

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Joint Application of Great Plains)
Energy Incorporated, Kansas City Power & Light)
Company, and Aquila, Inc., for Approval of the Merger) **Case No. EM-2007-0374**
of Aquila, Inc., with a Subsidiary of Great Plains)
Energy Incorporated and for Other Related Relief.)

ORDER GRANTING, IN PART, MOTION FOR EXTENSION
OF EFFECTIVE DATE

Issue Date: July 9, 2008

Effective Date: July 9, 2008

On July 1, 2008, the Commission issued its Report and Order in this case. The Report and Order had an effective date of July 11, 2008. On July 7, 2008, the Office of the Public Counsel, the Sedalia Industrial Energy Users' Association, Ag Processing, Inc., and Praxair, Inc., moved the Commission to extend the effective date of the Report and Order, and the date on which the parties may act to consummate the merger. The Commission shortened the time for responses to the motion to July 9, 2008 at 4:00 p.m. A response from Great Plains Energy Incorporated, Kansas City Power & Light Company, and Aquila, Inc., was received on July 8, 2008, objecting to the extension.

The Commission has reviewed the request for additional time and the objection to that request. In recognition of the comprehensive nature of the Report and Order, the Commission finds that it is reasonable to grant a limited extension for the effective date as ordered below. In addition, the Commission finds good cause to waive its Electronic Filing rule 4 CSR 240-2.045(2) and will accept an electronic filing of an application for rehearing filed in the Commission's Electronic Filing and Information System (EFIS) on or before

11:59 p.m. on July 13, 2008. If such filing is made timely, the Commission shall correct any date errors made by EFIS.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. The effective date of the Report and Order issued on July 1, 2008, is extended so that the Report and Order shall not become effective until July 14, 2008.

2. Commission rule 4 CSR 240-2.045(2) is waived with regard to an application for rehearing filed in EFIS in this case on or before 11:59 p.m. on July 13, 2008. Any such filing shall be shown in EFIS to have been filed on the actual date filed.

3. This order shall become effective on July 9, 2008.

BY THE COMMISSION



Colleen M. Dale
Secretary

(S E A L)

Nancy Dippell, Deputy Chief Regulatory
Law Judge, by delegation of authority
pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 9th day of July, 2008.