BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations) File No. ER-2016-0156 Company's Request for Authority to Implement a) General Rate Increase for Electric Service) Tracking No. YE-2016-0223

ORDER DIRECTING FILING

Issue Date: February 25, 2016 Effective Date: February 25, 2016

KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations Company ("GMO") filed tariffs, which propose a rate increase and constitute a general rate action, with a supporting application. The application includes a proposed procedural schedule along a timeline of eleven months. An eleven-month period for deciding this action is described by statute, but that period is a maximum, and no law requires the Commission to use the entire eleven-month period.

The Commission is considering whether to resolve this action within ten months of the date on which GMO filed the tariffs and application. That would include a determination on any tariffs filed in compliance with a Commission order.³ Before the Commission makes that determination, the Commission will hear the parties' responses on the matter.

Therefore, the Commission will direct the parties to file responses, and permit the parties to address the matter at an open meeting of the Commission under a posted agenda, as follows.

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¹ Electronic Filing and Information System No. 7 (February 23, 2016) Application.

² Section 393.150.1 and .2, RSMo 2000.

³ Section 393.140(11), RSMo 2000.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- 1. Each party shall file the response described in the body of this order no later than March 1, 2016, at 5:00 p.m.
- 2. Any party may address the matter under consideration, described in the body of this order, at the Commission's agenda on March 2, 2016.
 - 2. This order shall be effective when issued.

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BY THE COMMISSION

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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 25th day of February, 2016.