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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Grain Belt Express)
Clean Line LLC for a Certificate of Convenience and)
Necessity Authorizing it to Construct, Own, Operate,)
Control, Manage and Maintain a High Voltage, Direct) File No. EA-2016-0358
Current Transmission Line and an Associated)
Converter Station Providing an Interconnection on the)
Maywood - Montgomery 345 kV Transmission Line.)

SUPPLEMENTAL DIRECT TESTIMONY OF

MATT RILEY

ON BEHALF OF

ENGIE North America Inc.

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1 **I. INTRODUCTION AND PURPOSE OF TESTIMONY**

2 **Q. Please state your name.**

3 A. My name is Matt Riley.

4 **Q. By whom and in what capacity are you employed?**

5 A. I work for ENGIE North America Inc. (ENA), which is headquartered at 1990 Post Oak
6 Boulevard, Suite 1900 Houston, Texas 77056-3831. My office address is 3760 State
7 Street, Suite 200 Santa Barbara, California 93105.

8 I am the Senior Vice President, and Head of U.S. Wind for ENA. I have held this
9 position since early 2018, which is when ENA purchased certain assets of Infinity
10 Renewables, including Iron Star Wind Project, LLC, (the Iron Star Wind Project), which
11 is the wind development project that is the subject of the power purchase agreement
12 (PPA) between Infinity and the Missouri Joint Municipal Electric Utility Commission
13 (MJMEUC) (MJMEUC PPA) that has been discussed in this case. Prior to joining ENA,
14 I was the CEO of Infinity Renewables.

15 **Q. What is the purpose of your testimony in this matter?**

16 A. The purpose of my testimony is to provide an overview of ENA, and to assure the
17 Missouri Public Service Commission (MPSC or Commission) that nothing has changed
18 with respect to the terms and conditions of the MJMEUC PPA, other than ownership of
19 the Iron Star Wind Project.

20 **II. OVERVIEW**

21 **Q. What is your educational background?**

22 A. I have a Bachelor of Science and a Master of Environmental Science and Management
23 from the University of California, Santa Barbara.

1 **Q. What are your responsibilities with ENA?**

2 A. I lead the wind energy development activities in the U.S.

3 **Q. Have you ever provided testimony before the Missouri Public Service Commission?**

4 A. No, I have not.

5 **Q. Will you please provide the Commission an overview of ENA?**

6 A. Yes. ENA is a wholly-owned indirect subsidiary of ENGIE S.A., a company organized
7 under the laws of the France (ENGIE). ENGIE is a public company traded on the French
8 and Belgium stock exchanges with over 150,000 employees around the world. ENGIE is
9 No. 1 in the world in independent power production and supplying energy efficiency
10 services with a presence in nearly 70 countries. Headquartered in Houston, Texas ENA
11 and its various US and Canadian affiliates has approximately 3,500 employees in the
12 USA and Canada. ENA manages a range of energy businesses in the United States and
13 Canada, including retail energy sales and services to commercial, industrial, and
14 residential customers, and electricity generation and cogeneration services.

15 **III. MJMEUC PPA**

16 **Q. When did ENA purchase the Iron Star Project?**

17 A. On February 20, 2018, ENA, through its wholly-owned subsidiary ENGIE IR Holdings
18 LLC, acquired Infinity's Iron Star Wind Project, LLC, which was the entity owner of the
19 Iron Star Wind Project.

20 **Q. Did ENA's purchase of Iron Star Wind Project, LLC change any of the terms or
21 conditions of the MJMEUC PPA?**

22 A. No, it did not. Nothing with regard to the MJMEUC PPA has changed. As of December
23 8, 2017, MJMEUC has designated 136MW of wind energy from the Iron Star Wind

1 Project for the benefit of MJMEUC's member utilities via the Grain Belt Express.

2 Additionally, all other terms and conditions of the contract remain intact.


3 **Q. Does this complete your testimony?**

4 **A. Yes.**

AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
) ss
COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA)

I, Matt Riley, upon oath first duly sworn, state that I am the Senior Vice President, and Head of U.S. Wind for ENGIE North America Inc. (ENA), that I am authorized to make this Affidavit on behalf of ENA, that I have prepared the foregoing *Supplemental Direct Testimony*, and that the statements contained therein are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.



Matt Riley
Senior Vice President & Head of U.S. Wind
ENGIE North America Inc.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of November, 2018.

see attached

Notary Public

My appointment expires: _____

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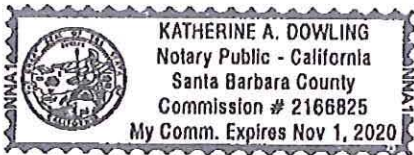
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Subscribed and sworn to (or affirmed) before me
 on this 8th day of November, 2018
 by Date Month Year

(1) Matt T. Riley

(and (2) _____),
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proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence
 to be the person(s) who appeared before me.



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