

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

In the Matter of the Application of Transource Missouri,)
L.L.C. for a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity)
Authorizing it to Construct, Finance, Own, Operate,) **File No. EA-2013-0098**
and Maintain the Iatan-Nashua and Sibley-Nebraska)
City Electric Transmission Projects)

In the Matter of the Application of Kansas City Power &)
Light Company and KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations)
Company for Approval to Transfer Certain Transmission) **File No. EO-2012-0367**
Property to Transource Missouri, L.L.C. and for other)
Related Determinations)

**JOINT MOTION FOR SUSPENSION OF EVIDENTIARY HEARING SCHEDULE
AND FILING OF STATEMENT OF POSITIONS
AND SUGGESTED SCHEDULING FOR AN ON THE RECORD PRESENTATION**

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (“Staff”), by and through the Staff Counsel’s Office, on behalf of the Parties in File Nos. EA-2013-0098 and EO-2012-0367, i.e., the Staff, the Office of the Public Counsel (“OPC”), Missouri Industrial Energy Consumers (“MIEC”),¹ and the Applicants Transource Missouri, LLC (“Transource Missouri”),² Kansas City Power & Light Company (“KCP&L”), and KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations Company (“GMO”),³ and files this *Joint Motion For Suspension Of Evidentiary Hearing Schedule And Filing Of Statement Of Positions And Suggested Scheduling For An On The Record Presentation* to suspend the evidentiary hearing presently scheduled to occur April 16-18, 2013; suspend the filing of the Statement Of Positions presently ordered to be filed by 5:00 p.m. April 11, 2013; and schedule for April 16, 2013, at 1:00 p.m., or April 17, 2013, at 9:00

¹ MIEC is comprised of Bayer CropScience, Boehringer-Ingelheim, Corn Products, and Ford Motor Company.

² Transource Missouri is the Applicant in File No. EA-2013-0098.

³ KCP&L and GMO are the Applicants in File No. EO-2012-0367.

a.m., an on the record presentation of the Stipulation And Agreement. In support thereof, the Staff states as follows:

1. The Staff has recently related that the Applicants, Staff, and OPC have been engaged in many hours of settlement discussions and related work since the Commission granted their request on March 29, 2013 to reschedule the evidentiary hearings to April 16-18, 2013 and extend the time for the filing of the Statement of Positions.

2. Those settlement discussions have met with success and the Applicants, Staff, and OPC have a settlement in principle. The “settlement in principle” is not a mere term sheet. The Applicants, Staff, and OPC have been exchanging draft Stipulation And Agreement language for quite some time, so it is the expectation of the Applicants, Staff, and OPC that by the end of this week they will be able to file an executed Stipulation And Agreement.

3. The Applicants, Staff, and OPC have all along sent to MIEC what started as term sheets and became draft Stipulation And Agreements, and have attempted to keep MIEC advised of all meetings of the Applicants, Staff, and OPC.

4. Pursuant to 4 CSR 240-2.115(2)(B) each party shall have seven (7) days from the filing of a nonunanimous stipulation and agreement to file an objection to the nonunanimous stipulation and agreement. Failure to file a timely objection shall constitute a full waiver of the party’s right to a hearing.

5. The Parties, including MIEC, suggest that the Commission schedule for April 16, 2013, at 1:00 p.m., or April 17, 2013, at 9:00 a.m., an on the record presentation of the Stipulation And Agreement and for the receiving into evidence the prefiled testimony in this proceeding.

WHEREFORE, the Staff on behalf of the Parties in File Nos. EA-2013-0098 and EO-2012-0367 files this *Joint Motion For Suspension Of Evidentiary Hearing Schedule And Filing Of Statement Of Positions And Suggested Scheduling For An On The Record Presentation* to suspend the evidentiary hearing presently scheduled to occur April 16-18, 2013; suspend the Statement Of Positions presently ordered to be filed by 5:00 p.m. on April 11, 2013; and suggest that the Commission schedule for April 16, 2013, at 1:00 p.m., or April 17, 2013, at 9:00 a.m., an on the record presentation of the Stipulation And Agreement.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing *Joint Motion For Suspension Of Evidentiary Hearing Schedule And Filing Of Statement Of Positions And Suggested Scheduling For An On The Record Presentation* have been transmitted electronically to all counsel of record this 10th day of April, 2013.

/s/ Steven Dottheim