BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of Veolia Energy Kansas City, Inc.)	Case No. HR-2014-0066
for Authority to File Tariffs to Increase Rates)	

MOTION TO MODIFY PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE BY EXTENDING THE FILING DATE FOR SURREBUTTAL TESTIMONY TO JUNE 27, 2014

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission and, moves the Commission extend the date for the filing of surrebuttal testimony to June 27, 2014. In support thereof, Staff states the following:

- 1. In its January 16, 2014, *Order Setting Procedural Schedule, Establishing Test Year And Guidelines For Discovery* ("Order"), the Commission set June 18, 2014 for all parties to file surrebuttal testimony, which is 14 days after the filing of rebuttal testimony.
- 2. The parties had originally proposed a surrebuttal filing date of July 3, 2014 and evidentiary hearing dates of July 15-18. Due to external scheduling issues, the Commission's Order set the hearing dates to July 8-11, 2014, and advanced surrebuttal filing to June 18th.
- 3. With respect to the ordered hearing dates of July 8-11, the Staff believes that an extension of the surrebuttal filing date to June 27th would allow the parties additional time for discussing and narrowing the issues and for preparation of surrebuttal testimony. Accordingly, the Staff respectfully requests the surrebuttal filing date be extended an additional nine (9) days to June 27, 2014.
- 4. Staff counsel has discussed this matter with counsel for the parties and is authorized to represent that no party opposes this motion.

WHEREFORE, for the above stated reasons, the Staff prays the Commission will accept its motion and reset the filing date for surrebuttal testimony to June 27, 2014.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed, hand-delivered, transmitted by facsimile or electronically mailed to all counsel of record this 27th day of February, 2014.

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