

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of)
South Central MCN, LLC, for)
Approval of Transfer of Assets and a)
Certificate of Convenience and Necessity)

File No. EA-2016-0036

ORDER REQUIRING FILING OF RECOMMENDATION AND RESPONSES

Issue Date: May 3, 2016

Effective Date: May 3, 2016

The Missouri Public Service Commission is requiring the filing of pleadings to address the:

- *Application's*¹ request for a certificate of convenience and necessity (“CCN”);
- *Joint Motion for Commission Approval of Settlement Agreement*² (“motion for approval”), and
- *Waiver of Hearing and Motion to Withdraw Motion for Summary Disposition*³ (“motion to withdraw”).

The motion to withdraw concisely explains the motion for approval.

The motion for approval seeks an order under which the settlement agreement’s terms shall constitute “a condition to any [CCN] granted by the Commission in this proceeding[. ⁴]” This proceeding’s sole remaining subject matter⁵ is South Central MCN,

¹ Electronic Filing Information System (“EFIS”) No. 1 (August 19, 2015).

² EFIS No. 66 (May 2, 2016).

³ EFIS No. 68 (May 3, 2016).

⁴ EFIS No. 68 (May 3, 2016) *Waiver of Hearing and Motion to Withdraw Motion for Summary Disposition*, page 2, paragraph 7.

⁵ EFIS No. 55 (February 10, 2016) *Order Granting Motion For Partial Disposition*.

LLC's request for a CCN to transmit electricity for gain. Staff has addressed the Commission's authority over, but not the merits of, that request.

Therefore, the Commission will order responsive filings as follows.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

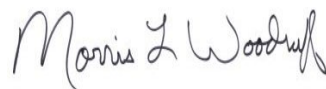
1. No later than June 2, 2016, the Commission's staff ("Staff") and the Office of the Public Counsel shall each file responses to the:

- a. *Application's* request for, and any proposed conditions on, a certificate of convenience and necessity;
- b. *Joint Motion for Commission Approval of Settlement Agreement*, and
- c. *Waiver of Hearing and Motion to Withdraw Motion for Summary Disposition*.

2. Staff's response under ordered paragraph 1.a shall consist of a recommendation on the merits.

3. This order shall be effective when issued.

BY THE COMMISSION



Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary



Daniel Jordan, Senior Regulatory Law Judge,
by delegation of authority pursuant
to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 3rd day of May, 2015.