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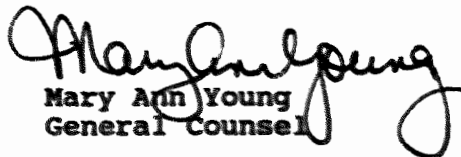
RE: Case Nos. HM-90-4 and HA-90-5 -- Kansas City Steam System

Dear Mr. Fee:

Those attending the early prehearing conference in the above-referenced cases on August 11, 1989 have generally agreed to recommend the Commission schedule a hearing in the above-referenced cases at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, August 29, 1989. There is a general preference to proceed without need for formal testimony and presentation at hearing, if possible; however, in the event that problems develop or if the Commission prefers otherwise, we feel it is best to schedule a hearing which would permit presentation of the various parties' positions at a time which would permit action by the Commission prior to the September 1, 1989 closing date referenced in the Memorandum of Understanding signed by KCPL and Trigen.

Therefore, please take steps to schedule a hearing as recommended above, with appropriate notice. If there are any problems with this recommendation, please let me know.

Sincerely yours,


Mary Ann Young
General Counsel

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CC: Interested Parties

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