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460 James Robertson Parkway
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Re: Notice of Kingsport Power Company d/b/a AEP
Appalachian Power; **TRA Docket No.: 08-00213**

Dear Ms. Standley:

Pursuant to our recent notice filing with the Tennessee Regulatory Authority in this Docket, we submit herewith the Notice run in the Kingsport Times-News, a newspaper of general circulation within the service territory of Kingsport Power Company d/b/a AEP Appalachian Power, along with the Affidavit of Diane Spencer which documents the Notice was published in the Kingsport Times-News on November 24, 2009.

We are sending the original newspaper notice and Affidavit along with four (4) copies via overnight delivery.

If there are further questions, please contact the writer.

Very sincerely yours,

HUNTER, SMITH & DAVIS, LLP

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STATE OF VIRGINIA

CITY/COUNTY OF Henrico, to-wit:

I, Diane Spencer, Tearsheet Coordinator, hereby certify that a legal ad for Appalachian Power Company (Kingsport Power Company Notice to the Public) (copy attached hereto) was published in The Kingsport Times-News on the 24th day of November in the year 2009.

Diane Spencer
Signature

Subscribed to and sworn before me this 7th day of December 2009.
My commission expires: 9/30/2011

[Signature]
[Notary Public] 273942

owner. These problems can cause the drop-side to detach, creating a dangerous space between the drop-side and the crib mattress, where a child can become trapped.

24 killed in election massacre in the Philippines

MANILA, Philippines — Gunmen ambushed a caravan of political supporters and journalists on their way to file election papers, killing at least 24 people in a massacre considered shocking even for a region notorious for violence between rival clans. The National Union of Journalists of the Philippines said at least 10 local reporters were part of Monday's convoy, but police spokesman Leonardo Espina said Tuesday that authorities had identified the remains of only one so far. Their newspapers and radio stations have not been able to reach any of the journalists, raising fears that they were killed. If confirmed, it would be the "largest single massacre of journalists ever" according to Paris-based Reporters Without Borders. The president's office termed Monday's attack the worst political violence in recent history. Many among the 24 dead were women, including two lawyers, Espina said.

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KINGSPORT POWER COMPANY NOTICE TO PUBLIC

Kingsport Power Company, d/b/a AEP Appalachian Power ("Kingsport"), hereby gives notice that on November 13, 2009 it made a tariff filing with the Tennessee Regulatory Authority ("TRA") relative to changes in Kingsport's Purchased Power Adjustment Rider ("PPAR") surcharges. The PPAR authorizes Kingsport, upon no less than 30-days notice, to apply a surcharge to all customer bills rendered by it to allow for changes in the non-fuel cost of purchased power from Kingsport's wholesale power supplier, under rate schedules implemented by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission ("FERC"). Changes in fuel costs associated with power from Kingsport's wholesale supplier would continue to be reflected in Kingsport's fuel adjustment clause. Kingsport's current tariffs, and its filing regarding changes to its PPAR surcharges, are on file with the TRA at 460 James Robertson Parkway, Nashville, Tennessee, and in the office of Kingsport Power Company, 420 Riverport Road, Kingsport, Tennessee, and are available for public inspection.

On December 2, 2008, the FERC accepted for filing, effective January 1, 2009, an Amended and Restated Interconnection Agreement ("Agreement") between Appalachian Power Company ("APCo") and Kingsport, which APCo designated as Appalachian Power Company First Revised FERC Rate Schedule No. 23 ("Revised Rate Schedule 23"). Revised Rate Schedule 23 provides for three annual step increases in APCo's generation rates to Kingsport, as of January 1, 2009, 2010 and 2011, and changes in FERC-approved charges for transmission services. Following a public hearing on December 15, 2008, the TRA approved Kingsport's current PPAR, which includes surcharges designed to recover the January 1, 2009 increases in Kingsport's non-fuel purchased power charges implemented by the FERC.

Pursuant to Revised Rate Schedule 23, Kingsport's non-fuel cost of purchased power will increase on January 1, 2010. In its November 13, 2009 tariff filing with the TRA, Kingsport provided new PPAR surcharges, calculated in accordance with the provisions of its PPAR, to recover these increased purchased power costs. The surcharges to be applied to customer bills beginning January 1, 2010, would result in average increases of 5.7% for residential customers, 5.5% for general service customers, and 5.1% for industrial customers.