# BEFORE THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

Before Commissioners:

Pat Apple, Chairman Shari Feist Albrecht Jay Scott Emler

In the Matter of a General Investigation for ) the Purpose of Investigating Whether Annual ) or Periodic Cost/Benefit Reporting by SPP ) and Kansas Electric Utilities that Participate ) in SPP is in the Public Interest. )

Docket No. 17-SPPE-117-GIE

# MOTION FOR ADMISSION OF TESSIE KENTNER AND KANDI N. HUGHES PRO HAC VICE

Pursuant to Kansas Supreme Court Rule 116, I, John R. Wine, Jr., legal counsel for Southwest Power Pool, Inc. ("SPP") in this proceeding, move that Tessie Kentner and Kandi N. Hughes, in-house counsel for SPP, be admitted to practice before the State Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas ("Commission") for purposes of this case only.

I certify that I am a member in good standing of the Kansas bar. In compliance with Supreme Court Rule 116(b), I will sign all pleadings and other papers which are filed before the Commission. I also will be actively engaged in this case, and be present for all appearance, to the extent required by the Commission.

Pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 116(e), I have attached the Affidavits of Tessie Kentner and Kandi N. Hughes in support of this motion.

Respectfully submitted,

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Attorney for Southwest Power Pool, Inc.

# VERIFICATION K.S.A. 53-601

STATE OF KANSAS ) ) COUNTY OF SHAWNEE )

ss:

I verify under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

John R. Wine, Jr.

Executed on May 1, 2017.

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### AFFIDAVIT IN SUPPORT OF MOTION FOR ADMISSION OF TESSIE KENTNER PRO HAC VICE

Tessie Kentner, being duly sworn upon her oath, deposes and says:

1. I represent Southwest Power Pool, Inc. ("SPP"), which is filing Entry of Appearance in the above captioned docket concurrently with the Motion for Admission of Tessie Kentner and Kandi N. Hughes Pro Hac Vice.

2. SPP's local counsel for this proceeding is John R. Wine, Jr., whose contact information is as follows:

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3. My residential address, business address, business email, business phone, and business fax are as follows:

Residential Address:Little Rock, Pulaski County, ArkansasBusiness Address:201 Worthen Drive

**Business Email: Business Phone: Business Fax:** 

Little Rock, AR 72223 tkentner@spp.org 501-688-1782 501-482-2022

4. I am admitted to and a member in good standing of the bar of the State of Arkansas, being admitted in September, 2007. My state bar number is 2007240.

5. I am not currently, nor have I ever been, the subject of public discipline, including but not limited to suspension or disbarment, in any jurisdiction.

6. I have not been admitted pro hac vice before the Commission within the last twelve months.

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NOT.

#### VERIFICATION

STATE OF ARKANSAS ) ) ss: COUNTY OF PULASKI )

Tessie Kentner, of lawful age, being first duly sworn upon her oath states that:

She is one of the attorneys in KCC Docket No. 17-SPPE-117-GIE; she has read the foregoing Affidavit in Support for Admission of Tessie Kentner Pro Hac Vice, and upon information and belief, states that the matters therein appearing are true and correct.

Tessie Kentner

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me on this did day of April, 2017.

Michelle Maris

My appointment expires:

04.01.2018



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in SPP is in the Public Interest.	)	

# AFFIDAVIT IN SUPPORT OF MOTION FOR ADMISSION OF KANDI N. HUGHES PRO HAC VICE

Kandi N. Hughes, being duly sworn upon her oath, deposes and says:

1. I represent Southwest Power Pool, Inc. ("SPP"), which is filing Entry of Appearance in the above captioned docket concurrently with the Motion for Admission of Tessie Kentner and Kandi N. Hughes Pro Hac Vice.

2. SPP's local counsel for this proceeding is John R. Wine, Jr., whose contact information is as follows:

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3. My residential address, business address, business email, business phone, and business fax are as follows:

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Business Phone:	501-482-2398
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4. I am admitted to and a member in good standing of the bar of the State of Arkansas, being admitted in April, 2010. My state bar number is 2010029.

5. I am not currently, nor have I ever been, the subject of public discipline, including but not limited to suspension or disbarment, in any jurisdiction.

6. I have not been admitted *pro hac vice* before the Commission within the last twelve months.

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NOT.

#### **VERIFICATION**

STATE OF ARKANSAS ) ) ss: COUNTY OF PULASKI )

Kandi N. Hughes, of lawful age, being first duly sworn upon her oath states that:

She is one of the attorneys in KCC Docket No. 17-SPPE-117-GIE; she has read the foregoing Affidavit in Support for Admission of Kandi N. Hughes *Pro Hac Vice*, and upon information and belief, states that the matters therein appearing are true and correct.

Kaulin. Hughes

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me on this 28th day of April, 2017.

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My appointment expires:

04.01.2018

MICHELLE HARRIS Notary Public-Arkansas Pulaski County My Commission Expires 04-01-2018 Commission # 12365480

#### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the above Petition to Intervene was sent via email, this 1st day of May, 2017, to the following:

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