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The Honorable Dale Hardy Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge
Missouri Public Service Commission
P.O. Box 360
Jefferson City, MO 65102-0360

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Re: Case No. ER-2001-672

Dear Judge Roberts:

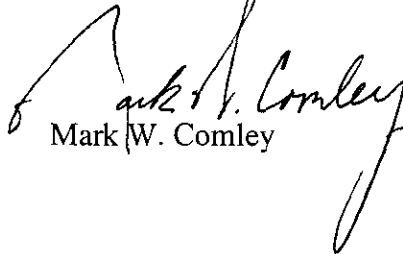
Enclosed for filing please find the original affidavit of Russell C. Widmar. Please attach this affidavit to Mr. Widmar's direct testimony, which was filed on December 7, 2001

Please contact me if you have any questions regarding this filing. Thank you.

Very truly yours,

NEWMAN, COMLEY & RUTH P.C.

By:


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Enclosure

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

Missouri Public
Service Commission

In the Matter of the Tariff Filing of Missouri Public
Service (MPS), a Division of UtiliCorp United, Inc.,
To Implement a General Rate Increase for Retail
Electric Service Provided to Customers in the
Missouri Service Area of MPS.

Case No. ER-2001-672
Tariff No. 200101173

Affidavit of Russell C. Widmar

STATE OF MISSOURI)
COUNTY OF Platte ss.

I, Russell C. Widmar, of lawful age, being duly sworn, do hereby depose and state:

1. My name is Russell C. Widmar. I am Director of Aviation for the City of Kansas

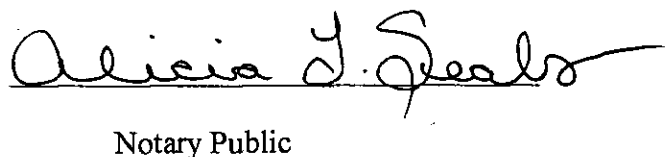
City. The city of Kansas City, Missouri is an intervener herein.

2. Attached hereto and made a part hereof for all purposes is my direct testimony.

3. I hereby swear and affirm that my answers contained in the attached testimony to the
questions therein propounded are true and correct to the best of my personal knowledge, information
and belief.


Russell C. Widmar

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a Notary Public, this 6th day of December, 2001.


Notary Public

My Commission expires:

Sept. 16, 2002

ALICIA T. SEALS
Notary Public-Notary Seal
State Of Missouri
Clay County
My Commission Expires Sept. 16, 2002