# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations Company Request for Authority to Implement Rate Adjustments Required by 4 CSR 240-20.090(8) And the Company's Approved Fuel and Purchased Power Cost Recovery Mechanism	) ) ) )	File No.: ER-2019-0413 Tariff No.: YE-2020-0033
In the Matter of the Application of KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations Company, Containing Its Semi-Annual Fuel Adjustment Clause True-Up	) ) )	File No.: ER-2019-0414

### ORDER APPROVING INTERIM TARIFF

Issue Date: August 26, 2019 Effective Date: September 1, 2019

On August 15, 2019,<sup>1</sup> the Commission issued its Order Rejecting Fuel Adjustment Clause Tariff, Scheduling a Procedural Conference and Directing the Filing of a Revised Tariff. The August 15 order rejected Tariff No. No. JE-2019-0232 because it was alleged that KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations Company ("GMO") had proposed fuel adjustment clause ("FAC)" adjustments not in accordance with Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-20.090, Section 386.266, RSMo, and GMO's FAC mechanism. The effective date of the August 15 order is August 31, 2019.

The August 15 order required GMO to file tariff sheet(s) to implement interim fuel adjustment rates to reflect any part of its proposed adjustment not in dispute. On August 21, GMO filed Tariff Revision YE-2020-0033 ("interim tariff") with an effective date of September 1. On August 21, the Commission ordered the Commission Staff to file a recommendation on the proposed interim tariff no later than August 23 and set that date as a deadline for anyone else wishing to file a recommendation. Staff filed a recommendation on August 23. Staff's Recommendation states that after reviewing

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> All date references will be to 2019 unless otherwise indicated.

GMO's proposed interim tariff and accompanying work papers, Staff has verified that GMO's proposed interim tariff has correctly removed the disputed adjustments. No other party has filed a recommendation.

The Commission Staff recommends the Commission approve GMO's interim tariff, and no other party has objected to it. No hearing is required.<sup>2</sup> The Commission finds the interim tariff sheet complies with the Commission's August 15 order. Therefore, the Commission will approve the interim tariff. The effective date of the proposed interim tariff is September 1. Therefore, the Commission will make this order effective in less than 30 days.

#### THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- 1. The interim tariff assigned tracking No. YE-2020-0033 is approved to be effective on September 1, 2019.
  - The interim tariff sheet approved is:

#### P.S.C. MO. No. 1

1st Revised Sheet No. 127.23, Cancelling Original Sheet No. 127.23

3. This order shall be effective on September 1, 2019.



BY THE COMMISSION

Morris L. Woodruff

Secretary

Paul T. Graham, Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority Under Section 386.240, RSMo 2016

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri On this 26<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2019.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Section 536.010(4), RSMo 2016, defines a contested case as "a proceeding before an agency in which legal rights, duties or privileges of specific parties are required by law to be determined after hearing." *State ex rel. Rex Deffenderfer Ent., Inc. v. Public Service Commission*, 776 S.W.2d 494, 496 (Mo. App.1989).

#### 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 26<sup>th</sup> day of August 2019.

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#### File/Case No. ER-2019-0413 and ER-2019-0414

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