BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

November 16, 2015

IN RE:)	
)	DOCKET NO.
PETITION OF KINGSPORT POWER COMPANY)	15-00024
D/B/A AEP APPALACHIAN POWER FOR)	
APPROVAL OF STORM DAMAGE RIDER)	
TARIFF)	

ORDER GRANTING MOTION TO WITHDRAW PETITION

This matter is before the Hearing Officer upon a Motion to Withdraw Petition for Approval of a Storm Damage Tariff Rider without Prejudice for Later Refiling ("Motion to Withdraw") filed by Kingsport Power Company d/b/a AEP Appalachian Power ("Kingsport") on November 9, 2015. In its Motion to Withdraw, Kingsport states that while preparing a response to a Staff Data Request, Kingsport uncovered information which "placed in question a portion of the total amount of the recovery being sought by Kingsport related to the 2013 storm." Kingsport needs "additional time to complete its review of the 2013 storm costs, and any necessary recalculations of the amount of recovery sought as a result of that review." For these reasons, Kingsport seeks to withdraw its Petition without prejudice. The Consumer Protection and Advocate Division of the Office of the Attorney General does not oppose Kingsport's Motion to Withdraw.

The Hearing Officer finds the motion is well taken and should be granted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

The Motion to Withdraw Petition for Approval of a Storm Damage Tariff Rider without

Prejudice for Later Refiling filed by Kingsport Power Company d/b/a AEP Appalachian Power

is granted and this docket is closed.

Monica Smith-Ashford, Hearing Officer

cc: Interested Parties Original in Docket File