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July 12, 2018

VIA OVERNIGHT DELIVERY

Ms. Gwen R. Pinson Executive Director Public Service Commission 211 Sower Boulevard, P.O. Box 615 Frankfort, Kentucky 40602-0615

Re: In the Matter of: Notice of Termination of Contracts and Application of Big Rivers Electric Corporation for a Declaratory Order and for Authority to Establish a Regulatory Asset—Case No. 2018-00146

Dear Ms. Pinson:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced matter are an original and ten (10) copies of Big Rivers Electric Corporation's Response to the Petition for Clarification filed by Kentucky Industrial Utility Customers, Inc. I certify that, on this date, copies of this letter and all attachments were served on each of the persons listed on the attached service list by electronic mail.

Please confirm the Commission's receipt of this information by placing the Commission's date stamp on the enclosed additional copy and returning it to Big Rivers in the self-addressed, postage paid envelope provided; and please feel free to contact me with any questions you may have about this filing.

Sincerely,

Tyson Kamuf Corporate Attorney, Big Rivers Electric Corporation

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BIG RIVERS ELECTRIC CORPORATION

NOTICE OF TERMINATION OF CONTRACTS AND APPLICATION OF BIG RIVERS ELECTRIC CORPORATION FOR A DECLARATORY ORDER AND FOR AUTHORITY TO ESTABLISH A REGULATORY ASSET

CASE NO. 2018-00146

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COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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3 In the matter of:

NOTICE OF TERMINATION OF)CONTRACTS AND APPLICATION OF BIG)RIVERS ELECTRIC CORPORATION FOR A)DECLARATORY ORDER AND FOR)2018-00146AUTHORITY TO ESTABLISH A)REGULATORY ASSET)

4 <u>BIG RIVERS ELECTRIC CORPORATION'S RESPONSE TO THE PETITION</u> 5 <u>FOR CLARIFICATION OF KENTUCKY INDUSTRIAL UTILTIY</u> 6 <u>CUSTOMERS, INC.</u>

Comes Big Rivers Electric Corporation ("Big Rivers"), pursuant to 807 KAR 7 8 5:001 Section 5(2), and for its response to the Petition for Clarification served by Kentucky Industrial Utility Customers, Inc. ("KIUC") on Big Rivers on July 12, 9 2018 ("Petition for Clarification"), Big Rivers states as follows. 10 Big Rivers does not object to KIUC's request to hold the July 16, 2018, 11 12 deadline for supplemental requests for information in abeyance until the Public Service Commission ("Commission") rules on KIUC's July 11 motion to compel. 13 Big Rivers does object to the alternate request that KIUC makes in its 14 Petition for Clarification that it be provided "an additional opportunity to submit 15 16 Supplemental Requests for Information." That alternate request should be denied because it is premature and because the Commission already granted KIUC's 17 request for a third round of discovery, which is due September 10, 2018. 18 On this the 12th day of July, 2018. 19 20 21

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Respectfully submitted,

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