## STATE OF MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

At a session of the Public Service Commission held at its office in Jefferson City on the 27<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2011.

In the Matter of the 2009 Resource Plan of ) KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations Company ) Pursuant to 4 CSR 240-22 )

File No. EE-2009-0237

## ORDER DIRECTING FILING, PROVIDING NOTICE AND SETTING HEARING

Issue Date: April 27, 2011

Effective Date: April 27, 2011

On January 18, 2011, KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations Company ("GMO") filed a

revised Integrated Resource Plan in File No. EE-2009-0237. With that filing, GMO stated:

As a result of this additional analysis completed per the Stipulation and Agreement in Case No. EE-2009-0237, GMO has determined that the preferred resource plan filed in August, 2009 is no longer appropriate. Significant changes have occurred in projections of both natural gas costs and CO2 emission costs along with recently proposed U.S. Environmental Protection Agency regulations, (Transport Rule) that dictates [sic] the need to fully evaluate additional alternative resource plans prior to determining a revised preferred plan. GMO will be conducting this additional analysis and expects to have results available in the summer of 2011.

On February 8, 2011, the Commission's Staff filed a complaint against GMO in File

No. EC-2011-0250. Staff alleged that, based upon GMO's statement that its preferred

resource plan was no longer appropriate and that it needed to conduct additional analysis,

GMO had violated the Nonunanimous Stipulation Agreement approved by the Commission

in File No. EE-2009-0237. On March 11, 2011, GMO filed its answer. As part of its

answer, GMO, citing multiple grounds, requested the complaint be dismissed. On

April 7, 2011, Staff and the Missouri Department of Natural Resources both responded arguing the complaint should not be dismissed.

On April 19, 2011, the Commission directed GMO to provide a date certain, the earliest date it believes is possible, to file the results of its additional analysis and an appropriate preferred resource plan. On April 25, 2011, GMO stated that the earliest it could provide the additional analysis and preferred resource plan would be on July 1, 2011.

## THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. No later than July 1, 2011, KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations Company shall file the completed analysis for its Integrated Resource Plan and its preferred resource plan.

2. The Commission shall hold an evidentiary hearing on August 1- 2, 2011, to determine whether KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations Company violated the terms and conditions of the Nonunanimous Stipulation and Agreement in File No. EE-2009-0237.

3. The hearing shall be held at the Commission's office at the Governor Office Building, in Room 310, 200 Madison Street, Jefferson City, Missouri. The Governor Office Building meets accessibility standards required by the Americans with Disabilities Act. Any entity requiring additional accommodations to participate in this hearing shall call the Public Service Commission's Hotline at 1-800-392-4211 (voice) or Relay Missouri at 711 before the hearing.

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4. This order shall become effective immediately upon issuance.

## BY THE COMMISSION

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Steven C. Reed Secretary

Gunn, Chm., Davis, Jarrett and Kenney, CC., concur; Clayton, C., dissents.

Stearley, Senior Regulatory Law Judge

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