

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

Patricia Sue Stinnett,	)	
	)	
Complainant,	)	
	)	
v.	)	<b><u>File No. EC-2020-0088</u></b>
	)	
Kansas City Power & Light Company,	)	
	)	
Respondent.	)	

**NOTICE OF EX PARTE CONTACT  
AND ORDER CONTINUING EVIDENTIARY HEARING**

Issue Date: March 23, 2020

Effective Date: March 23, 2020

On February 26, 2020,<sup>1</sup> this case was set for an evidentiary hearing on April 1, 2020. Because of the COVID19 virus, on March 23 the Commission issued its order that the parties should participate in the hearing only by telephone and not appear in person. On March 23, the Complainant (Ms. Stinnett) sent the following ex parte communication to Regulatory Law Judge Paul Graham:

“Dear Judge Graham,

Could this hearing please be postponed until all parties can meet. I will not be able to present my evidence sufficiently over the telephone.

I now live in Eminence, Missouri so a change is no hardship for me. It was changed twice due to weather and I personally do not see the reason for not changing it again.

Thank you and please take this into consideration.  
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<sup>1</sup> All date references will be to 2020 unless otherwise indicated.

The Commission will cancel the evidentiary hearing set for April 1 and continue the case.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. The evidentiary hearing scheduled for April 1, 2020, is cancelled.
2. The case is continued and all procedural orders are suspended until further order of the Commission.
3. This order shall be effective when issued.



**BY THE COMMISSION**

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Morris L. Woodruff".

Morris L. Woodruff  
Secretary

Paul T. Graham, Regulatory Law Judge,  
by delegation of authority pursuant to  
Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of March, 2020.