From: PSC Public Comment
To: "Sandy Woodward"

Subject: RE: Case No. 2025-00257 – Kentucky Power Rate Increase and Generation Rider

Date: Thursday, October 30, 2025 8:39:00 AM

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 <u>View Case Filings for: 2025-00257 (ky.gov)</u>.

Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Sandy Woodward

Sent: Wednesday, October 29, 2025 5:29 PM **To:** PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov>

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Dear Commissioners,

I am writing as a Kentucky Power customer to express my strong opposition to the proposed Generation Rider and the 14.9% rate increase.

Kentucky Power is already asking customers to shoulder higher bills, and now the company wants to add nearly \$187 million more for costs tied to the Mitchell Plant. This includes \$127 million in non-environmental capital and another \$60.4 million in wastewater compliance expenses. These are corporate investment costs that should not be passed on to households already struggling to manage basic expenses.

Many of us live on fixed or limited incomes, and even a small increase makes a real difference in whether we can keep the lights on, buy groceries, or afford medication. Asking customers to absorb these extra costs while the company continues to make capital decisions on an out-of-state coal plant is both unfair and short-sighted.

Please deny this Generation Rider and limit any further rate hikes. The people of Eastern Kentucky deserve fair, stable utility rates and a company that invests in affordable, reliable, and modern energy—not one that continually pushes its financial burdens onto its customers.

Thank you for your attention and for standing up for Kentucky families and small businesses.

Sincerely,

Sandra Woodward

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Sent from Yahoo Mail for iPhone

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