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October 1, 2019

Mr. David Foster, Director Utilities Division Tennessee Public Utility Commission 502 Deaderick Street, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor Nashville, TN 37243

Re:

Kingsport Power Company TPUC Case No. 18-00038

Dear Mr. Foster:

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Beginning in February 2019, Kingsport began to provide credits to customers, via the Federal Tax Rate Adjustment Rider (FTRAR) as required by the Commission order in Docket 18-00038 and as detailed in Paragraphs 14-19 of the Stipulation and Settlement Agreement. In accordance with Paragraphs 22-26, the Company submits its True-up of the FTRAR. The Company expects to implement the new FTRAR rate on January 1, 2020.

Additionally, the Company is providing a reconciliation of the estimated excess unprotected ADIT balances and the 2018 amortization of excess protected ADIT included in the Stipulation and Settlement agreement (Paragraphs 20 and 21, respectively) to the actual, post-tax return amounts, as shown in Schedule 2. These actual amounts have been used to reduce regulatory assets as described in the same paragraphs.

We enclose the schedules and related workpaper ("supporting materials") which support the proposed changes to the FTRAR tariff which are being submitted to your office today.

Sincerely,

William K. Castle, Director Regulatory Services-VA/TN

Enclosures

cc: William C. Bovender, Esq.

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# Kingsport Power Company Over/Under of Actual FTRAR Credits Beginning Feb. 2019 As Compared to Approved 2019 Annual Credit of \$2,409,662 (\$200,805 monthly) Schedule 1

	1/12 of 2019 Credits Approved		Actual FTRAR  Credits to Customers		Monthly Under / (Over)		Cumulative		
							Under / (Over)		
Feb-19	\$	(200,805)	\$	(181,545)	\$	(19,260)	\$	(19,260) A	
Mar-19		(200,805)		(186,889)		(13,916)		(33,176) A	
Apr-19		(200,805)		(232,523)		31,718		(1,459) A	
May-19		(200,805)		(207,809)		7,003		5,545 A	
Jun-19		(200,805)		(167,430)		(33,375)		(27,830) A	
Jul-19		(200,805)		(220,947)		20,142		(7,688) A	
Aug-19		(200,805)		(214,322)		13,516		5,829 A	
Sep-19		(200,805)		(184,748)		(16,057)		(10,228) E	
Oct-19		(200,805)		(177,443)		(23,362)		(33,590) E	
Nov-19		(200,805)		(197,974)		(2,831)		(36,422) E	
Dec-19		(200,805)		(179,403)		(21,402)		(57,824) E	
Jan-20		(200,805)							

A Actual Customer Credits

**E** Estimated Customer Credits

# KINGSPORT POWER COMPANY Docket No. 18-00038 Schedule 2

	Estimated Amounts per Approved Stipulation		Actual Amounts after 2017 Tax Return Adjustments Recorded in 2018		Difference	
EXCESS UNPROTECTED ADFIT  Total Excess Unprotected ADFIT @ 12/31/17 as filed by KgPCo	\$	3,367,150	\$	2,792,120	\$	(575,030)
Revenue Gross-Up Factor		1.353821		1.353821		1.353821
Revenue Basis- Excess Unprotected ADFIT @ 12/31/17	\$	4,558,518	\$	3,780,031	\$	(778,487)
Reduction of Excess Unprotected ADFIT per CPAD Testimony that should not be flowed back to Customers (after gross-up)	\$	(621,690)	\$	(591,124)	\$	30,566
Excess Unprotected ADFIT @ 12/31/17 Available for Regulatory Asset Offsets	\$	3,936,828	\$	3,188,907	\$	(747,921)
Offset of Deferred 2013/2009 Storm Costs (A/C 1823078)	\$	(1,504,282)	\$	(1,504,282)	\$	-
Remaining Excess Unprotected ADFIT @ 12/31/17	\$	2,432,546	\$	1,684,625	\$	(747,921)
TN Under-Recovery FPPAR @ 12/31/18 Before Offsets (A/C 1823551)	\$	4,746,690	\$	4,746,690	\$	-
TN Under-Recovery FPPAR @ 12/31/18 After Offset for Remaining Excess Unprotected ADFIT	\$	2,314,144	\$	3,062,065	\$	747,921
EXCESS PROTECTED ADFIT  Total Excess Protected ADFIT @ 12/31/17 as filed by KgPCo	\$	7,370,388	\$	7,050,337	\$	(320,051)
Revenue Gross-Up Factor		1.353821		1.353821		1.353821
Revenue Basis-Excess Protected ADFIT @ 12/31/17	\$	9,978,186	\$	9,544,894	\$	(433,292)
Estimated ARAM Amortization Period in Years		21		N/A		
Estimated Annual Excess Protected ADFIT	\$	475,152		N/A		
Actual 2018 Excess Protected ADFIT Amortization before gross-up		N/A	\$	259,499		
Revenue Gross-Up Factor		N/A		1.353821		
Revenue Basis-Actual 2018 Excess Protected ADFIT Amortization		N/A	\$	351,315	\$	(123,837)
TN Under-Recovery FPPAR @ 12/31/18 After Offsets for Both Remaining Excess Unprotected ADFIT and Amortization of 2018 Excess Protected ADFIT	\$	1,838,992	\$	2,710,750	\$	871,758

# Kingsport Power Company Docket 2018-00038

# Workpaper supporting Proposed FTRAR Change Effective January 1, 2020

# 2019 Revenue Credits versus Required Rate Credits

Reduction in Rates January 1, 2018 - December 31, 2018	(967,255)				
Reduction in Rates January 1, 2019 - December 31, 2019	(967,255)				
Estimated Protected ADIT Amortization January 1, 2019-December 31, 2019	(346,739)				
Revenue Credits February 1, 2019-August 31, 2019	1,411,465				
Estimated Revenue Credits September 1, 2019-December 31, 2019	739,568				
Estimated Over/(Under) Credit Balance December 31, 2019	(130,216)				
2020 Required Rate Credits					
Reduction in Rates January 1, 2020 - December 31, 2020	(967,255)				
Estimated Protected ADIT Amortization January 1, 2020-December 31, 2020	(396,154)				
Estimated 2019 Under-credited Balance	(130,216)				
Total Estimated 2020 Rate Credits	(1,493,625)				
Calculation of FTRR Credit Percentage January 1, 2020-December 31, 2020					
Revenue Requirement (Docket 16-00001, Stipulation and Settlement Agreement, Attachment A Schedule 12)	26,815,888				
Total Required 2020 Rate Credits	(1,493,625)				
Net Revenue Requirement	25,322,263				
Percent Reduction to Rates	5.5699%				

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Pursuant to the provisions of this Rider, a Federal Tax Rate Adjustment Rider credit or charge will be applied to each kilowatt-hour, kilowatt or lamp rate as billed under the Company's filed tariff non-rider schedules.

The Federal Tax Rate Adjustment Rider percentage credit or charge applicable to each schedule for the period February 01, 2019 January 1, 2020 to December 31, 202019, is a credit or reduction to rates of 58. 98595699%.

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Re:

Kingsport Power Company d/b/a AEP Appalachian Power

TPUC Docket No.: 18-00038

TRUE-UP of FTRAR to be Effective January 1, 2020

Dear Mr. Foster:

Pursuant to TPUC Rule 1220-4-1-.06, Kingsport Power Company, d/b/a AEP APPALACHIAN POWER ("Company") submits herewith redline and clean electronic versions of the proposed, modified FTRAR tariff to become effective January 1, 2020, which reflects the True-Up of the FTRAR mandated by TPUC in ORDER APPROVING STIPULATION AND SETTLEMENT in Docket No.: 18-00038.

The Company's True-Up of the FTRAR is contained in a separate letter from William K. Castle, dated October 1, 2019. Also, submitted in Mr. Castle's letter will be schedules and related work papers.

An original and four hard copies of this newly proposed FTRAR tariff will be transmitted for delivery on Wednesday, October 2, 2019. An appropriate Public Notice of this filing will be published in the Kingsport Times News with an Affidavit of Publication to be later filed in this docket.

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David Foster, Utilities Division Chief October 1, 2019 Page 2

Should there be any questions, please contact the writer or William Castle at 3 James Center, 1051 E. Cary Street, Suite 1100, Richmond, VA (804-698-5540).

Very sincerely yours,

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