

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

In the Matter of)	
Kansas City Power & Light Company's)	File No. ER-2012-0174
Request for Authority to Implement)	Tracking No. YE-2012-0404
a General Rate Increase for Electric Service)	

**ORDER GRANTING APPLICATION FOR INTERVENTION OF
THE EMPIRE DISTRICT ELECTRIC COMPANY**

Issue Date: July 6, 2012

Effective Date: July 6, 2012

The Missouri Public Service Commission is granting the application for intervention ("motion") that The Empire District Electric Company filed on June 25, 2012. The motion meets the requirements of 4 CSR 240-2.115 and the Commission received no response to the motion within the time provided by 4 CSR 240-2.080(13). Therefore, the Commission will grant the motion.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The application for intervention of The Empire District Electric Company is granted.
2. This order shall become effective immediately upon issuance.

BY THE COMMISSION

(S E A L)



**Steven C. Reed
Secretary**

Daniel Jordan, Senior Regulatory Law Judge,
by delegation of authority pursuant to
Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 6th day of July, 2012.