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Mr. Dale Hardy Roberts
Sec/Chief Regulatory Law Judge
Missouri Public Service Commission
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Missouri Public Service Commission

Dear Mr. Roberts:

I am writing in regard to Case No. EO-2003-0564 a request by Julia Bennington for change of electric supplier for grain bins located on real estate owned by Ms. Bennington.

Currently the grain bins are served from Aquila's existing meter pole located some four hundred feet from the bins. The underground secondary wiring currently serving these bins is defective and must be replaced in order to restore service to the bins.

Atchison-Holt Electric Cooperative has a 7,200 volt primary line located adjacent to the bins approximately 100 feet southeast. Ms. Bennington and her farm tenant, Gary Bennington, have asked Atchison-Holt to provide service to these bins as it will be quite expensive for them to replace the defective secondary underground currently serving these bins. Atchison-Holt could easily provide service to the bins by installing a pole mount transformer and meter loop on our existing line pole or installing a pad mount transformer and meter up next to the bins.

We have told the Bennington's that we would be willing to provide service to the bins providing Aquila would release this portion of their service to Atchison-Holt Electric Cooperative. Since it stated in the notice that you sent to Atchison-Holt that there was no indication of consent from either electric utility, I thought I should inform you of what we have told the Bennington's we would do providing we can get permission from Aquila and the Commission. At this point in time we plan to do nothing until we receive written permission from Aquila.

If you need more information or need our assistance in anyway, please contact our office.

Sincerely,

Ron Hunter Manager

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