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CASE NO: GR-2001-292

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Enclosed find certified copy of an ORDER in the above-numbered case(s).

Sincerely,

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Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of Tariff Revisions of Missouri

Gas Energy, a Division of Southern Union

Company, Designed to Increase Rates for Natural

Gas Service to Customers in the Missouri Service

Area of the Company

Case No. GR-2001-292

Tariff No. 200100529

ORDER GRANTING APPLICATIONS FOR INTERVENTION

On November 7, 2000, Missouri Gas Energy (MGE) submitted to the Commission proposed tariff sheets intended to implement a general rate increase for natural gas service provided to its Missouri customers. On November 27, 2000, the Commission acted to suspend the tariff until October 6, 2001. The Commission directed all interested parties to file an application to intervene no later than December 18, 2000. Kansas City Power & Light Company (KCPL) and Midwest Gas Users Association (Midwest) filed timely applications requesting intervention.

The Commission has reviewed the applications to intervene and finds that both are in compliance with Commission rule 4 CSR 240-2.075(4). Both of the prospective intervenors have an interest in this matter that is different from that of the general public and granting the proposed interventions would serve the public interest. The Commission concludes that the applications for intervention filed by KCPL and Midwest should be granted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That the Application to Intervene of Kansas City Power & Light Company is granted.

- 2. That the Application to Intervene of Midwest Gas Users Association is granted.
 - 3. That this order shall become effective on January 5, 2001.

BY THE COMMISSION

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Dale Hardy Roberts Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

Morris L. Woodruff, Senior Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 1994.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 26th day of December, 2000.

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 $\underline{26^{th}}$ day of December 2000.

Dale Hardy Roberts

Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge