COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF:

ELECTRONIC TARIFF FILING OF EAST KENTUCKY POWER)

COOPERATIVE, INC. AND ITS MEMBER DISTRIBUTION) CASE NO.

COOPERATIVES FOR APPROVAL OF PROPOSED CHANGES) 2024-00101

TO THEIR QUALIFIED COGENERATION AND SMALL)

POWER PRODUCTION FACILITIES TARIFF)

MOTION

Comes now East Kentucky Power Cooperative, Inc. ("EKPC"), by and through counsel, pursuant to KRS 61.878, 807 KAR 5:001, Section 13 and other applicable law, and requests that the Kentucky Public Service Commission ("Commission") schedule an informal conference and a hearing in the above-captioned proceeding, respectfully states as follows:

PROCEDURAL BACKGROUND

The Commission issued its Order establishing this case on April 19, 2024 and propounded data requests on May 14, 2024. EKPC filed responses to Commission Staff's First Request for Information (Staff's First Request) on May 29, 2024. The Commission Staff's Second Request for Information (Staff's Second Request) was issued June 10, 2024 and EKPC responded on June 26, 2024. The Commission Staff's Third Request for Information (Staff's Third Request) was issued on July 22, 2024 and responses were filed on August 2, 2024.

MOTION FOR INFORMAL CONFERENCE

Due to the complex issues in this proceeding, EKPC moves the Commission to schedule an informal conference to discuss the issues in this proceeding and other factors.¹ EKPC believes

¹ EKPC would like to discuss settlement of the issues in this proceeding as well as the issues in the pending federal litigation *East Kentucky Power Cooperative, Inc., v. Kentucky Public Service Commission, et. al.* Case No. 3:22-CV-00063-GFVT.

that an Informal Conference in this matter will aid in the successful resolution of this matter and will allow the parties to determine what issues will be addressed at the hearing in this matter.

MOTION TO SET A HEARING DATE

In addition to the Informal Conference, EKPC moves the Commission to schedule a hearing in this matter. Scheduling a hearing date will assist EKPC in managing the several matters currently before the Commission and allocate resources required to participate in the hearing in this matter.

WHEREFORE, on the basis of the foregoing, EKPC respectfully requests the Commission to enter an Order scheduling an informal conference with Commission Staff and scheduling a hearing in this matter.

Dated this 14th day of August, 2024.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

This is to certify that foregoing electronic filing was transmitted to the Commission on August 14, 2024; that there are currently no parties that the Commission has excused from participation by electronic means in this proceeding; and that pursuant to the Commission's July 22, 2021 Order in Case No. 2020-00085, no paper copies of the filing will be made.

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