THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

Mark Sievers, Chairman Thomas E. Wright

Shari Feist Albrecht

In the Matter of the Application of Kansas City Power & Light Company for Approval To Extend its Demand-Side Management))	Docket No. 14-KCPE-042-TAR
Programs.)	

SUSPENSION ORDER

The above-captioned matter comes before the State Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas (Commission) for consideration and decision. Having reviewed the files and records, and being duly advised in the premises, the Commission makes the following findings:

- 1. On July 18, 2013, KCP&L filed an Application requesting the Commission approve a two-year extension of its Demand Side Management (DSM) programs.¹
- 2. A full investigation of the Application, which may result in a hearing, is deemed necessary and appropriate. Absent suspension of the Application's effectiveness, Commission Staff is without sufficient time to fully review, consider, and analyze KCP&L's request. Pursuant to the approved procedural schedule, Staff will file a Report and Recommendation by May 20, 2014.
- 3. The Commission finds and concludes that suspension of the effectiveness of the Application and deferral of its effective date are required to allow sufficient time for full investigation of this matter. Pursuant to K.S.A. 66-117(c), the Application shall be suspended for a period of 240 days from the date the application was made.

¹ Application of KCP&L for Approval to Extend its Demand-Side Management Programs, July 18, 2013.

4. KCP&L has expressly waived the 240 day deadline to the extent necessary to accommodate a jointly-requested procedural schedule.² Therefore, the deadline for a final Commission Order in this docket is Thursday, July 31, 2014. A Commission decision may be issued before such date.

IT IS, THEREFORE, BY THE COMMISSION ORDERED THAT:

A. Pursuant to K.S.A. 66-117(c), the Application in the above-captioned docket shall be suspended and the effective date deferred until July 31, 2014.

B. Parties have 15 days from the date of electronic service of this Order in which to petition the Commission for reconsideration.³

C. The Commission retains jurisdiction over the subject matter and parties for the purpose of entering such further order, or orders, as it may deem necessary and proper.

BY THE COMMISSION IT IS SO ORDERED.

Sievers, Chairman; Wright, Commissioner; Albrecht, Commissioner

Dated:	DEC	12	2013	

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Kim Christiansen Executive Director

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² Joint Motion to Lift Stay and Set Procedural Schedule, December 2, 2013, ¶ 8.

³ K.S.A. 66-118b; K.S.A. 77-529(a)(1).

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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I, the undersigned, hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing Suspension Order was served by electronic mail this 12th day of December, 2013, to the following parties who have waived receipt of follow-up hard copies:

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