

# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Notice of Name Change from	)	
St. John's Mercy Health System d/b/a St. John's	)	
Mercy Hospital to Mercy Hospitals East Communities	)	<b><u>File No. ZN-2012-0256</u></b>
d/b/a Mercy Hospital Washington and the Name	)	
Change from St. John's Mercy Medical Center	)	
to Mercy Hospital St. John's	)	

## ORDER RECOGNIZING NAME CHANGE

Issue Date: February 27, 2012

Effective Date: March 8, 2012

On January 20, 2012, Mercy Health ministry requested in a letter that the Missouri Public Service Commission (“Commission”) recognize the name change of its affiliate organizations to Mercy Hospitals East Communities. Those organizations, St. John’s Mercy Health System, St. John’s Mercy Medical Center, and St. John’s Mercy Hospital, are entities that are certificated with the Commission as Shared Tenant Services (“STS”) providers. STS providers are not required to file tariffs, so no tariff is required to effectuate the name change.<sup>1</sup>

When Staff of the Commission contacted Mercy Health to clarify the information in its letter, Mercy Health informed Staff that the letter contained incorrect information. On February 14, 2012, Mercy Health provided Staff with corrected information concerning the name changes. On February 15, 2012, Staff filed a recommendation that the name changes, as amended, be approved. No entity intervened or opposed the name changes, and no party opposed Staff’s recommendation within ten days of its filing. Consequently, the Commission will recognize the requested name changes.

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<sup>1</sup> Section 392.520.1, RSMo Supp. 2010.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. The Commission recognizes the name change of St. John's Mercy Health System to Mercy Hospitals East Communities.
2. The Commission recognizes the name change of St. John's Mercy Medical Center to Mercy Hospitals East Communities d/b/a Mercy Hospital St. Louis.
3. The Commission recognizes the name change of St. John's Mercy Hospital to Mercy Hospitals East Communities d/b/a Mercy Hospital Washington.
4. This order shall become effective on March 8, 2012.
5. This file may be closed on March 9, 2012.

**BY THE COMMISSION**



Steven C. Reed  
Secretary

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

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 27th day of February, 2012.