

BEFORE THE TENNESSEE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

June 13, 2017

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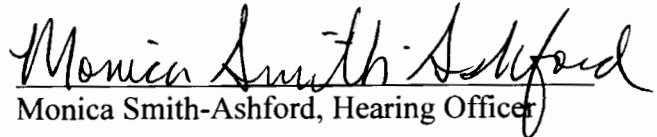
**PETITION OF KINGSPORT POWER COMPANY
D/B/A AEP APPALACHIAN POWER FOR
APPROVAL OF ITS TARGETED RELIABILITY
PLAN, AND ITS TRP & MS RIDER, AN
ALTERNATIVE RATE MECHANISM**

**DOCKET NO.
17-00032**

ORDER ESTABLISHING PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

This matter is before the Hearing Officer of the Tennessee Public Utility Commission ("Commission" or "TPUC") to establish a procedural schedule for the orderly administration of these proceedings. The goal and design of any procedural schedule is to efficiently move the proceedings forward to a hearing and final conclusion on the merits. Nevertheless, a procedural schedule's effectiveness directly depends on cooperation by the parties in meeting the individual benchmark dates. Based on a proposed procedural schedule jointly submitted by the parties, the Hearing Officer hereby establishes the Procedural Schedule set forth in **Exhibit A** attached to this Order.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED.


Monica Smith-Ashford, Hearing Officer

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PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

June 13, 2017

Due Date*	Filing
June 14, 2017	Discovery Requests from Intervenors to Petitioner Due
June 21, 2017	Petitioner's Responses to Intervenors' Discovery Requests Due
July 10, 2017	Intervenors' Pre-filed Testimony Due***
July 17, 2017	Petitioner's Discovery Requests to Intervenors Due
July 24, 2017	Intervenors' Discovery Responses Due**
July 31, 2017	Petitioner's Rebuttal Testimony Due****
August 10, 2017	Pre-hearing Conference
August 15, 2017	Target Date for Hearing on the Merits
August 17, 2017	120-Day Deadline for Decision

* All deadlines are by 4:00 p.m. Central Time of the day indicated.

** Copies of all discovery exchanged between the parties shall be filed with TPUC within 3 days of the exchange of information. All spreadsheets shall be filed in Excel format with working formulas intact.

*** Any pre-filed testimony should include all supporting worksheets in Excel format with working formulas intact.

**** Rebuttal Testimony should be limited only to issues raised in the Intervenors' Direct Testimony and should include the page and line number of the Intervenors' testimony that is being rebutted.

EXHIBIT A