BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

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In the Matter of an Examination of the Class Cost of Service and Rate Design in the Missouri Jurisdictional Electric Service Operations of Aquila, Inc. (f/k/a UtiliCorp United Inc.)

EO-2002-384 [EO2002384xxx]

SEDALIA INDUSTRIAL ENERGY USERS' ASSOCIATION AND FEDERAL EXECUTIVE AGENCIES' REQUEST FOR CLARIFICATION

Sedalia Industrial Energy Users' Association (SIEUA) and the Federal Executive Agencies' (FEA) are gratified by the Commission Order of August 23, 2005. Regardless, we believe there is a small area of clarification that will aid the future process of this case.

1. In ORDERED paragraph 3, the Commission determined to make the parties to Case No. ER-2005-0436 parties to this proceeding. However, it did not clarify their status.

2. As indicated in the August 23 Order, this case has been pending since February 21, 2002. The initial parties were those that had chosen to be involved in Case No. ER-2002-0672, from which docket this case was "spun off." None of the parties listed in ORDERED Paragraph 3 had chosen to seek leave to intervene independently.

3. It is common that late intervenors take the status of the case "as they find it." To do otherwise would raise the strong potential of delay and would be counter-productive. Given ^{64791.1} that this case has progressed a good ways with the design, and year-long collection of load research data, numerous technical conferences between the experts to develop approaches and resolve technical differences, it would be highly counter-productive for new parties, at this late stage, to seek to question the numerous decisions including but not limited to the collection of the load research data and the design of the sample at this time.

4. SIEUA and FEA have been authorized to state that Aquila supports this request.

5. Accordingly, SIEUA and FEA request that the Commission clarify its August 23 Order such that these new parties "take the case as they find it" and should not be heard to complain of events and decisions made during periods in which they were not involved in the case.

WHEREFORE the Clarification of the August 23 Order is sought accordingly.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have on the date below sent true copies of the foregoing pleading either by United States Mail, facsimile or other electronic means, to all the parties indicated in the Commission's August 23, 2005 Order as shown by the Commission EFIS records maintained by the Secretary.

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