

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY  
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

ELECTRONIC INVESTIGATION TO CONSIDER	)	
DEVIATION OF REGULATION 807 KAR 5:041,	)	CASE NO.
SECTION 7, VOLTAGE SURVEYS AND	)	2025-00131
RECORDS	)	

ORDER

On June 16, 2025, Kentucky’s Electric Cooperatives filed an entry of appearance and motion for clarification on whether generation and transmission (G&T) cooperatives Big Rivers Electric Corporation (BREC) and East Kentucky Power Cooperative (EKPC) were required parties to this case.<sup>1</sup> In its motion, Kentucky’s Electric Cooperatives were seeking clarification from the Commission on whether G&T cooperatives were required to be parties in this case because the G&T cooperatives do not provide distribution service, and 807 KAR 5:041, Section 7, does not implicate G&T operations.<sup>2</sup>

BACKGROUND

On June 9, 2025, the Commission, on its own motion, initiated an administrative proceeding to consider how to address regulatory deviations with advanced metering infrastructure (AMI) and automated meter reading (AMR) as they relate to voltage surveys outlined in 807 KAR 5:041, Section 7.<sup>3</sup> The Commission required all electric utilities

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<sup>1</sup> Kentucky Electric Cooperatives’ Entry of Appearance and Motion for Clarification (filed June 16, 2025) (Motion).

<sup>2</sup> Motion at 2.

<sup>3</sup> Order (Ky. PSC Jun. 9, 2025).

parties to this proceeding, and they were expected to participate, individually or jointly, with other electric utilities.


The purpose of this proceeding is to consider deviations to regulation 807 KAR 5:041, Section 7, for electric utilities who have installed AMI or AMR technology capabilities to meet the requirements for voltage surveys and records. If a deviation is adopted, the deviation will remain in effect until the regulation can be updated to reflect this new standard.

### DISCUSSION


Having considered the Motion and the particular circumstances of this matter, the Commission finds that BREC and EKPC are not required parties to this case and should be dismissed from any participation in these proceedings. The G&T cooperatives do not provide the service being examined in this investigation.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that BREC and EKPC are dismissed from participating in this proceeding to investigate and address regulatory deviations with AMI and AMR outlined in 807 KAR 5:041, Section 7.

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