## STATE OF MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

At a session of the Public Service Commission held at its office in Jefferson City on the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of December, 2015

In the Matter of KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations	)	
Company's Application for Approval of Demand-	)	
Side Programs and for Authority to Establish a	)	File No. EO-2012-0009
Demand-Side Programs Investment Mechanism	)	

## ORDER APPROVING STIPULATION AND AGREEMENT

Issue Date: December 22, 2015 Effective Date: December 31, 2015

On December 11, 2015, KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations Company ("GMO") and the Commission's Staff jointly presented a non-unanimous stipulation and agreement designed to provide a transition from GMO's Missouri Energy Efficiency Investment Act (MEEIA) Cycle 1 demand-side programs to its MEEIA Cycle 2 programs that have not yet been approved by the Commission. The Cycle 1 programs are set to expire on December 31, 2015, and since the Cycle 2 programs will not be approved until sometime after January 1, 2016, <sup>1</sup> a gap in program coverage would occur but for the provisions described in the stipulation and agreement.

The other parties to the case did not sign the stipulation and agreement, so it is non-unanimous. However, the non-signatory parties have not opposed the stipulation and agreement within seven days of its filing. Therefore, pursuant to Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-2.115(2), the Commission will treat the stipulation and agreement as unanimous.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> A hearing to resolve disputes regarding Cycle 2 programs is scheduled for January 12, 2016. The signatories to the stipulation state they expect the Commission will be able to approve tariffs implementing Cycle 2 programs on or about April 1, 2016.

After reviewing the stipulation and agreement, the Commission independently finds and concludes that such stipulation and agreement is in the public interest and should be approved. Since this stipulation and agreement is not opposed by any party and because the provisions of the stipulation and agreement are time-sensitive, the Commission will make this order effective on December 31, when the MEEIA Cycle 1 demand-side programs would otherwise expire.

## THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- 1. The Stipulation and Agreement filed on December 11, 2015, is approved as a resolution of the issues addressed in that stipulation and agreement. The signatory parties are ordered to comply with the terms of the stipulation and agreement. A copy of the stipulation and agreement is attached to this order, and is incorporated herein by reference.
  - 2. This order shall become effective on December 31, 2015.
  - 3. This file shall be closed on January 1, 2016.

BY THE COMMISSION

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Hall, Chm., Stoll, Kenney, Rupp, and Coleman, CC., concur.

Pridgin, Deputy Chief Regulatory Law Judge