

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Joint Application of Aquila, Inc.,)
d/b/a Aquila Networks – MPS and Aquila Networks –)
L&P (“Aquila”), The Empire District Gas Company)
 (“EDG”) and The Empire District Electric Company)
 (“EDE”) for an Order Authorizing the Sale, Transfer)
 and Assignment of Certain Assets and Liabilities from)
 Aquila to EDG and in Connection Therewith Certain)
 Other Related Transactions.)

Case No. GO-2006-0205

NOTICE OF INTERVENTIONS

Issue Date: December 7, 2005

Pittsburgh Corning Corporation, Cornerstone Energy, Inc., and Crane Plumbing, L.L.C. each filed applications to intervene in this matter. A prehearing conference was held on December 7, 2005, at which Aquila and The Empire District Gas and Electric companies stated that they had no objections to the applications to intervene. The Empire District companies did, however, note that Crane Plumbing’s attorney, James Zakoura, is not an attorney licensed to practice in Missouri nor has he filed a motion to appear *pro hac vice* according to the rules of the Missouri Supreme Court.

Pittsburgh Corning and Cornerstone Energy’s applications to intervene were granted on the record. However, because Crane Plumbing has not complied with the Missouri

Supreme Court rules regarding attorneys not licensed to practice in Missouri, the Commission did not rule on the company's application.

BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Colleen M. Dale', written in a cursive style.

Colleen M. Dale
Secretary

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Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 7th day of December, 2005.

Jones, Regulatory Law Judge