BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

City of Kansas City, Missouri,)
The Planned Industrial Expansion Authority of Kansas City, Missouri,)
Boulevard Brewing Associates Limited Partnership, a Missouri limited partnership, d/b/a Boulevard Brewing Company,)))
Complainants,)
v.) <u>Case No. EC-2006-0332</u>
Kansas City Power & Light Company,)
Respondent.)

ORDER GRANTING MOTION FOR EXPEDITED TREATMENT AND SCHEDULING HEARING

Issue Date: February 22, 2006

Effective Date: March 2, 2006

On February 21, 2006, City of Kansas City, The Planned Industrial Expansion Authority of Kansas City, Missouri, and Boulevard Brewing Associates Limited Partnership, filed a complaint and a Motion for Expedited Treatment with the Missouri Public Service Commission against Kansas City Power & Light Company. In that motion, Complainants asked the Commission to schedule a hearing no later than the week of March 6-10, 2006. In further support of its motion, Complainants explain that they have tried to resolve this matter without the Commission's guidance and because their efforts have been fruitless, it was necessary to file this complaint now.

The Commission finds that Movant has satisfied the requirements of 4 CSR 240-2.080(16). The Commission further finds that the nature of this complaint requires expedient resolution and the Commission will act to that end.

The Commission has ordered KCPL to respond to the complaint within eight days of being notified thereof. The Commission will set this matter for a hearing on March 6-10, 2006.

The following procedures will apply to the hearing:

(A) The Commission will require all parties to pre-file exhibits electronically in the Electronic Filing & Information System or by direct service to the opposing party, by 5 pm, March 2, 2006. Direct testimony and the opportunity to cross-examine witnesses will be allowed at the hearing.

(B) The Commission will direct that the transcript be expedited and submitted within one business day of the hearing.

(C) Because of the expedited nature of the hearing, no post-trial briefs will be allowed. The Commission will allow the opportunity for closing arguments at the end of the hearing. The Commission reserves the right to request witness follow-up documents to address outstanding questions not resolved in the hearing.

(D) Each party shall file a list of the witnesses it expects to call and the order in which they will be called.

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(E) Each party is required to bring an adequate number of copies of exhibits that it intends to offer into evidence at the hearing. If an exhibit has been prefiled, and served on the other parties, only one copy of the exhibit is necessary for the court reporter. If an exhibit has not been prefiled, the party offering it shall bring, in addition to the copy for the court reporter, copies for the five Commissioners, the Presiding Judge, and all counsel.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. The Motion for Expedited Treatment filed by City of Kansas City, The Planned Industrial Expansion Authority of Kansas City, Missouri, and Boulevard Brewing Associates Limited Partnership, is granted.

2. A hearing shall be held on March 6-10, 2006, beginning at 10:00 a.m. at the Governor Office Building, 200 Madison Street, Room 310, Jefferson City, Missouri. This hearing will be held in a building that meets accessibility standards required by Americans with Disabilities Act. If you need additional accommodations to participate in the hearing, please call the Public Service Commission's Hotline at 1-800-392-4211 (voice) or Relay Missouri at 711 prior to the hearing.

3. The transcript will be expedited to be filed within one business day following the hearing.

4. Each party shall comply with the procedural requirements set out in the body of this order.

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5. This order shall become effective on March 2, 2006.

BY THE COMMISSION



Colleen M. Dale Secretary

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Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 22nd day of February, 2006.

Dale, Chief Regulatory Law Judge