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The Honorable Eric S. Schmitt  
Missouri Senate, 15<sup>th</sup> District  
State Capitol, Room 320  
Jefferson City, MO 65101

Re: *Order Opening an Investigation to Address Legislative Concerns Regarding Proposals to Modify Ratemaking Procedures for Electric Utilities and Establishing a Procedural Schedule*, File No. EW-2013-0425

Dear Senator Schmitt:

Thank you again for your March 15, 2013 letter in which you asked the Missouri Public Service Commission to respond to certain issues related to Senate Bill 207. The PSC Staff response is attached.

The Staff response to your letter answers the specific areas of inquiry you outlined. It also summarizes the various comments received in the docket. I would encourage you and your colleagues to view the full comments that are publicly available through our Electronic Filing and Information System (EFIS), which can be found on our website at [www.psc.mo.gov](http://www.psc.mo.gov).

Nothing in this response should be construed or portrayed as the Commission taking a position on any provisions of Senate Bill 207, House Bill 398, or any of their substitutes and/or amendments.

The Honorable Eric S. Schmitt  
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Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Robert S. Kenney". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized "R" and "K".

Robert S. Kenney  
Chairman

Enclosure

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