BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

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In the Matter of Missouri Gas Energy's Tariffs Increasing Rates for Gas Service Provided to Customers in the Company's Missouri Service Area.

Case No. GR-2006-0422

RESPONSE TO APPLICATION FOR INTERVENTION

COMES NOW Trigen-Kansas City Energy Corporation ("Trigen"), through the undersigned counsel, and respectfully states as follows:

Trigen filed its Application for Intervention in this case on May 31, 2006.
On June 1, 2006, Midwest Gas Users' Association ("MGUA") filed its application for intervention. Appendix A attached to the application of MGUA contains a list which includes Trigen, albeit under a prior name.

2. Given that MGUA's Appendix A lists Trigen under a prior name, Trigen felt compelled to file this pleading indicating that it is not joining with MGUA for purposes of this case. As stated in Trigen's Application for Intervention, given Trigen's unique situation as both a competitor and customer of MGE, its interest in this proceeding cannot be adequately represented by any other party to this proceeding. Trigen takes no position regarding MGUA's application for intervention.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned certifies that a true copy of the foregoing was sent to counsel of record by depositing same in the U.S. Mail first class postage paid, by hand-delivery, or by electronic transmission, this 2nd day of June, 2006.

/s/ Jeffrey A. Keevil