

**THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF KANSAS**

Before Commissioners: Shari Feist Albrecht, Chair
 Jay Scott Emler
 Dwight D. Keen

In the Matter of the Application of The Victory)
Electric Cooperative Association, Inc. Seeking)
Commission Approval to Update Its Local) Docket No. 18-VICE-479-TAR
Access Delivery Service Tariff Pursuant to the)
34.5kV Formula Based Rate Plan Approved in)
Docket No. 16-MKEE-023-TAR.)

ORDER DESIGNATING PREHEARING OFFICER

The above-captioned matter comes before the State Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas (Commission). Having reviewed its files and records, and being fully advised in the premises, the Commission makes the following findings:

1. On May 1, 2018, The Victory Electric Cooperative Association, Inc. (Victory) filed with the Commission an Application requesting approval to update its Local Access Delivery Service (LADS) tariff.¹ The Application was filed pursuant to Victory's 34.5kV Formula Based Rate (FBR) Plan approved in Docket No. 16-MKEE-023-TAR.²

2. The Commission may designate a Prehearing Officer to address appropriate matters in Prehearing Conferences, including all items listed in K.S.A. 77-517(b) of the Kansas Administrative Procedure Act (KAPA). Accordingly, the Commission designates Michael J. Duenes, Assistant General Counsel, 1500 SW Arrowhead Road, Topeka, KS 66604-4027, telephone number (785) 271-3181, m.duenes@kcc.ks.gov, as Prehearing Officer in this proceeding.³ The Commission may designate other Staff members to serve in this capacity.

¹ Application of The Victory Electric Cooperative Association, Inc., p. 1 (May 1, 2018).

² *Id.*

³ K.S.A. 77-514; K.S.A. 77-516; K.S.A. 77-551(c).

3. Although a Prehearing Officer is designated in this docket, parties are still required to file pleadings with the Commission, and filings shall be made with the Commission's Docket Room before 5:00 p.m. on the date scheduled for service. Any electronic service received after the deadline set forth in the procedural schedule, or any filing made after 5:00 p.m. on the date scheduled for service, shall be accompanied by a Motion to File Out-of-Time.

THEREFORE, THE COMMISSION ORDERS:

- A. Michael J. Duenes is designated as Prehearing Officer in this proceeding.
- B. The parties have fifteen (15) days from the date this Order was served by electronic mail in which to petition for reconsideration.⁴
- C. The Commission retains jurisdiction over the subject matter and parties for the purpose of entering such further orders, as necessary.

BY THE COMMISSION IT IS SO ORDERED.

Albrecht, Chair; Emler, Commissioner; Keen, Commissioner

05/15/2018
Dated: _____



Lynn M. Retz
Secretary to the Commission

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⁴ K.S.A. 66-118b; K.S.A. 77-529(a)(1).

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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I, the undersigned, certify that the true copy of the attached Order has been served to the following parties by means of
electronic service on 05/18/2018.

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