

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

BALLARD RURAL TELEPHONE)	
COOPERATIVE CORPORATION, INC.)	
)	
COMPLAINANT)	
)	
v.)	CASE NO. 2004-00036
)	
JACKSON PURCHASE ENERGY CORPORATION)	
)	
DEFENDANT)	

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On February 23, 2006, Ballard Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc. ("Ballard Telephone") moved the Commission to reschedule the hearing in this matter. In support of its motion, Ballard Telephone states that its witnesses will be unavailable, due to other business commitments, to attend the hearing as scheduled. It further states that it has discussed this motion with counsel for Jackson Purchase Energy Corporation ("Jackson Purchase"), and that Jackson Purchase has no objections to the motion. On March 2, 2006, Jackson Purchase filed a response confirming that it had no objection to the continuance and respectfully requesting the Commission not to schedule the hearing for June because many of its key employees and witnesses have other commitments in June.

The Commission, having considered the motion and the response thereto and being otherwise sufficiently advised, finds that Ballard Telephone's motion should be granted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. Ballard Telephone's motion to reschedule the hearing is granted.
2. The hearing set for March 15, 2006 is rescheduled to July 20, 2006 at 9:00 a.m., Eastern Daylight Time, in Hearing Room 1 of the Commission's offices at 211 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky for the purpose of cross-examination of witnesses.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 8th day of March, 2006.

By the Commission

ATTEST:



Executive Director