

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

Before Commissioners: Andrew J. French, Chairperson  
Dwight D. Keen  
Annie Kuether

In the Matter of Evergy Kansas Central, Inc )  
and Evergy Kansas Metro Filing Tariffs to )  
Update Retail Energy Cost Adjustment )  
(RECA) for Evergy Kansas Central, Inc., ) Docket No. 25-EKCE-205-TAR  
Energy Cost Adjustment (ECA) for Evergy )  
Kansas Metro and the Parallel Generation )  
Rider (PGR) Tariffs for Evergy Kansas )  
Central. Inc. )

**SUSPENSION ORDER: JUNE 30, 2025**

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

**I. Background**

1. On November 1, 2024, Evergy Kansas Central, Inc. (“EKC”) and Evergy Kansas Metro (“EKM”) (collectively referred to herein as “Evergy” or the “Company”) filed with the Commission an Application requesting to update the Retail Energy Cost Adjustment (RECA) for EKC, Energy Cost Adjustment (ECA) for EKM, and the Parallel Generation Rider (PGR) tariff for EKC as it follows the fuel clause tariff. <sup>1</sup>

**II. Suspension Order**

2. K.S.A. 66-117(c) states in part:

The commission shall not delay the effective date of the proposed change in rate, joint rate, toll, charge or classification or schedule of charges, or in any rule or regulation or practice pertaining to the service or rates of any such public utility or common carrier, more than 240 days beyond the date the public utility

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<sup>1</sup> Evergy Kansas Central Application (Nov. 1, 2024) (Application).

or common carrier filed its application requesting the proposed change. If the commission does not suspend the proposed schedule within 30 days of the date the same is filed by the public utility or common carrier, such proposed schedule shall be deemed approved by the commission and shall take effect on the proposed effective date.

3. A full investigation of the Application, which may result in a hearing, is deemed necessary and proper. Absent suspension, the Commission and its Staff are without sufficient time to fully review, consider, and analyze whether approval of the Application will result in just and reasonable rates.

4. 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. The effectiveness of the Application is hereby suspended for a period of 240 days from the date it was filed, November 1, 2024, until June 30, 2024, pursuant to K.S.A. 66-117(c).<sup>2</sup> A Commission decision may be issued before such date.

**THEREFORE, THE COMMISSION ORDERS:**

A. Pursuant to K.S.A. 66-117(c), the Application and the proposed schedule in the above-captioned docket shall be suspended, and the effective date deferred, until June 30, 2025, pending other action by the Commission.

B. Electronic service shall be utilized for serving pleadings/motions and orders.

C. Any party may file and serve a petition for reconsideration pursuant to the requirements and time limits established by K.S.A. 77-529(a)(1).<sup>3</sup>

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<sup>2</sup> The 240-day time period ends Saturday/Sunday, June 29, 2025. Pursuant to K.S.A. 77-503(c), the deadline is extended until the end of the next day which is not a Saturday, a Sunday, or a legal holiday, which is Monday, June 30, 2025.

<sup>3</sup> K.S.A. 66-118b; K.S.A. 77-503(c); K.S.A. 77-531(b).

**BY THE COMMISSION IT IS SO ORDERED.**

French, Chairperson; Keen, Commissioner; Kuether,  
Commissioner

Dated: 11/14/2024



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Lynn M. Retz  
Executive Director

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## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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I, the undersigned, certify that a true copy of the attached Order has been served to the following by means of electronic service on 11/14/2024.

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