BEFORE THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF)		
EVERGY KANSAS CENTRAL, INC FOR)		
AUTHORITY TO CEASE TRANSACTING TH	E)		
BUSINESS OF AN ELECTRIC PUBLIC UTILI	TY)	Docket No.	22-EKCE-037-CCS
SPECIFICALLY, IN SECTION 10,)		
TOWNSHIP 16 SOUTH, RANGE 04 WEST)		
IN SALINE COUNTY, KANSAS)		

APPLICATION TO CEASE

COMES NOW Evergy Kansas Central Inc. d/b/a Evergy Kansas Central ("Evergy Kansas Central"), and in support of its Application to Cease states:

1. Evergy Kansas Central 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 in the following described territory:

SALINE COUNTY, KANSAS

The tract of land is located in the N ½ of the SE ¼ of Section 10, Township 16S, Range 04W in Saline County, KS. See Exhibit A.

- 2. DS&O Electric Cooperative Inc ("DS&O") certified territory is adjacent to the territory described in paragraph 1.
- 3. Evergy Kansas Central's existing service is approximately 2,100' south of customer described in paragraph 1. And DS&O's existing service is 540' from the customer described in paragraph 1. See Exhibit B.
- 4. Evergy Kansas Central's construction costs would create a financial burden for the customer described in paragraph 1, compared to the construction costs from DS&O.

- 5. Evergy Kansas Central and DS&O have mutually agreed, subject to the Commission's approval, that DS&O should serve as the electric provider in the territory described in paragraph 1.
- 6. Evergy Kansas Central understands that DS&O has filed or will soon file an application with the Commission to expand its electric service territory to include the territory described in paragraph 1.
- 7. A copy of this application is being served on DS&O by delivery of United States Mail, postage prepaid, addressed as follows:

DS&O Electric Cooperative Inc. Tracy Turner, Staking Engineer 201 Dakota Drive Solomon, KS 67480

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

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

EVERGY KANSAS CENTRAL, INC.

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STATE OF KANSAS SS COUNTY OF SHAWNEE)

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 16 day of

NOTARY PUBLIC - State of Kansas

My Appointment Expires:

PROPOSED CEASE TO SERVE







