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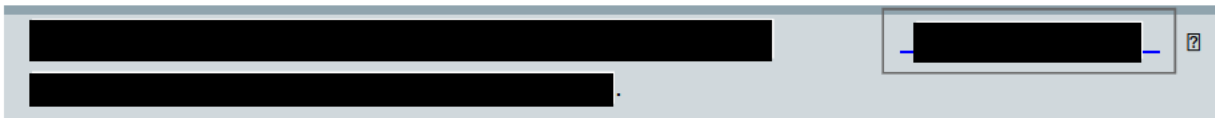
Case No. 2025-00257

Thank you for your comments on the application of Kentucky Power Company. Your comments in the above-referenced matter have been received and will be placed into the case file for the Commission's consideration. Please cite the case number in this matter, 2025-00257 in any further correspondence. The documents in this case are available at [View Case Filings for: 2025-00257 \(ky.gov\)](#).

Thank you for your interest in this matter.

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To Whom It May Concern,

I am writing to express my strong opposition to the proposed 14.9% rate increase by Kentucky Power (Case No. 2025-00257).

Families and small businesses in Eastern Kentucky are already struggling with the high cost of food, medicine, and basic necessities. Adding such a steep increase in electric rates will only deepen poverty and economic insecurity in our communities. Many families are already forced to make painful choices each month, and this rate hike would push them even closer to the breaking point.

This increase is also harmful to our region's future. Young people are moving away because they see no opportunity here, and a nearly 15% hike

in electric rates makes it even harder to attract new businesses or support economic development. At a time when we should be encouraging investment and growth, this proposal would do the opposite, making Eastern Kentucky even less competitive.

I urge the Commission to reject this rate hike and instead hold Kentucky Power accountable for finding fairer, more sustainable solutions that do not punish families, seniors, and small businesses who have no other choice for electricity.

Thank you for your attention to this matter and for considering the voices of the people most directly affected.

Sincerely,

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