

**BEFORE THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF KANSAS**

In the Matter of an Annual Compliance Docket     )  
for Electric Supply Line Filings.                     ) Docket No. 20-GIME-017-CPL

**MOTION REQUESTING FISCAL YEAR 2021 DOCKET FOR ELECTRIC SUPPLY  
LINE FILINGS, APPROVAL OF AN UPDATED ELECTRIC SUPPLY LINE FORM,  
AND TO CLOSE DOCKET**

The Staff of the State Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas (Staff and Commission, respectively) submits the following Motion for various changes to the Electric Supply Line (EL) procedure and compliance docket:

1. In Docket No. 19-GIME-190-CPL (19-190 Docket), the Commission adopted a Staff recommendation to institute a formal process for receiving, reviewing, and processing Electric Supply Line (EL) notifications, applications, and approvals. Prior to that time, Staff had no record of the Commission either approving the then-current Form EL form or delegating its authority to Staff to approve the filings.<sup>1</sup>

2. Subsequently, on July 16, 2019, the Commission issued its *Order Opening an Annual Compliance Docket for Electric Supply Line Filings* (Order Opening Compliance Docket) in the above-captioned matter.<sup>2</sup> The Order Opening Compliance Docket established Docket No. 20-GIME-017-CPL as a repository docket to track all Electric Supply Line (EL) notifications, applications, and approvals for Fiscal Year 2020.<sup>3</sup> It also directed all public utilities to file K.A.R. 82-12-3 applications and all K.A.R. 82-12-5(a) notices in the instant docket, and allowed public utilities to continue utilizing the then-existing Form EL for K.A.R. 82-12-3 filings.<sup>4</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> Docket No. 19-GIME-190-CPL, Order Opening an Annual Compliance Docket for Electric Supply Line Filings, ¶2 (issued Nov. 15, 2018).

<sup>2</sup> *Order Opening Compliance Docket* (Jul. 16, 2019).

<sup>3</sup> *Id.* at ¶ 1.

<sup>4</sup> *Id.* at ¶¶ 3, 5-6.

3. As part of the Order Opening Compliance Docket, the Commission set forth a procedure for approval of the EL applications. The process authorized Staff to review and approve or deny any EL applications made in the docket, but also provided for Commission review for any person or entity aggrieved by any Staff decision.<sup>5</sup>

4. Staff has found this compliance docket helpful in tracking EL notifications, applications, and approvals. Staff recommends the Commission continue initiating annual compliance dockets, in which all EL-related filings and notices for that fiscal year can be housed. Staff also recommends the Commission close the compliance dockets at the end of the given fiscal year so that only one compliance docket remains open during each fiscal period. . This will allow Staff, various companies, and the public to access a particular EL form with greater ease based on the year it was filed.

5. Additionally, Staff made some minor edits to update Form EL to better capture pertinent information relating to the particular wire stringing application being filed. Attached to this Motion is a revised Form EL for Commission consideration and approval.

6. In summary, Staff requests the Commission grant this motion and (1) initiate an new EL compliance docket for Fiscal Year 2021 consistent with the Order Opening Compliance Docket in this matter (2) approve the attached and updated Form EL for use in the Fiscal Year 2021 docket, and (3) order the instant docket closed effective June 30, 2020.

7. Staff respectfully requests the Commission respond to this Motion on or before July 1, 2020, so the new Form EL and new compliance docket can align with the Commission's Fiscal Year 2021.

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<sup>5</sup> *Order Opening Compliance Docket* at ¶ 8.

WHEREFORE, Staff respectfully requests the Commission issue an order granting its request for a new annual EL compliance docket, approving the revised Form EL, and closing the instant docket.

Respectfully submitted,

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KANSAS CORPORATION COMMISSION  
UTILITIES DIVISION  
**OFFICIAL FORM "EL"**

Form EL  
July 2020  
Form must be signed  
All blanks must be filled or  
Application could be rejected

**Before the State Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas**

In The Matter of The Application of: \_\_\_\_\_ "EL" No. \_\_\_\_\_  
*Applicant**Assigned by the Commission*

**Location of Proposed Electric Supply Line Construction**

Section: \_\_\_\_\_ Township: \_\_\_\_\_ Range: \_\_\_\_\_

County: \_\_\_\_\_ Applicant's Unique Identification No.\*: \_\_\_\_\_

Describe briefly: \_\_\_\_\_

\* Applicant's identification of application and related papers.

**APPLICATION**

Comes now \_\_\_\_\_  
*Applicant*

Of \_\_\_\_\_, A \_\_\_\_\_  
*City/State**Corporation, Partnership, Individual or Municipality*

requesting the Commission to approve the operating characteristics, physical properties and location of proposed electric line, or change in electric line construction, located outside the corporate limit of any city, as shown on the accompanying map and as hereinafter more fully described.

The operating characteristics of this line are to be:

Operating Voltage \_\_\_\_\_ Volts, \_\_\_\_\_ Phase, \_\_\_\_\_ Hertz, Design Load \_\_\_\_\_ kiloWatts,  
Design Voltage \_\_\_\_\_ Volts, Phase-to-Phase Voltage \_\_\_\_\_ Volts, Number of Conductors \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Type of configuration [e.g. grounded wye] and points of grounding.*

The description of the location and points between which said proposed line is to be installed and operated are as follows:

**Physical Properties of Line**

Structures: Kind \_\_\_\_\_, Height (ft) \_\_\_\_\_, Class \_\_\_\_\_ Conductor: Type \_\_\_\_\_, Size \_\_\_\_\_, Average Span (ft): \_\_\_\_\_  
*(See NOTE below)**(e.g., ACSR)*

Has clearance been provided for other utilities? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Cost estimate: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Number and type of customers: \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE** - Please use the following abbreviations for predominate structure kind:

<b>SPW</b> - Single Pole, Wood	<b>SPF</b> - Single Pole, Fiberglass	<b>TS</b> - Tower, Steel	<b>SPS</b> - Single Pole, Steel	<b>HFW</b> - H-Frame, Wood
<b>O</b> - Other (please explain): _____	<b>SPC</b> - Single Pole, Concrete	<b>HFS</b> - H-Frame, Steel	<b>N/A</b> - Not Applicable	

The following is a correct list of all the utilities within 1/2 mile of proposed line. Absent a joint use or other agreement, all utilities listed below shall be notified in writing as provided in K.A.R. 82-12-5 and a copy of the notice shall be attached. Please indicate those utilities listed for which a joint use or other agreement has been made with an asterisk (\*).

Name:	Address:

Is this line within the Applicant's certificated area? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Is a Railroad within 1/2 mile of the contemplated construction? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Applicant further shows to the Commission that the construction of said proposed line shall be throughout in accordance with the Kansas Administrative Regulations, Article 12, 82-12-1 to 82-12-9, inclusive, adopted pursuant to K.S.A. 1982 Supp. 77-415, et seq., except Applicant further states that:

- Whenever the proposed line is to be located on private right-of-way, the land owner's lawful consent will be obtained;
- "Inductive coordination" has been or will be complied with as related specifically in K.A.R. 82-12-9;
- All utilities and railroads listed above have been notified in writing (a copy of which is attached) as provided in K.A.R. 82-12-5 and that such notice contains the statement that "if there is any objection to the Applicant's proposed line construction, such objection shall be forwarded to the State Corporation Commission within the time specified in K.A.R. 82-12-5 from date of notice."

Whereupon, Applicant requests that the State Corporation Commission approve the operating characteristics, physical properties, and location of the said proposed line, as hereinbefore described.

Signed at: \_\_\_\_\_, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_  
City, State Day Month Year

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant

#### INSTRUCTIONS:

**Submit 1 copy of Application along with:**

- Detailed map (scale not less than 1 inch per mile). On map, please provide locations of existing applicant-owned lines in sufficient detail to determine relative location(s) of proposed line(s).
- Copies of all notices to other utilities.
- Cost breakdown of "cost estimate" by units of property.

**Submit completed documents into Docket 21-GIME-XXX-CPL**

**Email ESRI shapefile to: [shapefile@kcc.ks.gov](mailto:shapefile@kcc.ks.gov)**

- Shapefile fields should contain: Company Name, County, Work Order No., Section, Township, Range, and Phase.

#### FOR OFFICIAL KCC USE ONLY

Plotted by: \_\_\_\_\_

Checked by: \_\_\_\_\_

Date Approved: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature and Title of Officer

## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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I, the undersigned, certify that a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing Motion for FY 2021 Docket and Updated Electric Supply Line Form and to Close Docket was served electronically this 18th day of June, 2020, to the following:

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