## BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

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In the Matter of the Application of Kansas City Power & Light Company and KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations Company Regarding Arrangements for the Construction of Certain Transmission Projects.

Case No. EA-2012-\_\_\_\_

## NOTICE OF INTENDED CASE FILING

Kansas City Power & Light Company ("KCP&L") and KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations Company ("GMO") (collectively referred to as the "Companies") state the following to the Commission:

1. KCP&L is a Missouri corporation with its principal office and place of business at 1200 Main Street, Kansas City, Missouri 64105. KCP&L is primarily engaged in the business of generating, transmitting, distributing, and selling electric energy to the public in portions of eastern Kansas and western Missouri. KCP&L is an electrical corporation and a public utility, as defined in Section 386.020, Mo. Rev. Stat. (2000).<sup>1</sup> KCP&L provided its Certificate of Good Standing in Case No. EF-2002-315 which is incorporated herein by reference in accord with 4 CSR 240-2.060(1)(G).

2. GMO is a Delaware corporation with its principal office and place of business at 1200 Main Street, Kansas City, Missouri 64105. GMO is primarily engaged in the business of generating, transmitting, distributing, and selling electric energy and providing steam utility service to the public in portions of western Missouri. GMO is an electrical corporation and a public utility, as defined in Section 386.020. A Certificate of Authority for a foreign corporation to do business in the State of Missouri, evidencing GMO's authority under the law to conduct

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> All statutory references are to the Missouri Revised Statutes (2000), as amended.

business in Missouri, was filed with the Commission in Case No. EU-2002-1053 and is incorporated herein by reference in accord with 4 CSR 240-2.060(1)(G).

3. Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-4.020(2) provides, in pertinent part, as follows:

Any regulated entity that intends to file a case likely to be a contested case shall file a notice with the secretary of the commission a minimum of sixty (60) days prior to filing such case. Such notice shall detail the type of case and issues likely to be before the commission.

4. Without waiving their right to request that the Commission disclaim jurisdiction over certain matters and issues related to this proceeding, KCP&L and GMO state that they intend to file a joint application regarding their rights and responsibilities to construct certain regionally-funded high-voltage transmission projects which have been approved by Southwest Power Pool, Inc. ("SPP"), and the anticipated designation of Transource Energy, LLC or a subsidiary thereof to construct such projects.

5. The Companies intend to submit such an application within the next sixty days or thereafter. Because the Companies do not know whether this matter will become a "contested case" within the meaning of Section 536.010(4), as referenced in 4 CSR 240-4.020(1)(C), they are filing this notice out of an abundance of caution. KCP&L and GMO believe that issues likely to come before the Commission in this proceeding will relate to the rights and responsibilities of the Companies with regard to certain SPP-approved regional transmission projects, the plans of the Companies to discharge their obligations to construct those projects, the designation of a third party under Attachment O of SPP's Open Access Transmission Tariff to construct the projects, and the Commission's Affiliate Transactions Rule.

WHEREFORE, Kansas City Power & Light Company and KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations Company submit this Notice of Intended Case Filing to the Commission and to the Secretary of the Commission.

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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 the parties listed below on this 8<sup>th</sup> day of May 2012, by either e-mail or U.S. Mail, postage prepaid.

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