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PARTIES OF RECORD

RE: Case No. 2024-00310
East Kentucky Power Cooperative, Inc.
(Construct)

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 file-stamped copy of the first page of the filing. This case has been docketed and will be processed as expeditiously as possible.

If you need further assistance, please contact Brian Thomas at 502-564-3940.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Linda C. Bridwell".

Linda C. Bridwell, PE
Executive Director

Enclosure

**COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

In the Matter of:

THE ELECTRONIC APPLICATION OF)	
EAST KENTUCKY POWER COOPERATIVE,)	
INC. FOR 1) A CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC)	CASE NO.
CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY TO)	2024-00310
CONSTRUCT A NEW GENERATION)	
RESOURCE; 2) A SITE COMPATIBILITY)	
CERTIFICATE; AND 3) OTHER GENERAL RELIEF)	

VERIFIED APPLICATION

Comes now East Kentucky Power Cooperative, Inc. (“EKPC” or the Company”), by and through the undersigned counsel, pursuant to KRS 278.020, KRS 278.216, KRS 278.220, 807 KAR 5:001 and other applicable law, and hereby tenders its Application with the Kentucky Public Service Commission (“Commission”) requesting issuance of a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity (“CPCN”) to construct a new electric generation station using Reciprocating Internal Combustion Engine (“RICE”) generators (the “Liberty RICE” Facility), the issuance of a Site Compatibility Certificate for the Liberty RICE Facility, and other general relief. In support of the Application, EKPC respectfully states 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 570,000 Kentucky homes, farms and

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