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Re: Application of Kingsport Power Company d/b/a  
AEP Appalachian Power Re: Financing through  
December 31, 2023  
Docket No.: 21-00125

Dear Chairman Hill:

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

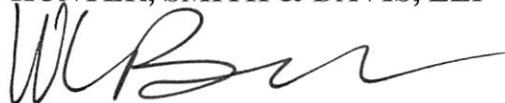
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Contact the writer with any questions.

Very sincerely yours,

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Enclosures: As stated

Dr. Kenneth Hill, Chairman

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**BEFORE THE TENNESSEE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**

**NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE**

IN RE:

APPLICATION OF KINGSPORT POWER  
COMPANY d/b/a AEP APPALACHIAN  
POWER COMPANY FOR APPROVAL OF  
FINANCING AGREEMENT THROUGH –  
DECEMBER 31, 2023

DOCKET NO.: 21-00125

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**MOTION FOR LEAVE TO APPEAR AS WITNESS BY TELEPHONE**

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Comes Petitioner, Kingsport Power Company d/b/a AEP Appalachian Power Company, by counsel, and respectfully moves that its witness in this Docket, Franz D. Messner, Managing Director, Corporate Finance of American Electric Power Service Corporation (AEPSC), be allowed to testify by telephone from Columbus, Ohio, at the December Conference of the Tennessee Public Utility Commission on Monday, December 6, 2021.

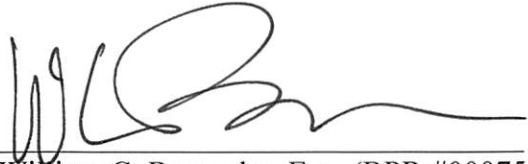
Pre-filed testimony of Mr. Messner has been filed with the Petition in this financing docket.

Due to the circumstances and existing conflicts, Mr. Messner will need to testify by telephone.

PREMISES CONSIDERED, Petitioner, Kingsport Power Company d/b/a AEP Appalachian Power Company, respectfully requests that Mr. Messner be allowed to present his testimony by telephone on December 6, 2021. A duly-authorized Notary

Public will be present to administer the Oath and remain during the testimony of Mr.  
Messner.

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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 24th day of November, 2021.

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