## STATE OF MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

At a session of the Public Service Commission held at its office in Jefferson City on the 23rd day of November, 2009.

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In the matter of KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations Company for Authority to File Tariffs Changing the Steam Quarterly Cost Adjustment for Service Provided to Customers in Its Service Territory.

Case No. HR-2010-0028 Tariff No. YH-2010-0338

## ORDER GRANTING MOTION FOR EXPEDITED TREATMENT AND APPROVING INTERIM RATES

Issue Date: November 23, 2009

Effective Date: December 1, 2009

On October 15, 2009, KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations Company (KCP&L-GMO) filed steam service tariff sheets for the third quarter of 2009, providing the current Quarterly Cost Adjustment (QCA) for service provided to steam customers in the company's St. Joseph, Missouri, and environs service territory. The tariff sheets, Tariff No. YH-2010-0283, were filed pursuant to the terms of the Stipulation and Agreement approved by the Commission in Case No. HR-2005-0450, as modified or amended in Case No. HR-2009-0092, and bore an effective date of December 1, 2009. On October 21, 2009, the Commission published notice of the filing and set procedural deadlines, including dates for intervention and for the Commission Staff's recommendation.

On November 12, 2009, KCP&L-GMO withdrew Tariff No. YH-2010-0283 and filed corrected tariff sheets, assigned Tariff No. YH-2010-0338. The corrected tariff bears an effective date of December 12, 2009; however, KCP&L-GMO filed a motion requesting expedited treatment to allow the tariff sheets to go into effect on December 1, 2009. The

Commission issued an order setting a deadline of 12:00 p.m. on November 18, 2009, for responses to KCP&L-GMO's Motion for Expedited Treatment. No responses were filed.

Staff filed its recommendation on November 13, 2009. Staff is of the opinion that Tariff No. YH-2010-0338, the QCA for the third quarter of 2009, has been calculated in accordance with KCP&L-GMO's tariff and complies with the Commission's orders in HR-2005-0450 and HR-2009-0092. Staff recommends the Commission issue an order approving the proposed tariff sheets to be effective December 1, 2009, as requested by the Company, for good cause shown.

The Commission has reviewed Tariff No. YH-2010-0338 and Staff's Recommendation. The Commission finds that the tariff sheets conform to the Company's QCA tariff and are reasonable. In addition, because the tariff sheets have been on file at the Commission in one form or another for more than 30 days and were withdrawn because of discussions with Staff, the Commission finds good cause pursuant to Section 393.140(11), RSMo 2000, to approve the tariff sheets with an effective date of December 1, 2009, on an interim basis, subject to refund.

## THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations Company's Motion for Expedited Treatment is granted.

2. Tariff No. YH-2010-0338, submitted on November 12, 2009, is approved subject to refund pursuant to the terms of the Stipulation and Agreement approved in File No. HR-2005-0450, as modified or amended in Case No. HR-2009-0092, for steam service rendered on or after December 1, 2009. The tariff sheets approved are:

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3rd Revised Sheet No. 1, Canceling 2nd Revised Sheet No. 1 2nd Revised Sheet No. 6.1, Canceling 1st Revised Sheet No. 6.1 3rd Revised Sheet No. 6.2, Canceling 2nd Revised Sheet No. 6.2 2nd Revised Sheet No. 6.3, Canceling 1st Revised Sheet No. 6.3 1st Revised Sheet No. 6.4, Canceling Original Sheet No. 6.4 14th Revised Sheet No. 6.5, Canceling 13th Revised Sheet No. 6.5 1st Revised Sheet No. 6.6, Canceling Original Sheet No. 6.6 1st Revised Sheet No. 6.10, Canceling Original Sheet No. 6.10

3. This order shall become effective on December 1, 2009.

## **BY THE COMMISSION**

Steven C. Reed Secretary

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Clayton, Chm., Davis, Jarrett, Gunn, and Kenney, CC., concur.

Dippell, Deputy Chief Regulatory Law Judge