February 2, 2012

Robert Boone and Administrative Division Missouri Public Service Commission P.O. Box 360 Jefferson City, MO 65102-0360

RE: Request for information from Commissioner Kenney per Robert Boone

Dear Mr. Boone:

The Missouri Energy Development Association (MEDA) Supplier Diversity Task Force is sending the following documentation to keep you informed of our ongoing efforts to support and advance each company's supplier diversity programs. This task force, established by MEDA, is comprised of representatives from Ameren Missouri, KCP&L, Laclede Gas Company, Missouri American Water Company, Missouri Gas Energy and The Empire District Electric Company. The MEDA Supplier Diversity Task Force meets quarterly to advance its strategic planning initiatives (outlined in the attached document) and share supplier diversity best practices.

Please contact me at 573-634-8678 if you require any additional information.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure:

MEDA Supplier Diversity Task Force Documentation