

accrual, as established in the aforementioned case, is \$2,303,856 (Missouri jurisdictional amount).

The accrual schedule in case number EO-94-80 (1993 Accrual Schedule) projected that the \$370 million decommissioning cost estimate would escalate to approximately \$482 million in 1999 dollars. The 1999 Study shows that the current decommissioning cost estimate is \$470 million in 1999 dollars. KCPL states that this amount is reasonably close to the 1999 decommissioning cost projection as set forth in the 1993 Accrual Schedule. Thus, KCPL believes that it is reasonable and prudent to continue the annual accruals at the current level of \$2,303,856.

KCPL therefore requests that the Commission issue an order: (a) finding that the 1999 Study satisfies the requirements of Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-20.070(9); (b) approving the 1999 decommissioning cost estimate of \$470,000,000; (c) approving the continuation of the annual accrual at the current level of \$2,303,856; and (d) finding that the decommissioning costs are included in KCPL's current cost of service and are reflected in current rates for ratemaking purposes.

Proper parties should be given notice and an opportunity to intervene in this matter. The Records Department of the Commission shall send a copy of this order to the mayor of Kansas City, Missouri, and to the county commissions of KCPL's service area in Missouri. The Information Office of the Commission shall send notice to the members of the General Assembly who represent the aforesaid counties, and to the

newspapers, as listed in the newspaper directory of the current **Official Manual of the State of Missouri**, that serve the aforesaid counties.

Anyone wishing to intervene must submit an application to intervene to:

Secretary of the Missouri Public Service Commission
P.O. Box 360,
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102-0360

Copies of the application to intervene should be sent to:

William G. Riggins, Esq.
Gerald A. Reynolds, Esq.
Attorneys at Law
Kansas City Power & Light Company
1201 Walnut Street
Kansas City, Missouri 64106

and

Office of Public Counsel
P.O. Box 7800
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102-7800

In the event that no proper person or entity files an application to intervene, and neither the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission nor the Office of the Public Counsel requests a hearing, the Commission may allow the applicants to submit evidence by verified application and attachments.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

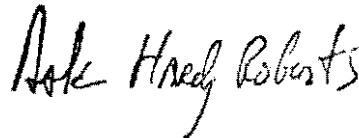
1. That Records Department of the Missouri Public Service Commission shall give notice as set forth herein.
2. That the Information Office of the Missouri Public Service Commission shall give notice as set forth herein.

3. That any interested party wishing to intervene in this case shall file an application to do so no later than September 27, 1999. Such an application shall be filed with the Secretary of the Missouri Public Service Commission and copies shall be served upon the representatives of Kansas City Power & Light and the Office of the Public Counsel as set forth above.

4. That Kansas City Power & Light Company, the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission, the Office of the Public Counsel, and any other additional parties granted intervention or participation may file either a proposed procedural schedule or a stipulation and agreement no later than 3:00 p.m. on October 7, 1999.

5. That this order shall become effective September 17, 1999.

BY THE COMMISSION



Dale H. Roberts
Chief Regulatory Law Judge/Secretary

(S E A L)

Bill Hopkins, Senior Regulatory Law Judge,
by delegation of authority pursuant to
4 CSR 240-2.120(1) (November 30, 1995)
and Section 386.240, RSMo 1994.

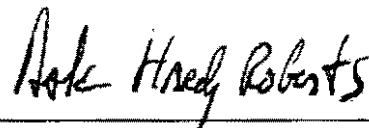
Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 7th day of September, 1999.

**STATE OF MISSOURI
OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

**I have compared the preceding copy with the original on file in this office and
I do hereby certify the same to be a true copy therefrom and the whole thereof.**

**WITNESS my hand and seal of the Public Service Commission, at Jefferson
City,**

Missouri, this 7TH day of SEPTEMBER, 1999.



**Dale Hardy Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge**