

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

In the Matter of an Investigation of Missouri Jurisdictional Generator Self-Commitments into SPP and MISO Day-Ahead Energy Markets)) **File No. EW-2019-0370**

NOTICE EXPLAINING PROCESS FOR VIEWING CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION

Issue Date: July 15, 2019

The Commission opened this working file on June 5, 2019, and directed its Staff to undertake an investigation into the self-commit and self-scheduling practices of Missouri's investor-owned electric utilities in their respective Regional Transmission Organization energy markets. The Commission's order opening the investigation directed the investor-owned utilities to submit certain data by a specified date and directed interested stakeholders to respond to those submissions by a specified date. The Commission's order opening this file indicated this is not a contested case and explained that intervention requests are not necessary to submit comments or view documents.

On July 15, 2019, Sierra Club filed a motion asking the Commission to extend the comment deadlines and to establish a process to review confidential information. The Commission will address the confidential information question in this notice. The request to extend the comment deadlines will be addressed in a subsequent order.

Sierra Club's motion explains that some of the investor-owned utilities have filed some of the data they have submitted as confidential, meaning it cannot be viewed by Sierra Club or other interested stakeholders. Sierra Club asks the Commission to establish a procedure whereby its attorney's and experts can review that confidential data.

Intervention as a party is not necessary to participate in the case, but the

Commission has found that the best way to make confidential information available for review by interested stakeholders is by allowing those stakeholders to intervene as parties. Intervening stakeholders are thus allowed to access confidential information to the same extent they would when they are granted party status in any other case. That means Sierra Club, and any other stakeholder that wishes to view confidential filings, will need to apply to intervene as a party. Normally the Commission allows ten days to pass before ruling on an application to intervene so that any party wishing to oppose the intervention has time to respond, but a request for expedited consideration can be filed as part of the application to intervene.



BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Morris L. Woodruff".

Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

Morris L. Woodruff, Chief Regulatory Law
Judge, by delegation of authority
pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 15th day of July, 2019.

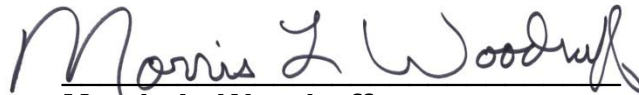
STATE OF MISSOURI

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 15th day of July 2019.




Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

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

Sincerely,



**Morris L. Woodruff
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