BEFORE THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

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In the Matter of the Application of Kansas City Power & Light Company for Authority to Cease Transacting the Business of an Electric Public Utility in Specifically in a Portion of Section 35, Township 14 South, Range 23 East, In Johnson County, Kansas

Docket No. 17-KCPE-<u>559</u>-CCS

APPLICATION TO CEASE

COMES NOW, Kansas City Power & Light Company ("KCP&L") and in support of its

Application to Cease states:

1. KCP&L is a vertically integrated electric public utility company under the

jurisdiction of the Commission, which is engaged in the production, transmission, delivery and

furnishing of power within the meaning of K.S.A. 66-104, in legally designated areas of Kansas.

KCP&L holds a certificate of convenience and authority issued by the Commission, authorizing

KCP&L to engage in such utility business, thereby promoting the public convenience in the

following described territory:

JOHNSON COUNTY, KANSAS

A tract of land located in Dayton Creek's Subdivision located in the South ¹/₂ of the Northwest ¹/₄ and all of the Southwest ¹/₄ of Section 35, Township 14 South, Range 23 East (excluding the highway right-of-way); all located in City of Spring Hill, Johnson County, Kansas, as detailed on the map marked **Exhibit A** and attached hereto.

KCP&L and Westar Energy propose that the new territory line be Theden Street from North to South (Dayton Creek Subdivision).

Westar Energy shall provide electric service to all lots East of Theden Street, the new proposed territory line.

2. Westar certified territory is adjacent to the territory described in Paragraph 1.

3. Due to the close proximity between the two utilities and to avoid having underground equipment setting side by side the utilities determined using the center line of the new proposed street (Theden) would eliminate any possible confusion for employees and customers.

4. KCP&L has agreed to cease serving the tract of land described in Paragraph 1, subject to the Commission's approval.

5. KCP&L understands that Westar has filed an application with the Commission to expand its electric service territory to include the territories described in Paragraph 1 on April 13, 2017.

6. A copy of this application is being served on Westar by delivery of United States Mail, postage prepaid, addressed as follows:

> Cathy J. Dinges Westar Energy, Inc. 818 S. Kansas Avenue P.O. Box 889 Topeka, Kanas 66601-0889 Phone: (785) 575-8344 Fax: (785) 575-8136 Email: Cathy.Dinges@westarenergy.com

7. There is no other person or entity, corporate, municipal or otherwise that requires

notice of this Application.

Respectfully submitted,

<u>|s| Roger W. Steiner</u>

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COUNSEL FOR KANSAS CITY POWER & LIGHT COMPANY

VERIFICATION

STATE OF MISSOURI)) ss. COUNTY OF JACKSON)

I, Roger W. Steiner, being duly sworn, on oath state that I am Corporate Counsel -Regulatory Affairs of Kansas City Power & Light Company, that I have read the foregoing and know the contents thereof, and that the facts set forth therein are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

KANSAS CITY POWER & LIGHT COMPANY

The foregoing was subscribed and sworn to before me this 21^{sr} day of \mathcal{T}_{uv} , 2017.

Notary Rubli

My Commission Expires:

4/26/2021

ANTHONY R WESTENKIRCHNER Notary Public, Notary Seal State of Missouri Platte County Commission # 17279952 My Commission Expires April 26, 2021

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