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Ms. Gwen R. Pinson
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In the Matter of:

Application of Big Rivers Electric Corporation for an Order Declaring the Construction of Seven Solar Power Facilities to be Ordinary Extensions of Existing Systems in the Usual Course of Business – Case No. 2016-00409: Ordering Paragraphs No. 3 and 4

Dear Ms. Pinson:

Pursuant to the Commission's Order, dated March 30, 2017, in the aforementioned docket, Big Rivers hereby provides this fourth update pursuant to Ordering Paragraphs No. 3 and 4. The subject of Ordering Paragraph No. 3 is Big Rivers' grant application for the United States Department of Agriculture's ("USDA") Rural Energy for America Program ("the REAP Grant Application"). Ordering Paragraph No. 4 directs Big Rivers to notify the Commission when the solar facilities are constructed. An original and ten (10) copies are provided.

As previously reported, all solar facilities have been constructed, have cleared final inspections, have been commissioned, and are producing power; the USDA has completed its inspections of all the solar array locations which were listed in the REAP Grant Application. Big Rivers has completed all necessary documentation for the REAP Grant and submitted it to the USDA for its approval. Big Rivers currently anticipates USDA approval sometime in 2018.

Please confirm your receipt of this fourth update by placing the Commission's file stamp, with date received, on the enclosed additional copy and returning it to Big Rivers in the self-addressed, postage-paid envelop provided.

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Should you have any questions about this update, please contact me as shown below.

Sincerely yours,



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