BEFORE THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF)	
EVERGY KANSAS SOUTH, INC. FOR)	
AUTHORITY TO TRANSACT THE BUSINESS)	
OF AN ELECTRIC PUBLIC UTILITY)	Docket No. 25-EKSE-224 - COC
SPECIFICALLY, IN A PORTION OF SECTION)	
36, TOWNSHIP 26 SOUTH, RANGE 02 EAST,)	
SEDGWICK COUNTY, KANSAS)	

APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND AUTHORITY TO TRANSACT THE BUSINESS OF AN ELECTRIC PUBLIC UTILITY

COMES NOW, Evergy Kansas South, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Kansas South ("Evergy Kansas South"), and in support of its *Application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Authority* ("Application"), states as follows:

1. Evergy Kansas South is a Kansas corporation authorized by the Commission to conduct the business of a public utility under the provisions of K.S.A. 66-104, and as such holds a Certificate of Convenience and Authority from this Commission to engage in the business of an electric public utility in the State of Kansas, thereby promoting the public convenience. Evergy Kansas South seeks to serve, subject to the Commission's approval, in Butler Rural Electric Cooperative Association, Inc. ("Butler Rural") certified territory described below:

SEDGWICK COUNTY, KANSAS

A tract of land that is located in the Southern ½ of the West ½ of the North ½ of the Northwest ¼ in Township 26S, Range 02E, Section 36 of Sedgwick County, Kansas. See Exhibit A.

- 2. Evergy Kansas South's certified territory is adjacent to the territory described in paragraph 1.
- 3. Both Evergy and Butler Rural have assets about ¼ mile away that would feed the proposed house location. It would be more feasible for the customer for Evergy to serve the home.

4. Evergy Kansas South and Butler Rural have mutually agreed, subject to the Commission's approval, that Evergy Kansas South should serve as an electric public utility in

the territory described in paragraph 1.

5. A copy of this application is being served on Butler Rural by delivery of United

States Mail, postage prepaid, addressed as follows:

Jeff Adams
Vice President of Operations
Butler Rural Electric Cooperative Association, Inc.
P O Box 1242, 216 S. Vine
EL Dorado, Kansas 67042

There is no other person or entity, corporate, municipal or otherwise that requires notice of this Application.

THEREFORE, Evergy Kansas South requests that an Order be issued, granting Evergy Kansas South the authority to serve as an electric public utility in the territory described in paragraph 1 above.

EVERGY KANSAS SOUTH, INC.

BY: Is | Cathryn J. Dinges

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STATE OF MISSOURI)	
)	SS
COUNTY OF JACKSON)	

Cathryn J. Dinges, of lawful age, being first duly sworn upon oath, deposes and states:

That she is the attorney for the within named applicant, that she has read the above and foregoing Application and that the statements therein contained are true according to her knowledge and belief.

Cathryn J. Dinges

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of November 2024.

My Appointment Expires:

4/24/2025

ANTHONY R. WESTENIGRCHINER
NOTARY PUBLIC - NOTARY SEAL
STATE OF MISSOURI
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES APRIL 26, 2025
PLATTE COUNTY
COMMISSION #17279952

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the above was electronically served, hand-delivered or mailed, postage prepaid, this 26th day of November 2024 to:

CATHRYN J. DINGES EVERGY KANSAS CENTRAL, INC 818 S KANSAS AVE PO BOX 889 TOPEKA, KS 66601-0889 Cathy.Dinges@evergy.com

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|s| Cathryn J. Dinges

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