

**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 STAFF'S REQUEST FOR LEAVE TO RESPOND

Issue Date: July 5, 2012

Effective Date: July 5, 2012

The Missouri Public Service Commission is granting *Staff's Request for Leave to Respond* ("motion"). The Commission received the motion on July 3, 2012, with *Staff's Response to KCPL's Opposition to OPC's and MCEG's Motion to Strike Pre-Filed Testimony and Reject Tariffs of KCPL*. The Commission's required no further suggestions from Staff but Staff states that further suggestions will be helpful. Therefore, the Commission will grant the motion.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. *Staff's Request for Leave to Respond Motion to Strike Pre-Filed Testimony and Reject Tariffs and Motion for Expedited Treatment* is granted.
2. *Staff's Response to KCPL's Opposition to OPC's and MCEG's Motion to Strike Pre-Filed Testimony and Reject Tariffs of KCPL* is filed on July 3, 2012.
3. This order shall become effective immediately on issuance.

BY THE COMMISSION



Steven C. Reed
Secretary

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

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 5th day of July, 2012.