

**STATE OF MISSOURI
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

At a session of the Public Service
Commission held at its office in
Jefferson City on the 11th day
of April, 2012.

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

**ORDER GRANTING MOTION TO
MODIFY PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE**

Issue Date: April 11, 2012

Effective Date: April 11, 2012

On April 6, 2012¹, KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations Company ("GMO") filed a Motion to Modify Procedural Schedule and Motion for Expedited Treatment. GMO asks the Commission to extend the remainder of the procedural schedule approximately one month.

GMO explains that the parties have conducted various technical conferences and settlement discussions, and wishes to continue settlement discussions with the parties. To facilitate those discussions, GMO asks for the extension.

GMO further states that Staff, Sierra Club, Renew Missouri and Natural Resources Defense Council support the motion. Also, the Missouri Department of Natural Resources does not oppose the motion.

On April 9, the Office of the Public Counsel, WalMart Stores, Inc., Sam's East, Inc., the Missouri Industrial Energy Consumers, Sedalia Industrial Energy Users

¹ Calendar references are to 2012 unless otherwise noted.

Association, and AG Processing, Inc., (who have called themselves “the Signatories”) objected to GMO’s motion. These parties claim GMO’s request is disingenuous, and done not to negotiate in good faith but to gain a scheduling advantage against the parties opposing the motion. Specifically, OPC states that GMO’s proposal would force OPC to prepare for hearing in this case immediately after the Ameren Missouri MEEIA case.

On April 10, both Staff and GMO responded to the Signatories. Staff pointed out that the non-utility parties, which would include the Signatories, preferred the method of negotiations that have taken place thus far. That method began with the non-utility parties created a “term sheet” they offered to GMO by e-mail on the morning of April 4, with the goal of achieving at least an unopposed stipulation and agreement. Per Staff, GMO responded the next day, rejecting it as a starting point for negotiations, stating which terms concerned it, and requesting a new offer in light of its concerns. Finally, Staff moved the Commission to further suspend the pertinent tariff sheets for the same amount of time as any extension the Commission may grant.

GMO stated that it received the April 4 proposal, and, due to the holiday, was unable to offer a counter proposal as quickly as the parties would have liked. GMO further stated it will present a counterproposal before beginning further negotiations.

WalMart Stores East, Inc., and Sam’s Club, LLP also responded on April 10, further stating that the motion would allow GMO over two months in which to review rebuttal testimony, but that the customer groups would be permitted a short two weeks to review surrebuttal. They also repeated their scheduling concerns should the Commission grant the motion.

Because the application is GMO's, and the attendant burden is on GMO to prove to the Commission that it deserves the relief it requests, the Commission will resolve the dispute in GMO's favor. The Commission certainly expects GMO to use this extension to negotiate in good faith with all parties.

Further, the Commission is sensitive to the scheduling difficulties of all parties. Accordingly, the Commission would be hesitant to deny a similar motion the Signatories may file should they desire more time to negotiate and/or prepare for hearing in this case.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The Motion to Modify Procedural Schedule Filing Date filed by KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations Company is granted.
2. Surrebuttal testimony for all parties shall be filed no later than May 10, 2012.
3. The List of Issues shall be filed no later than May 11, 2012.
4. Statements of Position shall be filed no later than May 16, 2012.
5. The Evidentiary Hearings are scheduled May 29-June 1, 2012.
6. Initial Briefs shall be filed no later than June 13, 2012.
7. Reply Briefs shall be filed no later than June 27, 2012.
8. The following tariff sheets filed by KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations Company on December 22, 2011, and assigned Tariff File No. YE-2012-0298, are suspended for an additional 30 days, until July 19, 2012, or until otherwise ordered by the Commission:

P.S.C. MO No. 1

Original Sheet No. R-62.21
Original Sheet No. R-62.22
Original Sheet No. R-62.23
Original Sheet No. R-62.24
Original Sheet No. R-62.25
Original Sheet No. R-62.26
Original Sheet No. R-62.27
Original Sheet No. R-62.28
Original Sheet No. R-62.29
Original Sheet No. R-62.30
Original Sheet No. R-62.31
Original Sheet No. R-62.32
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Original Sheet No. R-62.37
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Original Sheet No. R-62.39
Original Sheet No. R-62.40
Original Sheet No. R-62.41
Original Sheet No. R-62.42
Original Sheet No. R-62.43
Original Sheet No. R-62.44
Original Sheet No. R-62.45
Original Sheet No. R-62.46
Original Sheet No. R-62.47
Original Sheet No. R-62.48
Original Sheet No. R-62.49
Original Sheet No. R-64.06
Original Sheet No. R-64.07
Original Sheet No. R-64.08
Original Sheet No. R-64.09
Original Sheet No. R-64.10
Original Sheet No. R-68.1
Original Sheet No. 134
Original Sheet No. 135
Original Sheet No. 136
Original Sheet No. 137
Original Sheet No. 138
Original Sheet No. 139
Original Sheet No. 140
Original Sheet No. 141
Original Sheet No. 142
Original Sheet No. 143

4th Revised Sheet No. R-62.01, canceling 3rd Revised Sheet No. R-62.01
 1st Revised Sheet No. R-62.01.1, canceling Original Sheet No. R-62.01.1
 1st Revised Sheet No. R-62.02, canceling Original Sheet No. R-62.02
 2nd Revised Sheet No. R-62.03, canceling 1st Revised Sheet No. R-62.03
 2nd Revised Sheet No. R-62.04, canceling 1st Revised Sheet No. R-62.04
 1st Revised Sheet No. 62.05, canceling Original Sheet No. R-62.05
 1st Revised Sheet No. 62.06, canceling Original Sheet No. R-62.06
 1st Revised Sheet No. 62.07, canceling Original Sheet No. R-62.07
 1st Revised Sheet No. 62.08, canceling Original Sheet No. R-62.08
 1st Revised Sheet No. 62.09, canceling Original Sheet No. R-62.09
 1st Revised Sheet No. 62.10, canceling Original Sheet No. R-62.10
 1st Revised Sheet No. 62.11, canceling Original Sheet No. R-62.11
 1st Revised Sheet No. 62.12, canceling Original Sheet No. R-62.12
 1st Revised Sheet No. 62.13, canceling Original Sheet No. R-62.13
 1st Revised Sheet No. 62.14, canceling Original Sheet No. R-62.14
 2nd Revised Sheet No. 64.01, canceling 1st Revised Sheet No. 64.01
 2nd Revised Sheet No. 64.02, canceling 1st Revised Sheet No. 64.02
 2nd Revised Sheet No. 64.03, canceling 1st Revised Sheet No. 64.03
 2nd Revised Sheet No. 64.04, canceling 1st Revised Sheet No. 64.04
 2nd Revised Sheet No. 64.05, canceling 1st Revised Sheet No. 64.05
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 1st Revised Sheet No. 130, canceling Original Sheet No. 130
 1st Revised Sheet No. 131, canceling Original Sheet No. 131
 1st Revised Sheet No. 132, canceling Original Sheet No. 132

9. This order shall become effective upon issuance.

BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'S. C. Reed', written in a cursive style.

Steven C. Reed
Secretary

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Gunn, Chm., Jarrett and Kenney,
CC., concur.

Pridgin, Senior Regulatory Law Judge