BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

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In the Matter of the Application of Great Plains Energy Incorporated for Approval of its Acquisition of Westar Energy, Inc.

File No. EM-2017-0226, et al.

LIST AND ORDER OF WITNESSES AND ORDER OF CROSS-EXAMINATION

COME NOW Great Plains Energy Incorporated ("GPE"), Kansas City Power & Light Company ("KCP&L") and KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations Company ("GMO"), the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Staff"), The Office of the Public Counsel ("OPC"), City of Independence, Missouri, ("Independence"), the Kansas Electric Power Cooperative, Inc. ("KEPCo"), and the Missouri Joint Municipal Electric Utility Commission ("MJMEUC") and hereby offers their List and Order of Witnesses and Order of Cross-Examination.

In preparing this List and Order of Witnesses and Order of Cross-Examination Great Plains Energy Incorporated ("GPE"), Kansas City Power & Light Company ("KCP&L") and KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations Company ("GMO") have solicited input from the parties and attempted to obtain consensus on the witnesses and the order of opening statements, order of witnesses and order of cross-examination. To the extent errors in listed witnesses are discovered, the Commission will be advised as soon as possible.

The parties are:

Great Plains Energy Incorporated ("GPE") Kansas City Power & Light Company ("KCP&L") KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations Company ("GMO") Missouri Public Service Commission Staff ("Staff") Office of the Public Counsel ("OPC") Brightergy, LLC ("Brightergy") City of Independence, Missouri ("Independence") Consumers Council of Missouri ("CCM") IBEW Local Union 1464 ("IBEW 1464") IBEW Local Union 1613 ("IBEW 1613") IBEW Local Union 412 ("IBEW 412") Kansas Electric Power Cooperative, Inc. ("KEPCo") Laborers' International Union of North America ("LiUNA") Missouri Industrial Energy Consumers ("MIEC") Missouri Joint Municipal Electric Utility Commission ("MJMEUC") Renew Missouri ("Renew Missouri") Sierra Club ("Sierra Club") United States Department of Energy ("DOE")

LIST OF ISSUES:

- I. Should the Commission find that GPE's acquisition of Westar is not detrimental to the public interest, and approve the transaction?
- II. Should the Commission condition its approval of GPE's acquisition of Westar and, if so, how?
- III. Should the Commission address matters such as transmission and power supply services and, if so, how?
- IV. Should the Commission grant the limited request for variance of the affiliate transaction rule requested by GPE, KCP&L and GMO?
- V. Should the Commission condition its approval of GPE's limited request for variance of the affiliate transaction rule requested by GPE, KCP&L and GMO and if so, how?

OPENING STATEMENTS:

- GPE/KCP&L/GMO
- Staff
- OPC
- Brightergy
- Independence
- CCM
- IBEW 1464/IBEW 1613/IBEW 412
- KEPCo
- LiUNA
- MIEC
- MJMEUC
- Renew Missouri
- Sierra Club
- DOE

ORDER OF WITNESSES:

GPE/KCP&L/GMO

- Terry Bassham
- Kevin Bryant
- Lisa Quilici
- Darrin Ives
- Bill Kemp
- Steve Busser
- Melissa Hardesty
- Kevin Noblet
- Chuck Caisley

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- Natelle Dietrich
- Lisa Kremer
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- Bob Schallenberg
- David Murray

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• Geoff Marke

INDEPENDENCE

• Joseph Herz

ORDER OF CROSS-EXAMINATION:

- GPE, KCP&L and GMO witnesses Staff, OPC, IBEW 1464/IBEW 1613/IBEW 412, Brightergy, CCM, LiUNA, Renew Missouri, Sierra Club, DOE, MIEC, MJMEUC, KEPCo, Independence
- Staff witnesses

GPE/KCP&L/GMO, OPC, IBEW 1464/IBEW 1613/IBEW 412, Brightergy, CCM, LiUNA, Renew Missouri, Sierra Club, DOE, MIEC, MJMEUC, KEPCo, Independence

• OPC witness

GPE/KCP&L/GMO, Staff, IBEW 1464/IBEW 1613/IBEW 412, Brightergy, CCM, LiUNA, Renew Missouri, Sierra Club, DOE, MIEC, MJMEUC, KEPCo, Independence

• Independence witness

KEPCo, MJMEUC, MIEC, DOE, Sierra Club, Renew Missouri, CCM, LiUNA, IBEW 1464/IBEW 1613/IBEW 412, OPC, Staff, GPE/KCP&L/GMO

WHEREFORE, the parties submit their List and Order of Witnesses and Order of Cross-

Examination.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing document was served upon all counsel of record on this 29th day of March 2017, by either e-mail or U.S. Mail, postage prepaid.

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