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2) The projected exhaust dates of the new 314 NPA and the two new NPAs if the current 314 NPA is split into three areas, with one dividing line running roughly along the St. Louis County political boundary as described in the preceding paragraph, and

a second dividing line running westward from that line along the Missouri River.

The Commission will order the Office of Public Counsel (OPC) to develop this information using the Lockheed Martin NPA exhaust forecast model used to create late-filed Exhibit 32. OPC should assume that either split would take place on March 1, 1999. OPC should provide this information twice: a) once using the number conservation assumptions used to create late-filed Exhibit 32 and 2) once based on the assumption that no number conservation measures would be undertaken over the life of the NPAs concerned. If the boundary described in paragraph 1, above, should include other zone 3 exchanges besides the four exchanges listed, OPC shall identify the other exchanges included and explain the rationale for including them.

OPC shall file the information described above in the form of a pleading and shall serve copies on all parties. The Commission will permit any party to respond after the information is filed by OPC.

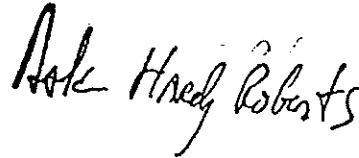
**THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED:**

1. That the Office of Public Counsel is ordered to supply the information described in this order no later than June 1, 1998.

2. That the parties shall be permitted to respond to the information to be provided by the Office of the Public Counsel no later than June 8, 1998.

3. That this order shall be effective on May 22, 1998.

BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Dale Hardy Roberts". The signature is written in a cursive, somewhat stylized script.

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

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Amy E. Randles, 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 22nd day of May, 1998.