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RE: Fleming-Mason Energy Cooperative, Inc. Case No. 2023-00223 Filing Deficiencies

The Commission Staff has reviewed the application in the above case. This filing is rejected for the reasons set forth below.

Filing deficiencies pursuant to:

- 1. <u>807 KAR 5:001, Section 16 (4) (g):</u> Analysis of customers' bills in such detail that revenues from present and proposed rates can be readily determined for each customer class; percentage increase includes riders. Please provide all information per line Item that was included in your calculations for all customer classifications that have been impacted by this increase, provide the effects of the of the current and the proposed customer bills that includes the dollar amount of the increase as well as the percentage increase. Additionally, please provide all information per line Item that includes the increase of the <u>base rates</u> in your calculations for all customer classifications that have been impacted by this increase, provide the effects of the current and the proposed customer bills that an your calculations for all customer classifications that have been impacted by this increase, provide the effects of the current and the proposed customer bills that includes the dollar amount of the increase, provide the effects of the current and the proposed customer bills that includes the dollar amount of the increase, as well as the percentage increase.
- 2. <u>807 KAR 5:001, Section 16 (4) (i)</u>: Reconciliation of rate base and capital used to determine revenue requirements; Response does not reconcile rate base and capitalization.

As referenced in Case No. 2021-00407, going forward, for clarification, the Commission finds that a utility that omits the required reconciliation in its application should file a statement with its application explaining why the required reconciliation does not exist and is not applicable to the utility's application to comply with 807 KAR 5:001 Section 16(4)(i) or file a motion for a deviation from the requirement under the regulation. Going forward, the Commission will not accept the argument that the utility chose to use a method of determining its rates that does not rely upon all the elements needed to provide a reconciliation as good cause for a deviation from the requirement to provide same



Kent A. Chandler Chairman

> Angie Hatton Vice Chairman

Mary Pat Regan Commissioner You are requested to submit the information necessary to cure the deficiencies within 10 days of the date of this letter. If you need further assistance, please contact my staff at 502-564-3940.

Sincerely,

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