### THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

Before Commissioners:

Andrew J. French, Chairperson Dwight D. Keen Annie Kuether

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In the Matter of the Complaint Against Evergy Kansas Central, Inc. by Teddy Banks and Kristy Little.

Docket No. 25-EKCE-142-COM

## **ORDER GRANTING MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE OUT OF TIME**

This matter comes before the State Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas ("Commission"). Having examined its pleadings and records, the Commission concludes the following:

1. On August 29, 2024, Teddy Banks and Kristy Little ("Complainants") filed a Formal Complaint against Evergy Kansas Central, Inc. ("Evergy");<sup>1</sup> and on September 17, 2024, the Commission issued its Order Making *Prima Facie* Determination, wherein the Commission found Complainants had proffered a sufficient complaint that Evergy provided an unreasonably high quote to provide electricity to their residence.<sup>2</sup>

2. On September 27, 2024, Evergy filed a Motion for Leave to File Out of Time requesting leave to file its Answer out of time no later than Friday, October 4, 2024, in order for Evergy to attempt to settle the Complaint.<sup>3</sup>

3. K.A.R. 82-1-217(b) allows the Commission to extend any deadline for good cause. Therefore, pursuant to K.A.R. 82-1-217(b), the Commission grants Evergy's Motion for Leave to File Out of Time to October 4, 2024, to file a response to the Formal Complaint.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Formal Complaint Against Evergy by Teddy Banks and Kristy Little ("Complaint") (Aug. 29, 2024).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Order on Prima Facie Determination (Sep. 17, 2024).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Evergy's Motion to File Out of Time (Sep. 27, 2024).

# THEREFORE, THE COMMISSION ORDERS:

A. The Commission grants the extension of time for Evergy to answer the Complaint

until 5 p.m., Friday, October 4, 2024.

# BY THE COMMISSION IT IS SO ORDERED.

French, Chairperson; Keen, Commissioner; Kuether, Commissioner

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

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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 \_\_\_\_\_10/03/2024

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