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RE: Case No. 2021-00103

East Kentucky Power Cooperative, Inc. (Other) (General Rates) (Depreciation Methodology)

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The Commission Staff has reviewed the filing submitted April 06, 2021 and has determined that the application in the above case now meets the minimum filing requirements. Attached 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,

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Linda C. Bridwell Executive Director



## COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

## BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

THE ELECTRONIC APPLICATION OF EAST)KENTUCKY POWER COOPERATIVE, INC.)FOR A GENERAL ADJUSTMENT OF RATES)APPROVAL OF DEPRECIATION STUDY)AMORTIZATION OF CERTAIN REGULATORY)ASSETS AND OTHER GENERAL RELIEF)

Case No. 2021-00103

## EAST KENTUCKY POWER COOPERATIVE, INC.'S APPLICATION

Comes now East Kentucky Power Cooperative, Inc. ("EKPC"), by counsel, pursuant to KRS 278.180, KRS 278.190, 807 KAR 5:001, and other law, and does hereby request the Kentucky Public Service Commission ("Commission") to grant it a general adjustment of rates, respectfully stating as follows:

## I. INTRODUCTION

1. EKPC is a not-for-profit, rural electric cooperative corporation established under KRS Chapter 279 with its headquarters in Winchester, Kentucky. Pursuant to various agreements, EKPC provides electric generation capacity and electric energy to its sixteen (16) Owner-Member Cooperatives ("owner-members"), which in turn serve over 545,000 Kentucky homes, farms and commercial and industrial establishments in eighty-seven (87) Kentucky counties. EKPC's Board has stated its strategic objective is to maintain a generation fleet that prudently diversifies its fuel sources while maximizing its capital investments and minimizing stranded assets. EKPC is a "utility" as that term is defined in KRS 278.010(3)(a) and a "generation and transmission cooperative" as that term is defined in KRS 278.010(9).

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