COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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ELECTRONIC TARIFF FILING OF)	
KENTUCKY POWER COMPANY FOR)	CASE NO. 2022-00387
APPROVAL OF A SPECIAL)	
CONTRACT WITH EBON)	
INTERNATIONAL, LLC)	

JOINT INTERVENORS MOUNTAIN ASSOCIATION, KENTUCKIANS FOR THE COMMONWEALTH, APPALACHIAN CITIZENS' LAW CENTER, SIERRA CLUB, AND KENTUCKY RESOURCES COUNCIL, INC. MOTION FOR LEAVE TO PERMIT ITS WITNESS CHELSEA HOTALING TO TESTIFY VIRTUALLY

Mountain Association, Kentuckians for the Commonwealth, Appalachian Citizens' Law Center, Sierra Club, and Kentucky Resources Council, Inc. (collectively the "Joint Intervenors") respectfully move the Commission to allow Joint Intervenors' witness, Chelsea Hotaling, to testify virtually at the hearing in this case, currently scheduled for July 20, 2023. In support of the motion, Joint Intervenors state the following:

- 1. COVID-19 presents an increased risk for Ms. Hotaling due to an autoimmune condition. Just recently, in the beginning of April 2023, the CDC added a new highly contagious Omicron variant to its tracker (https://covid.cdc.gov/covid-data-tracker/#variant-proportions). In order to minimize risk and consistent with reasonable steps to accommodate Witness Hotaling's health concerns, Joint Intervenors respectfully request leave for Ms. Hotaling to testify virtually.
- 2. Witness Hotaling is capable of providing testimony remotely and her participation in this manner will not prejudice any party.

- Witness Hotaling has previously testified remotely in front of the Commission for Case No. 2022-00371 without issue.
- 4. Joint Intervenors' other witness, Stacy Sherwood, will be participating in this hearing in person.

WHEREFORE, Joint Intervenors respectfully moves for the Commission to grant leave for Ms. Hotaling to testify remotely and participate in the hearing virtually.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

In accordance with the Commission's July 22, 2021 Order in Case No. 2020-00085, *Electronic Emergency Docket Related to the Novel Coronavirus COVID*-19, this is to certify that the electronic filing was submitted to the Commission on June 13, 2023; that the documents in this electronic filing are a true representations of the materials prepared for the filing; and that the Commission has not excused any party from electronic filing procedures for this case at this time.

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