

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

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| In the Matter of the Application of |) | |
| Trigen-Kansas City Energy Corporation |) | |
| For a Certificate of Public Convenience |) | |
| And Necessity authorizing it to Construct, |) | Case No. HA-2006-0294 |
| Install, Own, Operate, Control, Manage and |) | |
| Maintain a Steam Heat Distribution System |) | |
| To provide Steam Heat Service in |) | |
| Kansas City, Missouri, as an Expansion |) | |
| Of its Existing Certificated Area. |) | |

REQUEST FOR LEAVE TO WITHDRAW AS COUNSEL

COME NOW Charles Brent Stewart and Jeffrey Allen Keevil, of the law firm of Stewart & Keevil, L.L.C. and as initial counsel of record for Applicant Trigen-Kansas City Energy Corporation ("Trigen") in this proceeding, and pursuant to 4 CSR 240-2.040(6) and 4 CSR 240-2.080, for its *Request For Leave To Withdraw As Counsel* respectfully state as follows:

1. 4 CSR 240-2.040(6) states that "[a]fter an attorney has entered an appearance for any party, the attorney may withdraw only by leave of the Commission".
2. Our law firm has closed and we no longer represent Trigen.
3. Trigen has retained new counsel for purposes of this proceeding, as evidenced by the *Entry of Appearance* filed on October 12, 2009 by Diana Vuylsteke of the law firm of Bryan Cave LLP.
4. As of September 30, 2009 our law firm is no longer receiving mail at our office mailing address. With the exception of a copy of the Commission's decision on this request which should be sent by electronic transmission to the two email addresses with a hard copy mailed to the temporary mailing address below, all future orders, notices and other correspondence in this proceeding should be sent to Ms. Vuylsteke and we and our law firm should be removed from the service list.

WHEREFORE, we respectfully request that the Commission grant this leave to withdraw as counsel for Trigen and thereafter remove us from the service list in this proceeding.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Charles Brent Stewart, MoBar 34885

/s/ Jeffrey Allen Keevil, MoBar 33825

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a true and correct copy of the foregoing document has been sent by electronic transmission on October 19, 2009 to all counsel of record in Case No. HA-2006-0294.

/s/ Charles Brent Stewart