Kentucky Power Company KPSC Case No. 2022-00424 Staff Post Hearing Data Requests Dated July 28, 2023

## **DATA REQUEST**

KPSC PHDR 6 Refer to Kentucky Power's responses to Commission Staff's First Request for Information (Staff's First Request), Item 2, and Commission Staff's Second Request for Information, Item 2. Provide the estimated cost of each of the upgrades identified in these responses.

## **RESPONSE**

The Company is finalizing its engineering and estimating work related to the projects referenced in the Company's responses to KPSC 1-2(b) and KPSC 2-2 (adding a phase-over-phase switch and replacing the metering equipment). Newly identified changes in the proposed solutions for those projects may result in an approximately \$1-1.5M reduction to the Company's original estimates for those projects. The Company will provide the final cost information once the estimates have been completed in coming months.

## **December 20, 2023 Supplemental Response**

The Company's finalized estimate for the projects referenced in KPSC 1-2(b) and KPSC 2-2 is \$1.7M. This estimate is to install a 69kV disconnect switch towards Gund (Long Fork) and install a motorized 69kV switch at Bevins (Rockhouse) to allow sectionalizing of Bevins – Hatfield line section along with replacing the 69kV metering at Long Fork. The Company ultimately chose this direction as it was the least cost and had the least constructability issues. The estimate is \$1.4M below the Company's original estimate for these projects.

Witness: Amanda C. Clark

## **VERIFICATION**

The undersigned, Amanda C. Clark, being duly sworn, deposes and says she is the External Affairs Manager for Kentucky Power, that she has personal knowledge of the matters set forth in the foregoing responses and the information contained therein is true and correct to the best of her information, knowledge, and belief.

Amanda C. Clark

Commonwealth of Kentucky )

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County of Boyd )

Subscribed and sworn before me, a Notary Public in and before said county and State, by

Amanda C. Clark on December 14, 2023

Marilyn Michella Caldwell

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