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Re:

Application of Kingsport Power Company d/b/a

AEP Appalachian Power Re: Financing

Docket No.: 19-00025

Dear Chairman Morrison:

On behalf of Kingsport Power Company d/b/a AEP Appalachian Power, we transmit herewith the following:

Motion for Leave to Appear as Witness by Telephone

The original and four (4) copies are being sent via Federal Express.

Very sincerely yours,

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IN RE:

APPLICATION OF KINGSPORT POWER

COMPANY d/b/a AEP APPALACHIAN POWER

FOR APPROVAL OF FINANCING

AGREEMENT

MOTION FOR LEAVE TO APPEAR AS WITNESS BY TELEPHONE

Comes Petitioner, Kingsport Power Company d/b/a AEP Appalachian Power, by

counsel, and respectfully moves that its witness in this Docket, Renee V. Hawkins,

Managing Director, Corporate Finance of American Electric Power Service Corporation,

be permitted to present her Pre-Filed Testimony and testify by telephone from Columbus,

Ohio, at the April Conference of the Tennessee Public Utility Commission on Monday,

April 15, 2019.

Petitioner would show unto the Commission that it would need to have Ms.

Hawkins testify in this Docket on said date but, due to existing conflicts, she cannot be

physically present at the hearing. Use of telephonic testimony will not limit any further

examination of Ms. Hawkins by the Panel, General Counsel or the Staff. No intervenors

have filed Petitions in this Docket and, to the best of Petitioner's belief and knowledge,

Petitioner has responded to all information inquiries of the Staff.

PREMISES CONSIDERED, Petitioner, Kingsport Power Company d/b/a AEP

Appalachian Power, respectfully request that Ms. Hawkins be allowed to present her

testimony by telephone on April 15, 2019, pursuant to T.C.A. § 4-5-312(c) and under the Rules and Regulations of the Tennessee Public Utility Commission..

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The undersigned hereby certifies that the foregoing Motion for Leave to Appear As Witness by Telephone has been served upon the following by mailing a copy of same by United States mail, postage prepaid, and Emailing as follows, on this the day of April, 2019.

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