

**STATE OF MISSOURI
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

At a session of the Public Service
Commission held at its office
in Jefferson City on the 14th
day of March, 2012.

Eddie Shepherd,)	
)	
Complainant,)	
)	
v.)	File No. EC-2011-0373
)	
KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations Company,)	
)	
Respondent.)	

**ORDER ADOPTING RECOMMENDED ORDER GRANTING
SUMMARY DETERMINATION AND FINAL DECISION**

Issue Date: March 14, 2012

Effective Date: April 6, 2012¹

The Missouri Public Service Commission is adopting the *Recommended Order Granting Summary Determination and Final Decision*² ("recommendation") based on the existing record and without further hearing.

The Commission's regulatory law judge issued the recommendation by delegation of authority.³ Upon such issuance, the Commission's regulations allow the following: comments on the recommendation, a Commission hearing, and a separate order of the Commission, adoption of the recommendation based on the existing record and without further hearing.

Any party subject to a recommended order disposing of the
case or a recommended report and order issued by a

¹ The Commission has provided an effective date other than 30 days to coincide with the proposed effective date of the *Recommended Order Granting Summary Determination and Final Decision*.

² Issued on February 22, 2012.

³ 4 CSR 240-2.070(14)(C).

regulatory law judge under this section may file with the commission, within ten (10) days of the issuance of the recommended order, comments supporting or opposing the recommended order. Any comments opposing the recommended order shall contain specific detailed grounds upon which it claims the order is unlawful, unjust, or unreasonable. The commission may approve or reject the recommended order based on the existing record without further hearing. If the commission rejects the recommended order, the commission shall issue its own order based on the evidence previously submitted, or upon such additional evidence, as the commission shall choose to receive.[⁴]

The Commission received no comments. Upon review of the record,⁵ the Commission independently determines the complaint as set forth in the recommendation, and will adopt the recommendation based on the existing record and without further hearing.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The *Recommended Order Granting Summary Determination and Final Decision* is adopted based on the existing record without further hearing.
2. This order is effective on April 6, 2012.

(S E A L)

BY THE COMMISSION



Steven C. Reed
Secretary

Gunn, Chm., Jarrett and Kenney, CC., concur.

Jordan, Senior Regulatory Law Judge

⁴ 4 CSR 240-2.070(14)(H).

⁵ As Section 536.080.2, RSMo 2000, provides.