## THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

Before Commissioners:

Andrew J. French, Chairperson

Dwight D. Keen Annie Kuether

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) Docket No. 25-EKCE-205-TAR
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## ORDER ASSESSING COSTS

The above-captioned matter comes before the State Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas (Commission) for consideration and determination. Having examined its files and records and being fully advised in the premises, the Commission finds and concludes the following:

- 1. The Commission is authorized to assess the expenses of a proceeding, opened upon its own motion, on complaint, or upon an application to it, if the expenses attributable to the investigation exceed the sum of \$100.\frac{1}{2}\$ Therefore, if the \$100 threshold is met in this matter, the Commission will assess these expenses against Evergy Kansas Central, Inc. and Evergy Kansas Metro.
- 2. Expenses attributable to this docket shall be assessed beginning three (3) days after the notice of assessment is given by service of this Order. Evergy Kansas Central, Inc. and Evergy Kansas Metro are hereby notified that they have the right to request a hearing regarding this assessment in accordance with the provisions of the Kansas administrative procedure act,

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> K.S.A. 66-1502 and 66-1513.

K.S.A. 77-501 et seq.<sup>2</sup>

THEREFORE THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

A. Evergy Kansas Central, Inc. and Evergy Kansas Metro are assessed the costs of

this proceeding.

B. 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>

C. The Commission retains jurisdiction over the subject matter and parties for the

purpose of entering such further orders as it may deem necessary.

BY THE COMMISSION IT IS SO ORDERED.

French, Chairperson; Keen, Commissioner; Kuether, Commissioner

Dated:	11/07/2024	
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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> K.S.A. 66-1502.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> K.S.A. 66-1502; K.S.A. 66-118b; K.S.A. 77-503(c); K.S.A. 77-513(b).

## **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

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