

BEFORE THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

APR 30 2012

In the Matter of the Complaint Against)
Kansas City Power & Light Company)
by Jonathan A. Hammond)

by
State Corporation Commission
of Kansas
Docket No. 12-KCPE-722-COM

*MOTION OF KANSAS CITY POWER & LIGHT COMPANY
FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO ANSWER*

COME NOW Kansas City Power & Light Company ("KCP&L"), by and through its attorney, and submits the following Motion for Extension of Time to Answer the Complaint filed of Jonathan A. Hammond ("Complainant"). In support of this Motion, KCP&L states as follows:

1. On April 18, 2012, the Kansas Corporation Commission ("Commission") sent to KCP&L, via certified mail, a copy of the formal complaint by Jonathan A. Hammond ("April 18 Letter") and initiated the above-captioned proceeding ("Complaint").

2. In its April 18 Letter, the Commission requested that KCP&L file its answer within ten (10) days after receipt of the Complaint. KCP&L received the Complaint on April 20, 2012. Accordingly, KCP&L's answer would be due today, April 30, 2012.

3. Commission Rule KAR 82-1-217(b) provides that whenever an act is required or allowed to be done at or within a specified time, the Commission may grant an extension of time upon a showing of good cause.

4. KCP&L's respectfully requests a one week extension to file its answer to the Complaint, on or before May 7, 2012, because counsel for KCP&L has been out of town on company business since April 19, 2012 and returned to the office today, April 30, 2012.

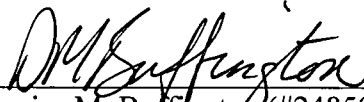
Consequently, counsel has not yet had an opportunity to prepare KCP&L's answer to the newly initiated formal Complaint.

5. KCP&L has contacted KCC Litigation Counsel on this matter and represents that she does not oppose this request for an extension of time.

6. Granting KCP&L's motion for extension of time will not impede this proceeding as no schedule has been established, nor will it negatively impact the rights of any party hereto. For these reasons, KCP&L respectfully submits that good cause exists for the Commission to grant its motion for extension of time.

WHEREFORE, KCP&L respectfully requests that the Commission grant this motion for extension of time to answer the Complaint.

Respectfully submitted,



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Dated: April 30, 2012

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

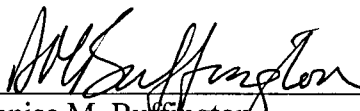
I hereby certify that a copy of the above and foregoing document was faxed, or mailed, postage prepaid, this 30th day of April, to:

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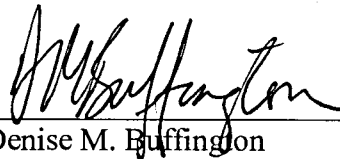
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Dear Ms. Petersen-Klein:

Please accept for filing an original and 8 copies of Kansas City Power & Light Company's *Motion for Extension of Time*. Please file-stamp the extra copy of the aforementioned included for that purpose and return in the self-addressed, postage prepaid envelope. Thank you for your assistance and attention to this matter.

Respectfully submitted,



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