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BEFORE THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION

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Before Commissioners:

Thomas E. Wright, Chairman Michael C. Moffet Joseph F. Harkins

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In the Matter of the Application of Midwest Energy, Inc. for Approval to Make Certain Changes in its Charges for Electric Service.

Docket No. 08-MDWE-594-RTS

JOINT MOTION FOR CONTINUANCE

COMES NOW, Midwest Energy, Inc. ("MIDWEST"), the Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board ("CURB") and the Staff of the State Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas ("Staff" and "Commission" respectfully) and jointly move the Commission for a continuance of the evidentiary hearing in the above captioned matter from June 17-18, 2008 until June 23, 2008 at 1:30 p.m. In support of said motion, the parties state the following:

1. On February 25, 2008, the Commission issued an Order Granting Intervention to CURB and Establishing Procedural Schedule. In that order, an evidentiary hearing was scheduled for June 17, 2008.

2. The February 25, 2008 order established June 4, 2008 and June 5, 2008 as dates for settlement conferences. The parties met at that time, but were unable to agree on settlement terms. Since that time, the parties have continued to work towards settlement.

3. The parties have reached terms for a unanimous settlement in the above captioned case. The parties are now working to reduce the terms of the agreement to writing. The parties intend to file a Stipulation and Agreement on or before June 16, 2008.

4. Midwest and Staff plan to file testimony to support the Stipulation and Agreement. CURB has agreed to the settlement terms and will sign the Stipulation and Agreement, but does not plan to file testimony in support of the Stipulation and Agreement. Staff and Midwest will file testimony supporting the Stipulation and Agreement on or before Wednesday, June 18, 2008.

5. The parties have agreed and in consultation with Charles Reimer, Advisory Counsel, request that the hearing in the above captioned matter be continued until Monday, June 23, 2008 at 1:30 p.m.

WHEREFORE, for the reasons stated above, Midwest Energy, Inc., the Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board, and Staff of the State Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas jointly request the Commission continue the hearing in the above captioned matter from June 17, 2008, until June 23, 2008, at 1:30 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

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STATE OF KANSAS)) ss. COUNTY OF SHAWNEE)

VERIFICATION

Matthew A. Spurgin, being duly sworn upon his oath deposes and states that he is Litigation Counsel for the State Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas, that he has read and is familiar with the foregoing *Joint Motion* and that the statements contained therein are true and correct to the best of his knowledge, information and belief.

Matthew A. Spurgin, # 20470 Kansas Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas

Subscribed and sworn to before me this // thday of June 2008.

Notary Public - State of Kansas My Appt. Expires 08-17-201/

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My Appointment Expires: august 17, 2611

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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I, the undersigned, hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing Joint Motion For Continuance was placed in the United States mail, postage prepaid, or hand-delivered this 12th day of June, 2008, to the following:

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