#### COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

#### BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

| ELECTRONIC TARIFF FILING OF KENTUCKY   | ) |            |
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| UTILITIES COMPANY OF AN AMENDMENT TO A | ) | CASE NO.   |
| SPECIAL CONTRACT WITH NORTH AMERICAN   | ) | 2020-00090 |
| STAINLESS, INC.                        | ) |            |

## <u>ORDER</u>

On March 9, 2020, Kentucky Utilities Company (KU) submitted an Amendment to Contracts for Electric Service (Amendment) with North American Stainless, Inc. (NAS) through the Commission's electronic Tariff Filing System. On March 30, 2020, the Commission issued an Order suspending the contract through September 7, 2020, and established a procedural schedule. On March 31, 2020, NAS filed a motion for intervention, which the Commission granted by Order on April 6, 2020.

There has been no discovery filed in this case to date, and, based upon this, the Commission finds that the procedural schedule established by the March 30, 2020 Order should be vacated and the parties be given an opportunity to file comments in support or opposition of the proposed contract. After the filing of comments, any party may request a hearing or that the matter be submitted to the Commission for a decision on the merits.

The Commission directs KU to the Commission's March 16, 2020 and March 24, 2020 Orders in Case No. 2020-00085<sup>1</sup> regarding filings with the Commission. The

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Case No. 2020-00085, *Electronic Emergency Docket Related to the Novel Coronavirus COVID-* 19 (Ky. PSC Mar. 16, 2020), Order at 5–6. Case No. 2020-00085, *Electronic Emergency Docket Related to the Novel Coronavirus COVID-* 19 (Ky. PSC Mar. 24, 2020), Order at 1–3.

Commission expects the original documents to be filed with the Commission within 30 days of the lifting of the current state of emergency.

## IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

- 1. The procedural schedule established in the March 30, 2020 Order is suspended.
- 2. No later than June 8, 2020, KU and NAS shall file comments in support or opposing the proposed contract.
- 3. KU or NAS shall request either a hearing or that the case be submitted for decision based on the record no later than June 12, 2020.

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# By the Commission

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ATTEST:

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