

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

Before Commissioners: Shari Feist Albrecht, Chair
 Jay Scott Emler
 Dwight D. Keen

In the Matter of the Application of Kansas)
City Power & Light Company to Make) Docket No. 18-KCPE-480-RTS
Certain Changes in Its Charges for Electric)
Service.)

ORDER GRANTING INTERVENTION TO KANSAS GAS SERVICE

This matter comes before the State Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas (Commission) for consideration and determination. Having reviewed the pleadings and record, the Commission finds and concludes as follows:

1. On May 1, 2018, Kansas City Power & Light Company (KCP&L) filed an Application with supporting documents and testimony requesting authorization from the Commission to make certain changes in its charges for electric services in Kansas and for approval of other requests set forth in the Application.

2. On June 13, 2018, Kansas Gas Service, a division of ONE Gas, Inc. (KGS) filed a Petition for Intervention. KGS explained that its revenues would be affected by a KCP&L rate design that promotes electric space heating with discounted or promotional winter rates that provide lower electric rates for customers based on the type of space heating utilized by an electric customer.¹ KGS further stated that no other party can adequately and efficiently represent its interests in this proceeding.²

3. No party filed a response in opposition to KGS's Petition for Intervention.

¹ Petition for Intervention at 1-2 (Jun. 13, 2018).

² *Id.* at 2.

4. The Commission has broad discretion to grant a petition for intervention if it is in the interest of justice, if the intervention will not impair the orderly and prompt conduct of the proceedings, and if the party has stated facts demonstrating its legal rights, duties and privileges, immunities or other legal interests may be substantially affected by the proceeding.³ Furthermore, at any time during a proceeding, the Commission may impose limitations on an intervenor's participation.⁴

5. The Commission finds and concludes that KGS has met the requirements of K.A.R. 82-1-225 and K.S.A. 77-521 and should be granted intervention in this Docket. KGS will be added to the mailing list, service of pleadings, communications, and correspondence should be delivered to counsel of record, as follows:

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³ K.S.A. 77-521; K.A.R. 82-1-225.

⁴ K.S.A. 77-521(c).


THEREFORE, THE COMMISSION ORDERS:

- A. Kansas Gas Service, a division of ONE Gas, Inc. is granted intervention.
- B. Any party may file and serve a petition for reconsideration pursuant to the requirements and time limits established by K.S.A. 77-529(a)(1).⁵
- C. The Commission retains jurisdiction over the subject matter and the parties for the purpose of entering such further orders as it deems necessary.

BY THE COMMISSION IT IS SO ORDERED.

Albrecht, Chair; Emler, Commissioner; Keen, Commissioner.

Dated: 07/12/2018 _____

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Lynn M. Retz
Secretary to the Commission

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⁵ K.S.A. 66-118b; K.S.A. 77-503(c); K.S.A. 77-531(b).

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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I, the undersigned, certify that the true copy of the attached Order has been served to the following parties by means of electronic service on 07/12/2018.

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