

**COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

In the Matter of:

The Electronic Application of Kentucky Power)	
Company For Authority Pursuant To KRS 278.300)	
To Issue And Sell Promissory Notes Of One Or More)	Case No. 2024-00017
Series And For Other Authorizations)	

Kentucky Power Company’s Motion For Confidential Treatment

Kentucky Power Company (“Kentucky Power” or “Company”) moves the Public Service Commission of Kentucky (“Commission”) pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, Section 13(2), for an Order granting confidential treatment to the entirety of Exhibit D to the Company’s Application. Pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, Section 13, Kentucky Power is filing the attachment under seal. Kentucky Power is also filing a public place-holder version of the document. Kentucky Power will notify the Commission in the future if the Company determines the information for which confidential treatment is sought is no longer confidential prior to the end of the period for which confidential treatment is requested herein. The information in this exhibit are building block components of the financial and other information that the Company anticipates it will file with the Securities Exchange Commission (the “SEC”), and therefore will be publicly accessible, on February 27, 2024, and will no longer be confidential after that time.

I. MOTION FOR CONFIDENTIAL TREATMENT

A. The Requests and the Statutory Standard.

Kentucky Power does not object to filing the identified information for which it is seeking confidential treatment, but it requests that the identified portions of the responses be excluded from the public record and public disclosure.

KRS 61.878(1) excludes from the Open Records Act:

(k) All public records or information the disclosure of which is prohibited by federal law or regulation or state law.

This exception applies to Exhibit D, for which Kentucky Power is seeking confidential treatment.

Exhibit D contains the entirety of the financial exhibit required to be filed with the Company's application by 807 KAR 5:001, Section 12 and Section 18. The financial exhibit contains Kentucky Power draft financial statements for the 12 months ended December 31, 2023. This information is currently subject to management and independent auditor review, and is not expected to be final and made public until February 27, 2024. Until the audit is complete, the financial statements are subject to revision by management. The draft financial statements contain nonpublic financial information describing the financial results of Kentucky Power, a wholly-owned subsidiary of American Electric Power Company, Inc., an entity that is an SEC registrant and whose stock is traded upon the NASDAQ exchange.

Disclosure of Kentucky Power's financial information prior to the filing of such information with the SEC, which is expected to be February 23, 2024, could result in the dissemination of material non-public information causing Kentucky Power to be in violation of securities laws and regulation governing the scope and manner of securities disclosure.

The Company requests that the entirety of Exhibit D remain confidential through the date the information is filed with the SEC, which is expected to be February 27, 2024, after which time the information will no longer be confidential.

B. The Identified Information is Generally Recognized as Confidential by Kentucky Power and its Affiliates.

The identified information contained in the attachment detailed herein is highly confidential. Dissemination of the information for which confidential treatment is being requested is restricted by Kentucky Power, its parent, AEP, and its affiliates (including American Electric

Power Service Corporation (“AEPSC”) and the affected operating company affiliates). The Company, AEP, and its affiliates take all reasonable measures to prevent its disclosure to the public as well as persons within the Company who do not have a need for the information. The information is not disclosed to persons outside Kentucky Power, AEP, or its affiliates. Within those organizations, the information is available only upon a confidential need-to-know basis that does not extend beyond those employees with a legitimate business need to know and act upon the identified information.

WHEREFORE, Kentucky Power Company respectfully requests the Commission to enter an Order:

1. According confidential status to and withholding from public inspection the entirety of Exhibit D through the date the information is filed with the SEC, which is expected to be February 27, 2024; and
2. Granting Kentucky Power all further relief to which it may be entitled.

Respectfully submitted,



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