

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

Rhonda Wesley,)	
)	
Complainant,)	
)	
v.)	<u>Case No. EC-2005-0245</u>
)	
Kansas City Power & Light,)	
)	
Respondent.)	

**ORDER DIRECTING COMPLAINANT TO SHOW CAUSE WHY HER
COMPLAINT SHOULD NOT BE DISMISSED**

Issue Date: July 28, 2005

Effective Date: July 28, 2005

Rhonda Wesley, a customer of Kansas City Power & Light (KCPL), filed a complaint against that company on January 27, 2005. KCPL filed a timely answer to that complaint on February 28. Following an initial prehearing conference on April 18, the Commission allowed time for its Staff to complete an investigation of the circumstances of the complaint, and for the complainant to conduct additional discovery. A second prehearing conference was scheduled for July 20, beginning at 10:00 a.m.

The prehearing conference convened on July 20, at the scheduled time. KCPL and the Commission's Staff appeared for the conference by their counsel. The complainant did not appear in person and did not make arrangements to appear by telephone. When the

complainant failed to appear for the conference, KCPL made an oral motion to dismiss the complaint for the complainant's failure to appear.

The Commission will not dismiss the complaint without giving the complainant an opportunity to explain her failure to attend the prehearing conference. Therefore, Ms. Wesley will be ordered to file a pleading showing cause why her complaint should not be dismissed.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That Rhonda Wesley shall file a pleading, not later than August 8, 2005, showing cause why her complaint against Kansas City Power & Light should not be dismissed.
2. That this order shall become effective on July 28, 2005.

BY THE COMMISSION



Colleen M. Dale
Secretary

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Morris L. Woodruff, Senior Regulatory
Law Judge, by delegation of authority
pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 28th day of July, 2005.