



Secretary of the Commission
Missouri Public Service Commission
P.O. Box 360
Jefferson City, MO 65102

RE: Vicinity Energy Kansas City, Inc.
Request for Staff Review of Operating Revenues
MO PSC Staff Assisted Rate Case Procedure

Dear Secretary:

Pursuant to 20 CSR 4240-10.075, the Missouri Public Service Commission's ("Commission") currently effective rule concerning Staff assistance to qualifying small utilities, Vicinity Energy Kansas City, Inc. ("Vicinity" or "Company") hereby requests Staff review of its district steam operating revenues and results of operations.

Vicinity makes this request because its Tariff on file with the Commission, specifically Section II.C of its Production Adjustment Cost Clause Rider, Tariff Sheet 35, requires the Company to file a general rate case no less than every four years. In an effort to constrain utility costs ultimately borne by customers, the Company is initiating this Staff Assisted Rate Case to fulfill that requirement.

Please be advised that the Company is current on the payment of its Commission annual assessments and the submission of its annual reports and other monitoring requirements. Although we are not seeking an increase at this time, because the Staff Assisted Rate Case rule requires the Company to state the overall revenue increase sought, Vicinity requests an increase of no more than \$1.00 for non-fuel related expenses. This potential limited increase specifically excludes any adjustments related to prior or future PACC adjustments.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Scott Stordahl", with a stylized flourish at the end.

Scott Stordahl