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RE: Case No. 2021-00346

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,

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## **COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY**

## BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

Electronic Application Of Kentucky Power Company For A Certificate Of Public Convenience	)	
And Necessity To Construct A 138 kV	)	
Transmission Line And Associated Facilities	)	Case No. 2021-00346
In Breathitt, Floyd, And Knott Counties, Kentucky	)	
(Garrett Area Improvements 138 kV Transmission	)	
Project)	)	

## **Application**

Kentucky Power Company ("Kentucky Power" or the "Company") moves the Public Service Commission of Kentucky (the "Commission") pursuant to KRS 278.020(2) and 807 KAR 5:001, Section 15 for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity authorizing Kentucky Power to:

- (a) construct approximately 15 miles of new 138 kV transmission line from the Hays Branch 138 kV Substation in Floyd County, Kentucky to the Soft Shell 138 kV Substation in Knott County, Kentucky ("Garrett Area 138 kV Transmission Line"). Approximately 1.4 miles of the new 138 kV transmission line will be a double circuit line from the new Eastern 138 kV Substation to a new tap structure in the vicinity of existing structure K137-4 on the Hays Branch Morgan Fork 138 kV transmission line;
- (b) construct the new Eastern 138 kV Substation south of the existing 138 kV Hays Branch Substation in Floyd County, Kentucky;
- (c) expand and convert the existing Garrett 46 kV Substation located in Floyd County, Kentucky to a 138 kV Substation;
  - (d) upgrade three existing Kentucky Power substations:
    - (i) the Hays Branch 138 kV Substation in Floyd County, Kentucky;
    - (ii) the McKinney 46 kV Substation in Floyd County, Kentucky; and
    - (iii) the Soft Shell 138 kV Substation in Knott County, Kentucky;

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