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PARTIES OF RECORD

RE: Case No. 2019-00435

The Commission staff has reviewed the application in the above case and finds that it meets the minimum filing requirements and has been accepted for filing.

Enclosed please find a stamped filed copy of the first page of your filing. This case has been docketed and will be processed as expeditiously as possible.

If you need further assistance, please contact my staff at 502-564-3940.

Sincerely,

Kent A. Chandler Executive Director





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Re: In the Matter of: Application of Big Rivers Electric Corporation for Approval of its 2020 Environmental Compliance Plan, Authority to Recover Costs through a Revised Environmental Surcharge and Tariff, the Issuance of a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity for Certain Projects, and Appropriate Accounting and Other Relief—Case No. 2019-00435

Dear Mr. Chandler:

Enclosed for filing on behalf of Big Rivers Electric Corporation ("Big Rivers") are an original and ten (10) copies of: (i) Big Rivers' application for approval of its 2020 Environmental Compliance Plan, a certificate of public convenience and necessity, and other relief; (ii) a motion for confidential treatment; and (iii) a motion for a deviation from certain filing requirements.

807 KAR 5:001 Section 15(2)(d) requires the filing of one (1) electronic copy in portable document format ("PDF") and two (2) copies in paper medium of maps, plans, specifications, and drawings. The maps, plans, specifications, and drawings included in Big Rivers' application are being filed pursuant to the motion for confidential treatment and are not subject to public disclosure under KRS 61.878(1)(m), which protects "records the disclosure of which would have a reasonable likelihood of threatening the public safety by exposing a vulnerability in preventing, protecting against, mitigating, or responding to a terrorist act . . ." As such, and pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001 Section 13(2)(a)(3), also enclosed are one (1) confidential electronic copy in PDF format, and one (1) confidential paper copy, of the maps, plans, specifications, and drawings.

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