

In the Matter of:

KCP&L GREATER MISSOURI OPERATIONS COMPANY REQUEST FOR AUTHORITY, et al.

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In The Matter Of KCP&L Greater)
Missouri Operations Company) File No. ER-2019-0413
Request For Authority To)
Implement Rate Adjustments)
Required By 4 CSR 240-20.090(8))
And The Company's Approved Fuel)
And Purchased Power Cost)
Recovery Mechanism)

In The Matter Of The)
Application Of KCP&L Greater) File No. ER-2019-0414
Missouri Operations Company)
Containing Its Semi-Annual Fuel)
Adjustment Clause True-Up)

PAUL T. GRAHAM, Presiding
REGULATORY LAW JUDGE

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P R O C E E D I N G S

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2 JUDGE GRAHAM: We're going to go on the record
3 now. This is for a Procedural Conference and I'm going
4 to go ahead and read out the titles of these two cases:
5 In The Matter Of KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations
6 Company Request For Authority To Implement Rate
7 Adjustments Required By 4 CSR 240-20.090(8) And The
8 Company's Approved Fuel And Purchased Power Cost
9 Recovery Mechanism. That's the first file whose number
10 is ER-2019-0413.

11 The second file that we're here on today for a
12 Procedural Conference is In The Matter Of The
13 Application Of KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations Company
14 Containing Its Semi-Annual Fuel Adjustment Clause
15 True-Up, and file number for that matter is
16 ER-2019-0414.

17 As I said before, I'm Paul Graham. I'm the
18 Regulatory Law Judge on this matter. And we will start
19 by having the attorneys make their entries of
20 appearance. So for KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations
21 Company, would you make your announcements?

22 MR. FISCHER: Yes. On behalf of both of the
23 companies, James M. Fischer, Fischer & Dority, PC. Our
24 address is 101 Madison Street, Suite 400, Jefferson
25 City, Missouri 65101, and I will have on the phone

1 shortly Roger W. Steiner, in-house counsel for Kansas
2 City Power & Light.

3 JUDGE GRAHAM: Okay. We can expect him to be
4 joining the conversation?

5 MR. FISCHER: Yes.

6 JUDGE GRAHAM: Staff is here. Would staff go
7 ahead and enter its appearance?

8 MR. PRINGLE: Thank you, Judge. Travis
9 Pringle, Staff Counsel for the Missouri Public Service
10 Commission, P.O. Box 360, Jefferson City, Missouri
11 65102.

12 JUDGE GRAHAM: All right. And the Office of
13 the Public Counsel is present, and would he enter his
14 appearance, please?

15 MR. CLIZER: Thank you, Judge. John Clizer,
16 Missouri Office of the Public Counsel, and I'll supply
17 my contact information with the court reporter shortly.

18 JUDGE GRAHAM: All right. The lady on the
19 phone, are you listening in? You're not an attorney.
20 So I guess you're not going to enter your appearance on
21 anyone. Do you want your presence noted on the record
22 as being present?

23 MR. FISCHER: Lisa is one of our technical
24 people here supporting me today.

25 JUDGE GRAHAM: She's supporting you? I hope

1 so. All right. Well, we don't need to have you sound
2 out your name, Lisa, if you don't wish to.

3 Mr. Steiner is going to be along shortly
4 probably perhaps after I leave. Have I missed anyone
5 that's entering their appearance?

6 Okay. The Order that set this for a
7 Procedural Conference today I noted ordered the parties
8 to file a proposed procedural schedule no later than
9 September 12, 2019. So I'm just pointing that out for
10 the record here since I did notice that it was in the
11 Order.

12 Are there any other preliminary matters that I
13 need to address before I leave the building? Hearing
14 none, ordinarily I go off the record here. I will let
15 Mr. Steiner and KCP&L look to the matter of how he might
16 enter his appearance in this matter. I think he can
17 probably do so by EFIS or something like that.

18 If there are no other matters for you to
19 address with me, I'm going to take off.

20 MR. FISCHER: Thank you, sir.

21 MR. PRINGLE: Thank you, Judge.

22 JUDGE GRAHAM: Thank you.

23 (Off the record.)
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