

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

Electronic INVESTIGATION INTO THE RATES
AND SERVICES OF EAST KENTUCKY MID-
STREAM, LLC

Case No. 2026-00121

**East Kentucky Midstream, L.L.C. Motion for Extension of Time
to Respond to Staff's Second Request for Information**

East Kentucky Midstream, L.L.C. ("EKM") respectfully submits this Motion pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001 § 5 and ordering ¶ 14 of the 7/14/26 scheduling Order, and requests an extension of time with respect to the schedule to permit it to file its responses to the Commission Staff's Second Request for Information ("the 2nd Request") no later than Monday, September 28, 2026. In support of this Motion and to show good cause for the requested extension of the schedule, EKM states as follows:

1. The response time period has included a holiday weekend, and the individual schedules and (un)availability of persons essential to the preparation and verification of responses have slowed the preparation of responses to the 2nd Request.
2. EKM has sought and continues to seek information and other assistance from third parties and public and proprietary sources in a thorough effort to provide responses to the 2nd Request.
3. EKM could "meet" the existing deadline (9/18/26) only by filing what would be in effect partial or placeholder responses — that would then be subject to completion, supple-

mentation, and correction. This process would be more indefinite and inefficient for both EKM and the Commission Staff.

4. EKM has not yet received a ruling on its motion for confidential treatment of information provided in response to the initial request for information, which complicates its preparation of responses (particularly those based on information for which confidential treatment has been sought). When it is not known whether confidential treatment will be provided, the risks of harm to EKM and others from possible disclosure can be reduced only with the expenditure of more time and effort in drafting.

5. There are no further items on the ordered schedule that depend upon the EKM responses or would otherwise be delayed by the requested extension, and there is no statutory deadline for the Commission's decision in this case.

WHEREFORE, EKM respectfully requests that the Commission grant it an extension of the schedule to allow it to file responses to Staff's 2nd Request for Information no later than September 28, 2026.

Respectfully submitted,

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