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Case Management System - KY Public Service Commission*Regular Cases Before the Commission as of November 28, 2024***2010-00317**

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CASE NATURE: Alleged Failure to Comply with KRS 278.042

CASE CODE

Investigation - Service

UTILITIES:

Kentucky Power Company

HEARINGS:

10/21/10 Formal Hearing

10/05/10 Informal Conference

INDEX OF EVENTS:

10/05/11 POST CASE: Kentucky Power's Notice of Compliance

03/11/11 Acknowledgement of Payment of Penalty

03/10/11 Kentucky Power Company's \$2,500.00 penalty payment

03/03/11 Final Order Entered: (1) Except as noted above and in ordering paragraphs 4 and 5 below, the Stipulation is adopted and approved as a complete resolution of all issues in this case. (2) Kentucky Power shall pay the amount of \$2,500 within 30 days of the date of this Order by cashier's check or money order made payable to the Kentucky State Treasurer and mailed or delivered to the Office of General Counsel, Public Service Commission. (3) Kentucky Power shall require its Kentucky Safety Manager to attend AEP's 2011 "Public Liability Accident Investigation Training." Kentucky Power shall file a report with the Commission within 30 days after its Kentucky Safety Manager attends AEP's training seminar, verifying his attendance and providing a copy of the agenda for the training seminar. (4) Within 12 months of the issuance of this Order, Kentucky Power shall require its Kentucky Safety Manager to attend a training seminar provided by a professional organization certified to instruct accident investigation and reconstruction methods for the electric utility industry in accordance with accepted professional standards and the NESC. Kentucky Power shall file a report with the Commission within 30 days after its Kentucky Safety Manager attends the training seminar, verifying his attendance and providing a copy of the agenda for the training seminar. (5) Upon payment of \$2,500 by Kentucky Power, this case shall be closed & removed from Commission's docket without further Order.

12/13/10 Kentucky Power's Response to Staff's Informal Conference Data Request No. 1

12/13/10 Kentucky Power's Responses to Staff's Informal Conference Data Request No. 1

10/28/10 Kentucky Power's Affidavit of Larry J. Pemberton

10/26/10 Kentucky Power's Supplemental Response to Staff's Data Request from 100510 Informal Conference

10/21/10 Kentucky Power's Response to Staff's Data Requests at 100510 Informal Conference

10/13/10 Memorandum dated 10/13/10 for Informal Conference of 10/05/10; Comments, if any, due within five days of receipt

10/12/10 Order Entered: Kentucky Power's motion to continue the hearing is granted.

10/06/10 Kentucky Power's Motion to Continue Hearing Indefinitely

10/06/10 Kentucky Power's Notice of Filing of Exhibit 1 to Response

09/24/10 Commission Staff's Notice of Informal Conference

09/08/10 Kentucky Power's Response to Staff's 082010 Order

09/08/10 Kentucky Power Company's Request for Informal Conference per 082010 Order

08/20/10 Order Entered:

(1) Kentucky Power shall submit to the Commission, within 20 days of the date of this Order, a written response to the allegations contained in the Report.

(2) Kentucky Power shall appear on October 21, 2010 at 10:00 a.m. EDT, in Hearing Room 1 of the Commission's offices for the purpose of presenting evidence concerning the alleged violations of KRS 278.042 and 807 KAR 5:006, Section 24, and of showing cause why it should not be subject to the penalties prescribed in KRS 278.990(1) for these alleged violations.

(3) At the scheduled hearing in this matter, Kentucky Power shall be prepared to present evidence on the failure of Kentucky Power to correct the unsafe condition of the service drop at 68 Snake Valley Road, Hueysville, Floyd County, Kentucky, prior to the June 15, 2009 incident.

(4) At the scheduled hearing in this matter, Kentucky Power shall be prepared to present evidence on

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the failure of Kentucky Power to document and investigate the conditions at the incident site after it became aware of the June 15, 2009 contact incident and prior to removing the service drop.

(5) The October 21, 2010 hearing shall be recorded by videotape only.

(6) The Report in the Appendix to this Order is made a part of the record in this case.

(7) Any request for an informal conference with Commission Staff shall be set forth in writing and filed with the Commission within 20 days of the date of this Order.

Total Number of Cases: 1