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KANSAS CORPORATION COMMISSION

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Mr. Don Low
Director, Utilities Division
Kansas Corporation Commission
1500 SW Arrowhead Road
Topeka, KS 66604-4027

Susan K. Duffy Docket
Room

Re: Economic Development Rate Activity

Dear Mr. Low:

Pursuant to the Commission's orders in Docket Nos. 154,608-U and 87-KGE-460-TAR, attached please find the semi-annual report regarding recent activity related to Westar Energy's Economic Development Rider-Electric (EDE) and KGE's Economic Development Rider (EDR).

If you need additional information, please contact me at 785-575-1793.

Sincerely,

Michael B. Heim

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Coordinator, Regulatory

Attachments

CC: Dick Rohlf

Westar Energy, Inc. (WEN)
Economic Development Rider Report

<u>Name</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>KW</u>	<u>kWh/Yr.</u>	<u>Capital Investment</u>	<u>Jobs Created</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Anniversary Date</u>	<u>Re-opened, Expansion, New Company</u>	<u>Account #</u>
No additions	-		-	\$ -	-				
Total 2003									
Huhtamaki Com Packaging	De Soto	800	2,500,000	\$ 1,050,000	13	Paper cup forming machines	9/1/2004	New Company	# 5942616118
UPU Industries	Junction City	1,200	6,500,000	11,000,000	50	Plastic processing	10/1/2004	New Company	# 3293581640
Total 2004	2	2,000	9,000,000	\$ 12,050,000	63				
Menu Foods	Emporia	1,050	3,292,800	\$ 11,000,000	76	Production line equipment	6/1/2005	Expansion	# 5263570766
Jostens	Topeka	484	1,230,204	833,560	28	Printing and binding	6/15/2005	Expansion	# 2239763272
Total 2005	2	1,534	4,523,004	\$ 11,833,560	104				
No additions	-	-	-	\$ -	-				
Total 2006									
Airtex Manufacturing	De Soto	250	657,000	\$2,500,000	35	HVAC Manufacturer	7/1/2007	Expansion	#1081197007
Packware	Lawrence	4,000	15,000,000	30,000,000	43	Thermoform plastic processing	10/1/2007	Expansion	#1228659711
Total 2007	2	4,250	15,657,000	\$ 32,500,000	78				
Grand Total	6	7,784	29,180,004	\$ 56,383,560	245				

**KGE, a Westar Energy Company (WES)
Economic Development Rider Report**

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Matcor Metal Fabrication Inc.	Independence	530	2,321,400	10,000,000	40	Metal fabrication	4/1/2003	New Company	# 9694303484
Total 2003		530	2,321,400	\$ 10,000,000	40				
Superior Industries International Inc	Pittsburg	1,500	10,000,000	15,000,000	80	Manufacturer of aluminum wheels	2/1/2004	Expansion	# 2295126655
Total 2004		1,500	10,000,000	\$ 15,000,000	80				
Spears Mfg Co	Caney	750	3,200,000	3,200,000	75	Manufacturer of plastic fittings	10/1/2005	Expansion new building	# 477789004
Total 2005		750	3,200,000	\$ 3,200,000	75				
Cessna	Wichita	4,000	24,324,300	40,000,000	800	Manufacturer of airplanes	2/1/2006	Expansion	# 4220672902
Total 2006		4,000	24,324,300	\$ 40,000,000	800				
No additions									
Total 2007		-	-	\$ -	-				
Grand Total	4	6,780	39,845,700	\$ 68,200,000	995				