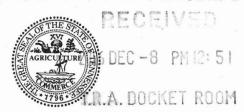
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December 8, 2006

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RE: DOCKET NO. 06-00301- Joint Petition of Kingsport Power Company D/B/A AEP Appalachian Power and Weyerhaeuser Company for Approval of a Special Contract

Dear Ms. Sanders:

On December 4, 2006, Kingsport Power Company d/b/a AEP Appalachian Power and Weyerhaeuser Company filed a *Joint Petition* for approval of a special contract with the Authority. To assist the TRA in reviewing this petition, please respond to the following request for information:

1) Upon careful review, we have determined that to properly effectuate the Supplemental portion of the Special Contract (Exhibit "B" to the *Joint Petition*), Weyerhaeuser Company may be required to obtain a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity ("CCN") from this Authority. If you disagree, please provide a complete and thorough response detailing the factual and legal bases for your contention.

Please provide your response, referenced as Data Response to Docket No. 06-00301, no later than 2:00 p.m. on December 20, 2006. In accordance with TRA rules, submit either (A) thirteen (13) written copies of your response or (B) four written copies and an electronic version. Should you have any questions regarding this request, please contact me at (615) 741-2904, ext. 168.

Sincerest Regards,

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