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ORDER GRANTING INTERVENTION

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to intervene.

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currently available to identify individual issues that may arise in this case that may affect UE's interests. Consequently, UE reserves its right to take a position and participate with regard to any matter or issue arising in this case that may affect UE's interests.

Energy states that it has an interest in the Commission's decision in this case because the development of energy policies granted to The Department of Natural Resources by Section 640.150, RSMo 1994 has been assigned to Energy. This interest, Energy argues, is different from that of the general public and cannot be represented adequately by any other party to the proceeding. Energy also argues it is entitled to intervention pursuant to 4 CSR 240-2.075(4)(B) because it is a political subdivision. Energy states that it has not come to a conclusion as to whether it supports or opposes this proposed tariff.

KCPL states that it has an interest in the Commission's decision in this case because its Missouri service territory is contiguous with Company's service territory to a significant degree and, to a limited extent, KCPL and Company compete for electric customers. Furthermore, KCPL argues that its interest in these proceedings is different from that of the general public and cannot be represented adequately by any other party to this proceeding. KCPL states that there is insufficient information available to evaluate the issues in Company's tariff filing that may affect KCPL's interests. Consequently, KCPL reserves its rights to take a position and participate with regard to any matter or issue arising from Company's tariff filing that may affect KCPL's interests.

The Commission has reviewed the applications and finds that they are in substantial compliance with Commission rules regarding intervention and that the intervenors have interests in this matter that are different from those of the general public. The Commission concludes that the requests for intervention should be granted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That Union Electric Company, d/b/a AmerenUE, The Missouri Department of Natural Resources, Division of Energy, and Kansas City Power & Light Company are granted intervention in this case in accordance with 4 CSR 240-2.075(4).

2. That this order shall become effective on January 14, 1999.

BY THE COMMISSION



Dale Hardy Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

(S E A L)

Bill Hopkins, 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 14th day of January, 1999.

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