

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Kansas City)	
Power & Light Company for Approval of a Rate)	
Schedule Authorizing the Use of Special Contracts)	<u>Case No. EO-2006-0192</u>
and Approval of a Specific Special Contract)	
between KCPL and an Existing Customer.)	

ORDER GRANTING MOTION FOR PROTECTIVE ORDER

Issue Date: November 14, 2005

Effective Date: November 14, 2005

On November 21, 2005, Kansas City Power & Light Company filed an application for approval of a rate schedule authorizing the use of special contracts and approval of a specific special contract between KCPL and an existing customer. KCPL filed a Motion for Protective Order on the same date. On November 10, 2005, KCPL filed its First Amended Motion for Protective Order.

In support of its request for a protective order, KCPL states that Appendix 2 to its application is a special contract between KCPL and an existing customer which contains highly confidential information. KCPL states that Appendix 2 contains customer-specific information and rate information that could be damaging to the commercial and financial interests of both KCPL and the customer if the information were disclosed publicly. By filing Appendix 2 under seal, KCPL will avoid harm to these commercial and financial interests. KCPL states further that none of the information for which a claim of confidentiality is made can be found in any format in any other public document. In accordance with 4 CSR 240-2.085, and in order to facilitate the exchange of highly confidential and proprietary

information in this matter, KCPL requests the Commission to issue its standard protective order.

The Commission finds that KCPL has met the requirements of 4 CSR 240-2.085 and will therefore grant the motion for a protective order. The Commission has previously recognized the need to protect confidential and proprietary information, and the issuance of protective orders has helped to minimize disputes in past cases.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That the Motion for Protective Order filed by Kansas City Power & Light Company on November 2, 2005, and amended on November 10, 2005, is granted and the protective order attached to this order (Attachment A) is adopted.
2. That Appendix 2 to Kansas City Power & Light Company's application is deemed highly confidential in its entirety.
3. That this order shall become effective on November 14, 2005.

BY THE COMMISSION



Colleen M. Dale
Secretary

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

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 14th day of November, 2005.