COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC APPLICATION OF KNOX)
COUNTY UTILITY COMMISSION FOR)
AUTHORIZATION TO EXECUTE AN)
ASSISTANCE AGREEMENT WITH THE)
KENTUCKY INFRASTRUCTURE) CASE NO. 2023-00003
AUTHORITY AND FOR A CERTIFICATE OF)
PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY)
TO CONSTRUCT THE BARBOURVILLE)
CONNECTION -KY 225 PROJECT)

NOTICE OF BID EXTENSION

Knox County Utility Commission ("KCUC") gives notice to the Public Service Commission ("Commission") that Akins Excavating Co., Inc. ("Contractor") has agreed to extend the period for acceptance of its bid on the Barbourville Connection-KY 225 Project to April 1, 2023. KCUC has no reasonable expectation that further extensions of the period to accept the bid will be granted. KCUC respectfully requests that the Commission render its decision on KCUC's Application no later than **March 27, 2023** to enable KCUC to timely accept the Contractor's bid.

Dated: March 7, 2023 Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

In accordance with 807 KAR 5:001, Section 8, and the Public Service Commission's Order of July 22, 2021 in Case No. 2020-00085, I certify that this document was submitted electronically to the Public Service Commission on March 7, 2023 and that there are currently no parties that the Public Service Commission has excused from participation by electronic means in this proceeding.

Gerald E. Wuetcher