

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

In the Matter of the Application of Kansas City)	
Power & Light Company for Approval to Make)	
Certain Changes in its Charges for Electric)	<u>Case No. ER-2006-0314</u>
Service to Begin the Implementation of Its)	
Regulatory Plan)	

PUBLIC COUNSEL’S PROPOSED CUSTOMER NOTICE

COMES NOW the Office of the Public Counsel and in response to the Commission’s Order and Notice states as follows:

1. On February 1, 2006, Kansas City Power & Light Company (KCPL) filed a general rate increase case.
2. On February 3, the Commission issued its Order and Notice, which directed Public Counsel to file a proposed customer notice no later than March 28, 2006. Public Counsel submits the following draft customer notice in response to that order:

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Kansas City Power & Light Company has filed revised electric service tariff sheets with the Missouri Public Service Commission that would increase the company’s Missouri jurisdictional annual gross revenues by \$57 million or approximately 11.5%. For the average residential customer, the increase would be approximately \$7.06 per month.

The PSC will conduct local public hearings to solicit input from the company’s customers. Two hearings will be held on August 24, 2006 at the Jackson County Courthouse, 415 East 12th Street, Kansas City, Missouri. One hearing will begin at 12:00 noon and one at 6:00 P.M. The PSC will also conduct evidentiary hearings at the PSC offices, 200 Madison Street, Jefferson City, Missouri, September 18-22 and 25-29, 2006, beginning at 8:30 A.M. If you wish to comment or secure information, you may contact the Office of the Public

Counsel, P.O. Box 2230, Jefferson City, MO 65102, telephone (573) 751-4857, email opcservice@ded.mo.gov.

The buildings where the hearings will be held meet the accessibility standards required by the Americans with Disabilities Act. If a customer needs additional accommodations to participate in these hearings, please call the PSC Hotline at (800) 392-4211 (voice) or Relay Missouri at 711 prior to the hearing.

3. The above draft notice refers to the evidentiary hearing dates that the Commission set in its February 8 Order Rescheduling Evidentiary Hearing; the parties have proposed different dates for those hearings. The draft notice also refers to a date of August 24 for local public hearings proposed by the parties which the Commission has not yet approved. At the time of filing this pleading, the Jackson County Council Chambers in the Jackson County Courthouse are available for a noon hearing on the proposed date of August 24. The availability of the Council Chambers is not yet confirmed for the proposed August 24 evening hearing. KCPL is continuing to work to confirm availability in the evening.

WHEREFORE, Public Counsel respectfully requests that the Commission approve the proposed customer notice substantially as included herein, subject to modification if necessary once the Commission rules on the proposed dates for evidentiary and local public hearings and venue availability is confirmed.

Respectfully submitted,

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