BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

| In the Matter of the Application of Nickie |) | | |
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| Hertzog for a Change of Electric Supplier |) | Case No. | EO-2012-0343 |

SECOND JOINT STATUS REPORT

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (Staff), by and through the undersigned counsel, and files this *Status Report* with the Missouri Public Service Commission (Commission) on behalf of Staff, Osage Valley Electric Cooperative, KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations Company, and the Office of the Public Counsel, but not the applicant Nickie Hertzog, and respectfully states the following:

- 1. On April 13, 2012, Ms. Hertzog filed an *Application for Change of Electric Service Supplier* requesting the Commission approve changing her electric supplier from Osage Valley Electric Cooperative to KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations Company in order to take advantage of solar rebates available from the latter.
- 2. On September 11, 2012, the Commission held a pre-hearing conference during which the presiding regulatory law judge directed the parties to file a status report or proposed procedural schedule by no later than September 18, 2012.
- 3. On September 18, 2012, the parties, excluding Ms. Hertzog, filed its Joint Status Report requesting until October 2, 2012 to file another status report or proposed procedural schedule. The Commission subsequently granted the parties' request. The parties considered settlement but were unable to reach an agreement.

- 4. The reporting parties¹ are discussing a proposed procedural schedule and need additional time to get input from Ms. Hertzog. The parties have contacted Ms. Hertzog through email and have attempted to reach Ms. Hertzog through telephone but have not received a response. The parties request an additional week, until October 9, 2012 to make contact with Ms. Hertzog in order to establish a procedural schedule with the input of all the parties.
- 5. The undersigned counsel is filing on behalf of the reporting parties and has received permission to do so from them.

WHEREFORE, the Staff, on behalf of the parties identified above as reporting parties, submits this *Second Joint Status Report* and respectfully requests the Commission allow them until October 9, 2012 to file another status update or a procedural schedule in this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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¹ Ms. Hertzog is not a "reporting party."

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