

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY  
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC APPLICATION OF SOUTH	)	
KENTUCKY RURAL ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE	)	
CORPORATION FOR A GENERAL	)	CASE NO.
ADJUSTMENT OF RATES, APPROVAL OF	)	2021-00407
DEPRECIATION STUDY, AND OTHER GENERAL	)	
RELIEF	)	

ORDER

A hearing in the above-styled matter was held at the offices of the Public Service Commission at 211 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky, on Tuesday, May 10, 2022, at 9 a.m. Eastern Daylight Time. At the conclusion of the witness testimony, staff counsel requested to file post-hearing requests for information, and counsel for South Kentucky Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation (South Kentucky RECC) requested to file a post-hearing brief after responses to requests for information have been filed.


From the bench, the Commission ruled on South Kentucky RECC's May 9, 2022 motion to deviate from 807 KAR 5:001, Section 9(2)(b)2, regarding the notice requirement for the hearing. South Kentucky RECC stated it requested publication of the notice in the 12 newspapers of general circulation in South Kentucky RECC's service territory. Ten of the 12 newspapers ran the notice as requested. For the two newspapers that did not print the notice, the *Adair County Community Voice* and the *Russell County Times-Journal*, the failure was the fault of the newspaper and not South Kentucky RECC. South Kentucky RECC stated there would not be an opportunity to correct the failure because the newspapers are printed weekly, and the next printing would be after the scheduled

hearing. The Commission finds good cause exists to grant South Kentucky RECC's request for deviation from the notice requirements. The public was not denied adequate notice of the hearing and any failure to publish notice was not South Kentucky RECC's.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

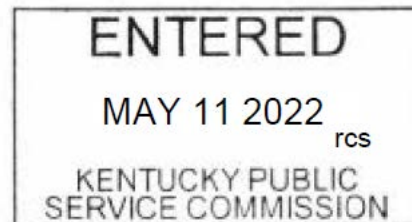
1. South Kentucky RECC's May 9, 2022 Motion to Deviate is granted.
2. Post-hearing requests for information, if any, shall be filed on or before May 11, 2022.
3. Responses to post-hearing requests for information shall be filed on or before May 18, 2022.
4. South Kentucky RECC and the Attorney General may file a memorandum brief in support of their post-hearing position on or before May 25, 2022.
5. South Kentucky RECC and the Attorney General may file their response brief on or before May 31, 2022.
6. This case shall stand submitted for a decision by the Commission effective 12:01 a.m., Eastern Daylight Time, June 1, 2022.

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