

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC APPLICATION OF KENTUCKY)	
POWER COMPANY FOR APPROVAL OF A)	CASE NO.
CONTRACT FOR ELECTRIC SERVICE UNDER)	2018-00378
TARIFF E.D.R.)	

COMMISSION STAFF'S FIRST REQUEST FOR INFORMATION
TO KENTUCKY POWER COMPANY

Kentucky Power Company (Kentucky Power), pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, is to file with the Commission the original and an electronic version of the following information. The information requested herein is due no later than January 28, 2019. Responses to requests for information in paper medium shall be appropriately bound, tabbed, and indexed. Electronic documents shall be in portable document format (PDF), shall be searchable and shall be appropriately bookmarked. Each response shall include the name of the witness responsible for responding to the questions related to the information provided.

Each response shall be answered under oath or, for representatives of a public or private corporation or a partnership or association or a governmental agency, be accompanied by a signed certification of the preparer or the person supervising the preparation of the response on behalf of the entity that the response is true and accurate to the best of that person's knowledge, information, and belief formed after a reasonable inquiry.

Kentucky Power shall make timely amendment to any prior response if it obtains information, which indicates that the response was incorrect when made or, though correct when made, is now incorrect in any material respect. For any request to which Kentucky Power fails or refuses to furnish all or part of the requested information, it shall provide a written explanation of the specific grounds for its failure to completely and precisely respond.

Careful attention shall be given to copied material to ensure that it is legible. When the requested information has been previously provided in this proceeding in the requested format, reference may be made to the specific location of that information in responding to this request. When applicable, the requested information shall be separately provided for total company operations and jurisdictional operations. When filing a paper containing personal information, Kentucky Power shall, in accordance with 807 KAR 5:001, Section 4(10), encrypt or redact the paper so that personal information cannot be read.

1. Refer to the application, page 1, and paragraphs 19 through 23. Provide Kentucky Power's capacity, peak load and reserve margin over the term of the proposed contract.

2. Refer to the application, paragraph 3. Identify any other existing customers or potential customers that have inquired about the economic development rider and provide the status of those inquiries.

3. Refer to the application, paragraph 7. Explain whether the conversion and expansion of the Big Run Landfill have been completed.

4. Refer to the application, paragraph 9.

a. Explain how the term of the proposed contract was determined.

b. Were there any other timeframes considered for the term of the contract?

5. Refer to the application, paragraph 10. By what date does Kentucky Power request a final Order in this matter?

6. Refer to the Application, paragraph 17, regarding upgrades to Kentucky Power's distribution facilities to serve the expanded Big Run Power Producers LLC (Big Run) contract. Identify the upgrades that will be needed to Kentucky Power's distribution facilities, the projected costs of those upgrades, and the mechanism by which Kentucky Power will recover such costs from Big Run.

7. Refer to the application, paragraph 18, regarding the minimum billing demand level for the Big Run Landfill. Confirm that the minimum billing demand level for the Big Run Landfill is 2.16 megawatts (MW), which represents 60 percent of 3.6 MW.

8. Refer to the application, paragraph 21. Identify the potential load(s) that Kentucky Power anticipates adding to its system in the next few years and quantify the resulting shortfall in capacity to serve Kentucky Power's load for the 2022/2023 PJM planning year.

9. Refer to the application, Exhibit 4, page 2 of 3. Provide the calculation of the annual carrying cost of 21.95 percent.

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