material fact to address in an evidentiary hearing.¹

The record in this case is sufficient for the Commission to issue a final order without an evidentiary hearing. The Commission Staff and the Joint Intervenors have propounded, and KU has responded to, two sets of data requests, and the Joint Intervenors responded to data requests from Commission Staff and KU.² The Joint Intervenors submitted testimony, and KU, as the party bearing the burden of proof, submitted rebuttal testimony. Thus, the factual record in this proceeding is adequate for the Commission to consider and weigh the evidence and issue an order without requiring a hearing. Moreover, declining to hold a hearing and submitting the case on the

¹ Case No. 2022-00371, Order Appx. A (Ky. PSC Nov. 4, 2022).


² The Joint Intervenors are Kentuckians for the Commonwealth, Kentucky Solar Energy Society, Mountain Association, and Kentucky Resources Council.

record is administratively economic and avoids the need for the Commission and the parties to incur an expenditure of time, resources, and money when there are no issues of material fact.

WHEREFORE, Kentucky Utilities Company respectfully moves the Commission to issue an order declining to hold an evidentiary hearing in this proceeding and deciding the issues in this proceeding on the record.

Dated: February 28, 2023

Respectfully submitted,



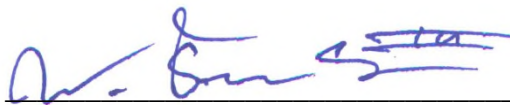
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CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE

In accordance with the Commission's Order of July 22, 2021 in Case No. 2020-00085 (Electronic Emergency Docket Related to the Novel Coronavirus COVID-19), this is to certify that the electronic filing has been transmitted to the Commission on February 28, 2023; and that there are currently no parties in this proceeding that the Commission has excused from participation by electronic means.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "A. J. ...", is written above a horizontal line.

Counsel for Kentucky Utilities Company