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**PLEASE RESPOND TO:**  
KINGSPORT OFFICE

December 3, 2010

*VIA EMAIL & FEDEX*

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

Dear Mr. Foster:

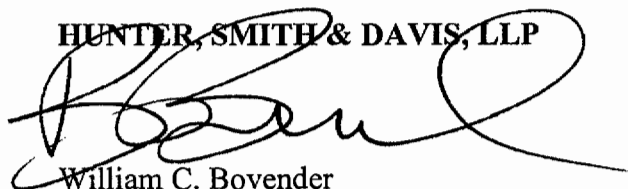
We submit for inclusion in the file the Publication Certificate for November 24, 2010, which certifies Kingsport Power Company, d/b/a AEP Appalachian Power published in the November 24, 2010 Kingsport Times-news the attached public notice, the form/text of which has been utilized in Kingsport's 2009 filing.

The Kingsport Times-News is the newspaper of general circulation in Kingsport Power Company's service area.

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

Very sincerely yours,

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# KINGSPORT TIMES-NEWS

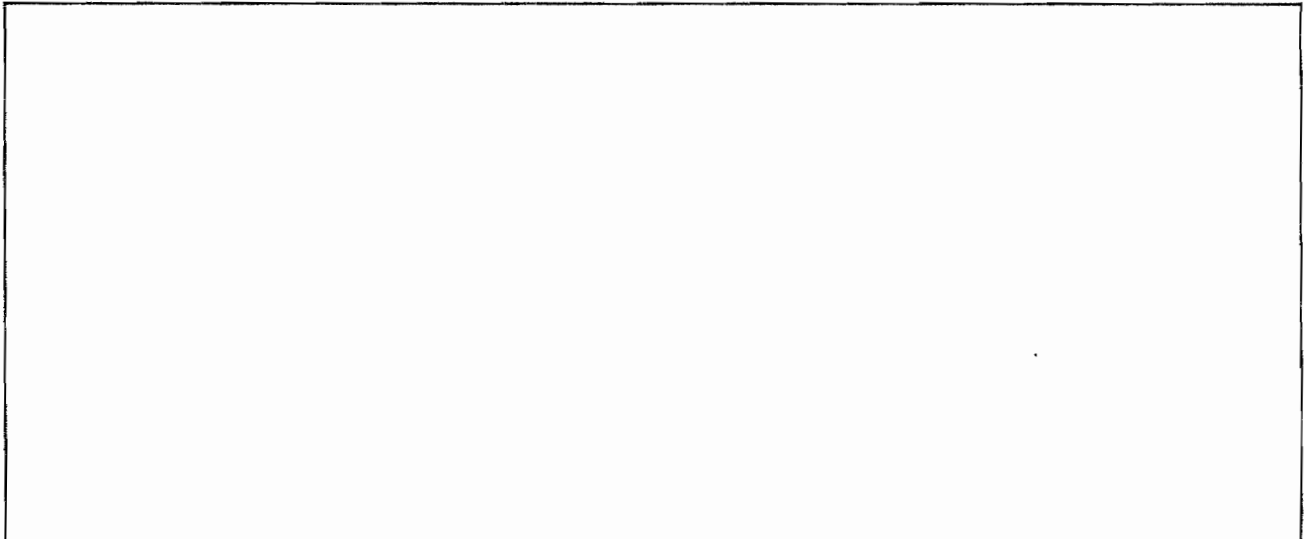
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Kingsport, TN 11-24-10

This is to certify that the Legal Notice hereto attached was published in the Kingsport Times-News, a daily newspaper published in the City of Kingsport, County of Sullivan, State of Tennessee, beginning in the issue of 11-24-10, and appearing 1 consecutive weeks/times, as per order of \_\_\_\_\_

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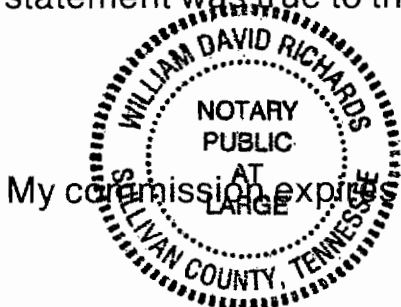
Signed Lois Ramey



### STATE OF TENNESSEE, SULLIVAN COUNTY, TO-WIT:

Personally appeared before me this 24<sup>th</sup> day of November 2010, Lois Ramey- Acctg Dept of the Kingsport Times-News and in due form of law made oath that the foregoing statement was true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

William David Richards  
NOTARY PUBLIC



My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_

7-2-11

## KINGSPORT POWER COMPANY NOTICE TO PUBLIC

Kingsport Power Company, d/b/a AEP Appalachian Power ("Kingsport"), hereby gives notice that on November 12, 2010, 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 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 Rate Schedule 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 changes to Kingsport's PPAR, including surcharges designed to recover increases in its 2009 generation and transmission costs, which became effective January 1, 2009. On November 13, 2009, Kingsport made a tariff filing that revised its PPAR surcharges for 2010 to recover increases in Kingsport's non-fuel purchased power charges implemented by the FERC. Following a review by the TRA's Staff, which found KgPCo's tariff filing to be compliant with the TRA's rules and its December 15, 2008 Order, KgPCo's proposed 2010 PPAR surcharges were allowed to become effective January 1, 2010.

Pursuant to Revised Rate Schedule 23, Kingsport's non-fuel cost of purchased power will increase on January 1, 2011. In its November 12, 2010 tariff filing with the TRA, Kingsport provided new PPAR surcharges, calculated in accordance with the provisions of its PPAR, to recover those increased purchased power costs. The surcharges to be applied to customer bills beginning January 1, 2011 would result in average increases of about 3.3% for Kingsport's residential, general service, and industrial customers.

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