

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:)
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) CASE NO. 2023-00416
ELECTRONIC INVESTIGATION OF POLE)
ATTACHMENTS)
) **KBCA MOTION FOR EXTENSION**
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The Kentucky Broadband and Cable Association (“KBCA”), by counsel, respectfully moves the Commission for an order extending the deadline by which it can file additional information regarding pending applications for pole attachments. Counsel for KBCA has communicated with counsel for the electric cooperatives, Kentucky Utilities Company and Louisville Gas & Electric Company, who indicated support for this motion. In support of this motion, KBCA states as follows:

On June 27, 2024, the Commission issued an order encouraging KBCA to provide updates on pending applications for pole attachments no later than July 8, as well as potential responses from pole owners within 10 days after KBCA’s filing. KBCA appreciates the opportunity to provide additional information. It nevertheless requests an extension by which it could submit that information.

KBCA representatives have communicated with their counterparts at the electric cooperatives, Kentucky Utilities Company and Louisville Gas & Electric Company. The parties generally agree that joint submissions,¹ if possible, are preferable.

This additional time is necessary for KBCA based on holiday and vacation schedules. It will also facilitate a better opportunity for potential collaboration in an effort to reach a joint submission.

KBCA recognizes that a public hearing has been scheduled for July 30, 2024, on the text of the emergency regulations 807 KAR 5:015E. Accordingly, KBCA respectfully requests that the Commission allow these joint submissions to be filed on or before July 19, 2024. If the parties are unable to reach agreement on a joint submission by that date, KBCA will file its own submission on July 19, 2024 and KBCA agrees that the Kentucky electric cooperatives, Kentucky Utilities Company and Louisville Gas & Electric Company should have an additional seven days – until July 26, 2024 – to file their independent submissions.

Dated: July 2, 2024

Respectfully submitted,

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¹ The parties envision one filing by KBCA and the electric cooperatives and another filing by KBCA and KU/LG&E.