

In the Matter of:

Dana Heffner

v.

Kansas City Power & Light Company

EC-2019-0109

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Company,)	
Respondent.)	

JOHN CLARK, Presiding
REGULATORY LAW JUDGE

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P R O C E E D I N G S

JUDGE CLARK: Today is January 4th, 2019, and the current time is 10:15 a.m. We are in Room 305 of the Governor Office Building. The Commission has set aside this time today for a procedural conference in the case captioned as Dana Heffner, Complainant, v. Kansas City Power and Light Company, Respondent. File No. EC-2019-0109. My name's John Clark, and I'm the regulatory law judge for the purpose of today's procedural conference. Judge Hatcher is out of the office and I'm covering this procedural conference for him.

I will note for the record that the Complainant in this case, Dana Heffner, was given 15 minutes past the original start time of ten a.m., of this conference to make an appearance, and she has not as of yet appeared. I will keep the phone line open in case, for whatever reason, she does call in.

At this time, I'm going to ask the attorneys for the other parties to enter their appearances for the record, starting with KCP&L.

MR. STEINER: My name is Roger W. Steiner, I'm attorney for KCPL, and KCPL Greater Missouri Operations Company. My contact information has been provided to the court reporter.

1 JUDGE CLARK: Mr. Lutz.

2 MR. LUTZ: Good morning, my name is Brad
3 Lutz. I'm the Senior Manager Regulatory Affairs with
4 Kansas City Power and Light, and KCPL Greater Missouri
5 Operations Company.

6 JUDGE CLARK: Okay. And for the Commission
7 Staff.

8 MS. ASLIN: Casi Aslin for Commission Staff,
9 and my information has also been provided to the court
10 reporter.

11 JUDGE CLARK: Thank you. Have I missed
12 anyone? No. Okay.

13 Failure to appear without having previously
14 secured a continuance can constitute good grounds for
15 dismissal absent the showing of good cause. I would
16 expect today an order going out requesting that
17 Ms. Heffner provide good cause as to why her case
18 should not be dismissed for failure to appear at this
19 procedural conference.

20 Among the other things I had on the agenda
21 today, having had an brief opportunity to look it over,
22 which I originally intended to discuss, the procedures,
23 the burden of proof, as well as, the possibility of
24 handling this through mediation. But without
25 Ms. Heffner here, none of that can be done.

1 Are there any preliminary matters that need
2 to be addressed at this time? Ms. Aslin?

3 MS. ASLIN: Nothing from Staff.

4 JUDGE CLARK: Mr. Steiner?

5 MR. STEINER: No, Your Honor.

6 JUDGE CLARK: Well, I don't really think
7 there's anything else that I want to go over. I'd like
8 to thank everyone else for showing up today. And as I
9 said before, I would expect a show cause motion to go
10 out to Ms. Heffner. And we'll proceed depending on how
11 and whether or not that motion is answered -- or that
12 order is answered.

13 And we'll go off the record.

14 (Hearing concluded.)

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