

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC 2021 JOINT INTEGRATED)	
RESOURCE PLAN OF LOUISVILLE GAS AND)	CASE NO.
ELECTRIC COMPANY AND KENTUCKY)	2021-00393
UTILITIES COMPANY)	

ORDER

On November 17, 2021, Kentucky Industrial Utility Customers, Inc. (KIUC) filed a timely motion to intervene in this case. Louisville Gas and Electric Company (LG&E) and Kentucky Utilities Company (KU) made no objection to KIUC's motion.

KIUC is an association of industrial electric and gas public utility customers in Kentucky that was formed to represent the viewpoint of industrial customers on energy and utility issues before the Commission and other appropriate governmental bodies. KIUC argues that the Kentucky Attorney General's Office of Rate Intervention generally represents the interest of residential customers whereas KIUC seeks to represent that interests of its members who are industrial customers of both LG&E and KU. KIUC also indicates that it and its members are in a unique position to evaluate the impact LG&E and KU's Integrated Resource Plan (IRP) will have on manufacturer energy rates. KIUC notes that it has participated in numerous matters before the Commission since 1978 and that it anticipates conducting discovery, filing expert testimony, and actively participating at the evidenciary hearing in this matter. KIUC argues that it has a special interest in these proceedings not otherwise adequately represented and that it will present issues

or develop facts that will assist the Commission in fully considering the matter without unduly complicating or disrupting the proceedings.

Having reviewed KIUC's motion and being otherwise sufficiently advised, the Commission finds that KIUC's intervention is likely to present issues and develop facts that will assist the Commission in fully considering this matter without unduly complicating or disrupting the proceedings because of because of its demonstrated interest in and intent to develop and present relevant information regarding reasonable, least cost resource planning from the prospective of industrial customers as well as its experience with those issues. Thus, the Commission finds that KIUC should be granted full rights of a party in this proceeding. The Commission directs KIUC to the Commission's July 22, 2021 Order in Case No. 2020-00085¹ regarding filings with the Commission.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. The motion of KIUC to intervene is granted.
2. KIUC shall be entitled to the full rights of a party and shall be served with the Commission's Orders and with filed testimony, exhibits, pleadings, correspondence, and all other documents submitted by parties after the date of this Order.
3. KIUC shall comply with all provisions of the Commission's regulations, 807 KAR 5:001, Section 8, related to the service and electronic filing of documents.
4. Pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, Section 8(9), within seven days of entry of this Order, KIUC shall file a written statement with the Commission that:

¹ Case No. 2020-00085, *Electronic Emergency Docket Related to the Novel Coronavirus COVID-19* (Ky. PSC July 22, 2021), Order (in which the Commission ordered that for case filings made on and after March 16, 2020, filers are NOT required to file the original physical copies of the filings required by 807 KAR 5:001, Section 8).

a. Certifies that it, or its agent, possesses the facilities to receive electronic transmissions; and

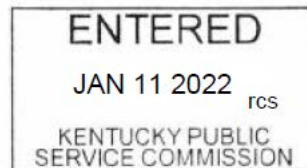
b. Sets forth the electronic mail address to which all electronic notices and messages related to this proceeding should be served.

5. KIUC shall adhere to the procedural schedule set forth in the Commission's November 12, 2021 Order and any amendments thereto.

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By the Commission

Commissioner Marianne Butler did not participate in the deliberations or decision concerning this case.



ATTEST:

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