

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC APPLICATION OF KENTUCKY)	
POWER COMPANY FOR: (1) APPROVAL TO)	
EXPAND ITS TARGETED ENERGY EFFICIENCY)	
PROGRAM; (2) APPROVAL OF A HOME ENERGY)	
IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM AND A)	
COMMERCIAL ENERGY SOLUTIONS PROGRAM;)	
(3) AUTHORITY TO RECOVER COSTS AND NET)	CASE NO.
LOST REVENUES, AND TO RECEIVE)	2024-00115
INCENTIVES ASSOCIATED WITH THE)	
IMPLEMENTATION OF ITS DEMAND-SIDE)	
MANAGEMENT/ENERGY EFFICIENCY)	
PROGRAMS; (4) APPROVAL OF REVISED)	
TARIFF D.S.M.C.; (5) ACCEPTANCE OF ITS)	
ANNUAL DSM STATUS REPORT; AND (6) ALL)	
OTHER REQUIRED APPROVALS AND RELIEF)	

ORDER

On November 12, 2024, Kentucky Power Company (Kentucky Power) filed a motion in its current request for approval to expand its current Target Energy Efficiency (TEE) program as well as approval for several other demand side management (DSM) programs. In the motion, Kentucky Power requested to be relieved of its separate, Commission ordered,¹ annual filing to continue the TEE program and to adjust the DSM factor.

As part of this application, Kentucky Power noted, in its motion, that it filed the annual TEE report that would normally be filed in the annual review application.² In

¹ Case No. 2017-00097, *Electronic Investigation of the Reasonableness of the Demand Side Management Programs and Rates of Kentucky Power Company* (Ky. PSC Jan. 18, 2018).

² Kentucky Power's Motion for Relief of an Obligation (Motion) (filed Nov. 12, 2024) at 2.

addition, Kentucky Power requested to update the DSM factor as part of this application, and it would also be a part of the annual filing.³ According to its motion, the annual filing usually occurs annually in mid-November with a final Order being issued prior to January 1, in order to continue the TEE program.⁴ The period of the annual review filing and processing overlaps entirely with the current DSM case. Simply put, Kentucky Power's argument implies the Commission would be reviewing essentially the same information and issuing two Orders, one of which would almost immediately be superseded by an Order in this case. Kentucky Power acknowledged that it cannot continue its TEE program past Dec. 31, 2024, without an updated tariff filing and requested to be permitted to continue the program, as approved, until such time as the Commission issues a final Order in this matter.⁵

Having reviewed the record and the motion, the Commission finds that Kentucky Power has shown good cause to grant its motion. The Commission agrees that the filing of the annual review application would be duplicative and result in unnecessary work for all parties. The information has been filed in this matter and nothing is achieved with a separate review thereof. In addition, the Commission finds that Kentucky Power should make a tariff filing continuing the TEE program as currently approved by the Commission⁶ until such time as a final Order is issued in the current matter. The Commission

³ Kentucky Power's Motion at 2.

⁴ Kentucky Power's Motion 1–2.

⁵ Kentucky Power's Motion 2–3.

⁶ Case No. 2023-00362, *Electronic Application of Kentucky Power Company for: (1) Approval of Continuation of its Targeted Energy Efficiency Program; (2) Authority to Recover Costs and Net Lost Revenues, and to Receive Incentives Associated with the Implementation of its Demand-Side Management Programs; (3) Acceptance of its Annual DSM Status Report; and (4) All Other Required Approvals and Relief* (Ky. PSC Dec. 15, 2023).

emphasizes that this does not relieve Kentucky Power of future annual review filings as ordered or until such time as relieved of the obligation by Commission Order.

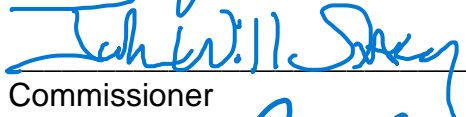
IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. Kentucky Power's motion is granted.
2. Kentucky Power is relieved of its obligation to file for an annual review of its TEE program for 2024 only.
3. Kentucky Power shall continue the TEE program as was approved by the Commission in Order dated December 15, 2023, in Case No. 2023-00362, until such time as a final Order is issued in this case.
4. Within 20 days of service of this Order, Kentucky Power shall file with the Commission, using the Commission's electronic Tariff Filing System, its tariffs as set forth in this Order reflecting that they were approved pursuant of this Order.


PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION



Chairman



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