

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

Before Commissioners: Pat Apple, Chairman
Shari Feist Albrecht
Jay Scott Emler

In the Matter of the Application of Mid-Kansas)
Electric Company, LLC for an Order Approving)
the Conversion of Mid-Kansas Electric) Docket No. 18-MKEE-014-MIS
Company, LLC to Mid-Kansas Electric)
Company, Inc.)
)

**ORDER GRANTING KANSAS ELECTRIC POWER COOPERATIVE, INC.'S
PETITION TO INTERVENE**

This matter comes before the State Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas (Commission) for consideration and decision. Having reviewed the pleadings and record, the Commission makes the following findings and conclusions:

I. Background

1. On July 12, 2017, Mid-Kansas Electric Company, LLC (Mid-Kansas) filed an application with the Commission for an Order approving the statutory conversion of Mid-Kansas from a limited liability company to a corporation.

2. On July 25, 2017, Kansas Electric Power Cooperative, Inc. (KEPCo) filed its Petition to Intervene asserting as its basis for intervention that the delivery costs of KEPCo to its members are affected by the rates for 34.5-kV Local Access Delivery Service charged by the member-owners of Mid-Kansas and that KEPCo and, ultimately, its members will or may be bound by any Commission order or activity in this proceeding, and KEPCo and its members may be adversely affected thereby.¹

¹ Petition to Intervene. [July 25, 2017], ¶ 4.

3. 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 which may be substantially affected by the proceeding.² Furthermore, at any time during a proceeding, the Commission may impose limitations on an intervenor's participation.³

4. The Commission finds and concludes that KEPCo has met the requirements of K.S.A. 77-521 and K.A.R. 82-1-225 and should be granted intervention in this docket. KEPCo 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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5. In addition to counsel of record for KEPCo listed above, service of electronic notices, pleadings, and correspondence should be delivered to KEPCo's other designee:

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² K.S.A. 77-521; K.A.R. 82-1-225.

³ K.S.A. 77-521(c).

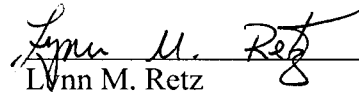
THEREFORE, THE COMMISSION ORDERS:

- A. KEPCo's Petition to Intervene is granted.
- B. Electronic service shall be used in this proceeding, including this Order.
- C. The parties have 15 days from the date of electronic service of this Order to petition for reconsideration.⁴
- D. The Commission retains jurisdiction over the subject matter and parties for the purpose of entering such further orders as it deems necessary.

BY THE COMMISSION IT IS SO ORDERED.

Apple, Chairman; Albrecht, Commissioner; Emler, Commissioner

Dated: AUG 24 2017


Lynn M. Retz
Secretary to the Commission

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⁴ K.S.A. 66-118b; K.S.A. 77-529(a)(1).

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 AUG 24 2017.

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