

# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

## OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Aquila, Inc., for )  
Approval of Its Experimental Regulatory Plan and )  
for a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity )  
Authorizing It to Participate in the Construction, )  
Ownership, Operation, Maintenance, Removal, )  
Replacement, Control and Management of a Steam )  
Electric Generating Station in Platte County, Missouri, )  
or Alternatively for an Order Specifically Confirming )  
That Aquila, Inc., Has the Requisite Authority under )  
Its Existing Certificate(s) )

**Case No. EO-2005-0293**

### **ORDER CANCELING PREHEARING CONFERENCE**

On March 2, 2005, Aquila, Inc., asked for Commission approval of its experimental regulatory plan, and a certificate of convenience and necessity to build generation plant known as latan Unit 2. The Commission set an intervention deadline of April 1, and granted all timely intervention requests.

On April 6, Aquila filed a motion in which it requested the Commission set a prehearing conference. On April 13, the Commission granted the motion, and set a prehearing conference for April 21.

The parties have informed the Commission that they have been meeting regularly, and will continue to meet to discuss settlement. Because the parties are negotiating, the parties ask that the Commission cancel the prehearing conference, and suspend the requirement that the parties file a proposed procedural schedule. The Commission will grant their request.

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:**

1. That the prehearing conference is canceled.
2. That the parties' requirement to file a proposed procedural schedule no later than April 28, 2005 is suspended.
3. That this order shall become effective on April 21, 2005.

**BY THE COMMISSION**

**Dale Hardy Roberts**  
**Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge**

( S E A L )

Ronald D. Pridgin, Regulatory Law  
Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant  
to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 21st day of April, 2005.