# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Joint Application of AIP	)	
Project Franklin Bidco, Inc., Veolia Energy	)	
North America Holdings, Inc., Thermal	)	File No. HM-2020-0039
North America Holdings, Inc., Veolia	)	
Energy Missouri, Inc., and Veolia Energy	)	
Kansas City, Inc. for Approval of Indirect	)	
Merger by Stock Acquisition and Related	)	
Encumbrances	)	

## ORDER GRANTING MOTIONS TO INTERVENE

Issue Date: September 20, 2019 Effective Date: September 20, 2019

On August 14, 2019, AIP Project Franklin Bidco, Inc., Veolia Energy North America Holdings, Inc., Thermal North America Holdings, Inc., Veolia Energy Missouri, Inc., and Veolia Energy Kansas City, Inc. ("Applicants") filed an application with the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission") seeking approval of indirect merger by stock acquisition and related encumbrance. The Commission ordered notice be given in this case, and set August 30, as the deadline for intervention.

On August 26, Spire Missouri Inc. ("Spire") filed an application to intervene. Spire's confidential *Motion of Spire Missouri Inc. to Intervene* cited its interest in the case that is different from that of the general public. No objections to Spire's application to intervene were received. The Commission concludes that the interests described by Spire are different from those of the general public and justify intervention.

On August 27, Truman Medical Centers ("Truman") also filed an application to intervene. In its application, Truman cites its standing as a major district steam service

customer of Veolia Energy Kansas City, Inc. Truman also states that it and Veolia are parties to a Customer Advance in Aid of Pipeline Construction and Interconnection Agreement. No objections to Truman's application to intervene were received. The Commission concludes that the interests described by Truman are different from those of the general public and justify intervention.

As more than ten days has passed since the above listed applications to intervene were filed and there has been no response, the Commission will consider the motions to be unopposed. The Commission has reviewed the applications to intervene and finds that Spire and Truman are proper parties and the interventions should be granted. The Commission will grant the unopposed motions to intervene.

#### THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- 1. Spire Missouri Inc. and Truman Medical Center are made parties to this case.
- 2. This order shall be effective when issued.

BY THE COMMISSION

Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

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Charles Hatcher, Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 20<sup>th</sup> day of September, 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 20<sup>th</sup> day of September 2019.

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Morris L. Woodruff

Secretary

# MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION September 20, 2019

#### File/Case No. HM-2020-0039

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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

Secretary

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