

BEFORE THE TENNESSEE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

March 4, 2021

IN RE:)	
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PETITION OF KINGSPORT POWER COMPANY)	DOCKET NO.
D/B/A AEP APPALACHIAN POWER FOR)	20-00127
OCTOBER, 2019-SEPTEMBER, 2020 ANNUAL)	
RECOVERY UNDER THE TARGETED)	
RELIABILITY PLAN AND MAJOR STORM)	
RIDER ("TRP&MS"), ALTERNATIVE RATE)	
MECHANISMS APPROVED IN 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 the *Amended Joint Filing of Proposed Procedural Schedule* filed on February 26, 2021 by the parties, Kingsport Power Company d/b/a AEP Appalachian Power (“Kingsport”) and the Consumer Advocate Unit in the Financial Division of the Office of the Attorney General (“Consumer Advocate”), 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

March 4, 2021

Due Date/Deadline	Filing/Activity
March 12, 2021	Kingsport's Response to 2 nd Discovery Request
April 16, 2021	Consumer Advocate's Pre-Filed Testimony
April 26, 2021	Kingsport's 1 st Discovery Request
May 6, 2021	Consumer Advocate's Response to 1 st Discovery Request
May 18, 2021	Kingsport's Pre-Filed Rebuttal Testimony And Proposed Settlement Agreement (if it is to be considered at June Conference)
June 1, 2021	Pre-Hearing Motions
June 7, 2021	Pre-Hearing Telephone Status Conference
June 14, 2021	Target Hearing Date

- All filings shall be filed in the TPUC docket room by 2:00 p.m. (central) on the date due.
- Nothing herein restricts the parties from participating in additional informal discovery.
- Copies of all discovery exchanged between the parties shall be filed with TPUC within 3 business days of the exchange of information.
- For all spreadsheets, a copy shall be filed in Excel format with working formulas intact. This includes spreadsheets that are exhibits to Pre-filed Testimony.
- Rebuttal Testimony is limited only to issues raised in the Consumer Advocate's Direct Testimony and should include the page and line number of the Consumer Advocate's testimony that is being rebutted.