

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

In the Matter of the Prudence Review of the)
Steam Operations of Evergy Missouri West, Inc.)
d/b/a Evergy Missouri West) **Case No. HO-2023-0357**

NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF COUNSEL

COMES NOW Kevin Thompson, Chief Staff Counsel, and hereby submits to the Missouri Public Service Commission the following *Notice of Withdrawal of Counsel*:

- 1. Effective September 5, 2023, Karen E. Bretz resigned from her position in the Commission’s Staff Counsel’s Office. I am filing this Notice in each case in which she was listed as counsel, because she will no longer be part of the Commission’s Staff Counsel’s Office.

- 2. The Commission’s Staff will continue to be represented by Staff Counsel assigned to the case.

WHEREFORE, I respectfully submit this *Notice of Withdrawal of Counsel* for the Commission’s information and consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed or hand-delivered, transmitted by facsimile or electronically mailed to all counsel of record on this 11th day of September, 2023.

/s/ Kevin Thompson