## BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In The Matter of Application of Kansas City	)	
Power & Light Company for Approval of the	)	
Accrual and Funding of Wolf Creek Generating	)	File No. EO-2012-0068
Station Decommissioning Costs at Current Levels	ĺ	

## ORDER DIRECTING STAFF TO FILE A RECOMMENDATION

Issue Date: September 6, 2011 Effective Date: September 6, 2011

On August 31, 2011, Kansas City Power & Light Company (KCP&L) filed its 2011 cost study detailing its latest cost estimate for decommissioning the company's Wolf Creek nuclear power plant. KCP&L asks the Commission to accept its cost report, approve the company's decommissioning cost estimate, continue the company's annual accrual at current levels, and find that Wolf Creek decommissioning costs are included in KCP&L's current cost of service and are properly reflected in current rates for ratemaking purposes.

Before acting on KCP&L's application, the Commission will direct its Staff to file a recommendation.

## THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The Commission's Staff shall file a recommendation regarding Kansas City Power & Light Company's Application no later than December 1, 2011. Staff may request additional time if it is unable to offer its recommendation by that date.

2. This order shall become effective immediately upon issuance.

BY THE COMMISSION

Steven C. Reed Secretary

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Morris L. Woodruff, Chief Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 6th day of September, 2011.