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March 26, 2009

PARTIES OF RECORD

Re: Case No. 2009-00015

Attached is a copy of the memorandum which is being filed in the record of the above-referenced case. If you have any comments you would like to make regarding the contents of the informal conference memorandum, please do so within five days of receipt of this letter. If you have any questions, please contact Rick Bertelson at 502/564-3940, Extension 260.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "D. S. Samford".

David S. Samford
Deputy Executive Director

Attachment

INTRA-AGENCY MEMORANDUM

KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

TO: Case File

FROM: Rick Bertelson, Staff Attorney

DATE: March 26, 2009

RE: Case No. 2009-00015
Accident Investigation – South Kentucky RECC
Scott Hurst and Donnie Lainhart, Elliott Construction Company

An informal conference was held on March 25, 2009, pursuant to the request of South Kentucky Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation (“South Ky. RECC”). The names of those present at the informal conference appear on the attached sign-in sheet.

The informal conference was held in regard to the show cause Order issued by the Commission on February 11, 2009 to South Ky. RECC for a number of alleged violations of KRS 278.042. The alleged violations resulted from an investigation of an August 5, 2008 accident in which two contract employees working for South Ky. RECC were injured while replacing a conductor on a single-phase 7,200 volt tap line at a South Ky. RECC work site. The purpose of the informal conference was to discuss settlement of the case.

Commission Staff, South Ky. RECC, and representatives of Elliott Construction Company discussed the issues surrounding the injuries to the contract workers. After the discussion, Commission Staff proposed the terms of a settlement agreement to South Ky. RECC. Counsel for South Ky. RECC agreed to review the proposal with South Ky. RECC management and to provide a response to Commission Staff by March 30, 2009.

As the settlement discussions did not conclude at the March 25 informal conference, it was not necessary to reschedule the show cause hearing at the present time.

There being no further discussion, the meeting was adjourned.

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

CASE NO. 2009-00015

SOUTH KENTUCKY RURAL ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE CORPORATION
ALLEGED FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH KRS 278.042

SIGN IN

March 25, 2009

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