# COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

#### In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC APPLICATION OF KENTUCKY	)	
POWER COMPANY FOR AN ORDER	)	
APPROVING THE COMPANY'S AMENDED	)	
TARIFF E.D.R. TO INCREASE CAPACITY	)	CASE NO.
AVAILABLE TO BE SERVICED UNDER THE	)	2022-00181
TARIFF AND FOR REQUIRED DEVIATIONS	)	
FROM THE COMMISSION'S SEPTEMBER 24,	)	
1990 ORDER IN ADMINISTRATIVE CASE NO.	)	
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#### <u>ORDER</u>

On June 9, 2022, Kentucky Power Company (Kentucky Power) filed an application to amend its Tariff Economic Development Rider. Kentucky Power proposed an effective date of July 11, 2022.

KRS 278.030 provides that a utility may collect fair, just and reasonable rates and that the service it provides must be adequate, efficient and reasonable. Having reviewed the proposed tariff and being otherwise sufficiently advised, the Commission finds that an investigation is necessary to determine the reasonableness of the proposed tariff and that such investigation cannot be completed by July 11, 2022. Pursuant to KRS 278.190(2), the Commission will, therefore, suspend the effective date of the proposed tariff for five months, up to and including December 9, 2022.

The Commission directs all parties to the Commission's July 22, 2021 Order in Case No. 2020-00085<sup>1</sup> in which the Commission mandated the use of electronic filing procedures listed in 807 KAR 5:001, Section 8. The Commission finds that a procedural schedule is established to review the reasonableness of the proposed tariff. The procedural schedule is attached as an Appendix to this Order and is incorporated herein.

#### IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

- Kentucky Power's proposed tariff is suspended for five months from July
   11, 2022, up to and including December 9, 2022.
- 2. The procedural schedule set forth in the Appendix to this Order shall be followed.
- 3. Any party filing a paper with the Commission shall file an electronic copy in accordance with the electronic filing procedures set forth in 807 KAR 5:001, Section 8. Electronic documents shall be in portable document format (PDF), shall be searchable, and shall be appropriately bookmarked. The Commission directs the parties to the Commission's July 22, 2021 Order in Case No. 2020-00085<sup>2</sup> regarding filings with the Commission.
- 4. Kentucky Power shall give notice of the hearing in accordance with the provisions set forth in 807 KAR 5:001, Section 9(2). In addition, the notice of the hearing

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> 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).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> 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).

shall include the following statements: "This hearing will be streamed live and may be viewed on the PSC website, psc.ky.gov"; and "Public comments may be made at the beginning of the hearing. Those wishing to make oral public comments may do so by following the instructions listed on the PSC website, psc.ky.gov." At the time publication is requested, Kentucky Power shall forward a duplicate of the notice and request to the Commission.

- 5. At any public hearing in this matter, neither opening statements nor summarization of direct testimonies shall be permitted.
- 6. Pursuant to KRS 278.360 and 807 KAR 5:001, Section 9(9), a digital video recording shall be made of the hearing.
- 7. The Commission does not look favorably upon motions for continuance. Accordingly, motions for extensions of times with respect to the schedule herein shall be made in writing and will be granted only upon a showing of good cause.
- 8. Nothing contained herein shall prevent the Commission from entering further Orders in this matter.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
Chairman
Vice Chairman
Commissioner

ENTERED

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KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

ATTEST:

Executive Director

### **APPENDIX**

## APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2022-00181 DATED JUL 08 2022

All supplemental requests for information to Kentucky Power shall be filed no later than	07/18/2022
Kentucky Power shall file responses to supplemental requests for information no later than	. 07/25/2022
Intervenor Testimony, if any, in verified prepared form shall be filed no later than	08/01/2022
All requests for information to Intervenors shall be filed no later than	08/09/2022
Intervenors shall file responses to requests for information no later than	08/16/2022
Kentucky Power shall file, in verified form, its rebuttal testimony no later than	. 08/23/2022
Public Hearing to be held in Richard Raff Hearing Room of the Commission's offices at 211 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky for the purpose of cross-examination	08/30/2022
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