

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

In the Matter of the Application of Grain Belt Express)
Clean Line LLC for a Certificate of Convenience and)
Necessity Authorizing it to Construct, Own, Operate,) **File No. EA-2016-0358**
Control, Manage and Maintain a High Voltage, Direct)
Current Transmission Line and an Associated Converter)
Station Providing an Interconnection on the Maywood -)
Montgomery 345kV Transmission Line)

**ORDER GRANTING REQUEST TO BE EXCUSED FROM
EVIDENTIARY HEARING**

Issue Date: March 17, 2017

Effective Date: March 17, 2017

On March 17, 2017, Natural Resources Defense Council and Sierra Club filed a request to be excused from the evidentiary hearing except on March 23, 2017. The Commission will grant that request.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. Natural Resources Defense Council and Sierra Club's request to be excused from the evidentiary hearing except on March 23, 2017 is granted.
2. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Morris L. Woodruff".

Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

Michael Bushmann, Senior Regulatory
Law Judge, by delegation of authority
pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 17th day of March, 2017.

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 17th day of March 2017.




Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

March 17, 2017

File/Case No. EA-2016-0358

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Enclosed find a certified copy of an Order or Notice issued in the above-referenced matter(s).

Sincerely,



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