

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF)
KANSAS GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY,)
DOING BUSINESS AS WESTAR ENERGY, INC.)
FOR A CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC)
CONVENIENCE AND AUTHORITY TO)
TRANSACTION THE BUSINESS OF AN ELECTRIC)
PUBLIC UTILITY SPECIFICALLY IN) Docket No. 18-KG&E-344-COC
PORTIONS OF SECTIONS 16, 21, 28, 32, AND)
33 IN TOWNSHIP 30 SOUTH, RANGE 3 WEST;)
AND SECTIONS 4, 5, 8, 9, 17, 19 AND 20 IN)
TOWNSHIP 31 SOUTH, RANGE 3 WEST,)
SUMNER COUNTY, KS)

**APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND
AUTHORITY TO TRANSACTION THE BUSINESS OF AN ELECTRIC PUBLIC UTILITY,
TRANSMISSION RIGHTS ONLY**

COMES NOW Kansas Gas and Electric Company, doing business as Westar Energy, Inc.
(Westar Energy), and in support of its Application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and
Authority, for Transmission Rights only, states:

1. Westar Energy is a Kansas corporation authorized by the Commission pursuant to
K.S.A. 66-104 to conduct the business of a public utility, and as such holds a Certificate of
Convenience and Authority from this Commission to engage in the business of an electric public
utility in the State of Kansas, thereby promoting the public convenience.

2. Westar Energy seeks, subject to the Commission's approval, transmission rights
only in the Sumner-Cowley Electric Cooperative, Inc. (Sumner-Cowley) certified territory
described below:

SUMNER COUNTY, KANSAS

TRANSMISSION RIGHTS ONLY:

Westar requests transmission rights beginning at a point from the existing transmission
line (B) in the Southwest ¼ of Section 16, moving South through Sections 21, 28 and 33,
thence crossing into the Southeast ¼ of Section 32, all in Township 30 South, Range 3
West; thence South into Section 5, crossing into Section 4, thence South into Section 9,
thence crossing into Section 8, thence South into Sections 17 and 20, thence moving

Southwest into the Southeast ¼ of Section 19; all in Township 31 South, Range 3 West, ending at the Viola Substation (C) in Sumner County, Kansas as shown on Exhibit A, attached hereto.

3. Westar Energy previously submitted the EL Application "L-3601". The work order is 5818 P22866.


4. A copy of this application is being served on Sumner-Cowley by delivery of U.S. Mail, postage prepaid, addressed as follows:

Sumner-Cowley Electric Coop. Inc.
2223 North A Street
P.O. Box 220
Wellington, KS 67152

5. There is no other person or entity, corporate, municipal or otherwise that requires notice of this application.

THEREFORE, Westar Energy requests that a Certificate of Public Convenience and Authority be issued, granting Westar Energy authority to operate as an electric utility, for transmission rights only, in territory described in paragraph 2 above.

KANSAS GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY

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STATE OF KANSAS)
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COUNTY OF SHAWNEE) ss

Cathryn J. Dinges, of lawful age, being first duly sworn upon oath, deposes and states:

That she is the attorney for the within named applicant, that she has read the above and foregoing Application and that the statements therein contained are true according to her knowledge and belief.

Cathryn Dinges
Cathryn J. Dinges

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of February 2018.

Donna G. Quinn

Notary Public

My Appointment Expires:

8/28/2020

