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Mr. Jeff Derouen, Executive Director
Kentucky Public Service Commission
211 Sower Boulevard
Frankfort, Kentucky 40602

Re: Case No. 2012-00535

Dear Mr. Derouen:

Please find enclosed the original and ten (10) copies of the KENTUCKY INDUSTRIAL UTILITY CUSTOMERS, INC's PETITION TO AMEND PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE AND REQUEST FOR INFORMAL CONFERENCE for filing in the above-referenced matter.

By copy of this letter, all parties listed on the Certificate of Service have been served. Please place these documents of file.

Very Truly Yours,



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

IN THE MATTER OF:

APPLICATION OF BIG RIVERS)	
ELECTRIC CORPORATION FOR A)	CASE NO. 2012-00535
GENERAL ADJUSTMENT IN RATES)	

**PETITION TO AMEND PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE
AND REQUEST FOR INFORMAL CONFERENCE OF
KENTUCKY INDUSTRIAL UTILITY CUSTOMERS, INC.**

On February 1, 2013, the Kentucky Public Service Commission issued an Order scheduling due dates for testimony and requests for information in the above-captioned proceeding. Due to the large volume of data responses and other information that must be analyzed before filing testimony, Kentucky Industrial Utility Customers, Inc. (“KIUC”) hereby petitions the Commission to make the following changes to the procedural schedule:

	<u>Current Schedule</u>	<u>KIUC Proposed Schedule</u>
KIUC testimony	4/11/13	4/18/13
Requests for information to KIUC	4/25/13	5/2/13

The above-proposed schedule will give KIUC one additional week to file testimony and Big Rivers one additional week to submit data requests to KIUC. KIUC will obviously have one less week to file responses to any data requests it receives from other parties. Counsel and witnesses for KIUC will not review any of the Intervenor testimony filed on April 11, prior to filing its own testimony on April 18 so that KIUC does not gain any undue advantage from the delay in filing its own testimony.

KIUC consulted with the Office of the Attorney General and Big Rivers regarding this proposed scheduling change, originally suggesting that the proposed scheduling change apply to all Intervenors. Counsel for the AG indicated that although it prefers to operate under the original schedule for the AG's own filings it would not object to the above-noted schedule change applying only to KIUC. Counsel for Big Rivers has indicated that it would object to KIUC's proposed schedule change.

KIUC believes that the proposed schedule will be beneficial to Staff and Big Rivers as it will stagger the receipt of testimony from KIUC and the AG, while still allowing parties a full two weeks to draft data requests from the time that testimony is received by either KIUC or the AG. KIUC requests that Commission Staff schedule an informal conference in order to discuss these proposed scheduling changes.

Respectfully submitted,



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