

**STATE OF MISSOURI
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

At a session of the Public Service
Commission held at its office in
Jefferson City on the 7th day of
December, 2023.

In the Matter of the Application of Grain Belt)
Express LLC for an Amendment to its)
Certificate of Convenience and Necessity)
Authorizing it to Construct, Own, Operate,)
Control, Manage, and Maintain a High)
Voltage, Direct Current Transmission Line)
and Associated Converter Station)

File No. EA-2023-0017

ORDER DENYING APPLICATION FOR REHEARING

Issue Date: December 7, 2023

Effective Date: December 7, 2023

On October 12, 2023, the Commission issued its *Report and Order* effective November 11, 2023, regarding the application of Grain Belt Express LLC for a certificate of convenience and necessity. On November 10, 2023, the Missouri Farm Bureau Federation, Missouri Cattlemen’s Association, Missouri Pork Association, Missouri Soybean Association, and Missouri Corn Growers Association (collectively referred to as the “Agricultural Associations”) filed a timely application for rehearing.

Section 386.500.1, RSMo (2016), states that the Commission shall grant an application for rehearing if “in its judgment sufficient reason therefor be made to appear.” In the judgment of the Commission, the application for rehearing does not demonstrate sufficient reason to rehear the matter.

The Commission will deny the application for rehearing.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The *Application for Rehearing by Missouri's Agricultural Associations* filed on November 10, 2023, is denied.
2. This order shall become effective on December 7, 2023.



BY THE COMMISSION

Nancy Dippell

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Secretary

Rupp, Chm., Coleman, Holsman,
and Kolkmeier CC., concur.
Hahn, C., dissents.

Dippell, Chief Regulatory Law Judge

STATE OF MISSOURI

OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

I have compared the preceding copy with the original on file in this office and I do hereby certify the same to be a true copy therefrom and the whole thereof.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the Public Service Commission, at Jefferson City, Missouri, this 7th day of December 2023.



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MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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Enclosed find a certified copy of an Order or Notice issued in the above-referenced matter(s).

Sincerely,



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