

**THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF KANSAS**

Before Commissioners: Mark Sievers, Chairman
 Thomas E. Wright

In the Matter of the Application by Kansas)
City Power & Light Company for a Waiver)
Regarding the Kansas Renewable Energy) Docket No. 12-KCPE-862-MIS
Standards Act for 2012.)

**ORDER GRANTING INTERVENTION TO CITIZENS' UTILITY RATEPAYER
BOARD**

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 as follows:

1. On June 1, 2012, Kansas City Power & Light (KCP&L) filed an Application for an order from the Commission allowing KCP&L until December 31, 2012, to satisfy the requirements of the Kansas Renewable Energy Standards Act (RES Act) and the Electric Utility Renewable Energy Standards for the calendar year 2012. In the alternative, KCP&L seeks an order waiving any potential penalty associated with failure to comply with the RES Act for calendar year 2012, so long as KCP&L complies no later than December 31, 2012.

2. Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board (CURB) petitioned the Commission on June 5, 2012, to permit it to intervene in this proceeding.

3. CURB represents the interests of residential and small commercial ratepayers in Kansas. CURB contends that these customers may be adversely affected by this proceeding, and, without CURB's intervention, their interests are not adequately protected.

4. The Commission has broad discretion to grant a petition for intervention if it is in

the interest of justice, if the intervention will not impair the orderly and prompt conduct of the proceedings, and if the party has stated facts demonstrating its legal rights, duties, privileges, immunities, or other legal interests may be substantially affected by the proceeding. K.S.A. 2011 Supp. 77-521; K.A.R. 82-1-225. Furthermore, at any time during a proceeding, the Commission may impose limitations on an intervenor's participation. K.S.A. 2011 Supp. 77-521(c).

5. The Commission finds and concludes that CURB has met the requirements of K.S.A. 2011 Supp. 77-521 and K.A.R. 82-1-225 and should be granted intervention.

6. Counsel for CURB will be added to the mailing list. Service of pleadings, communications, and correspondence should be delivered to counsel of record and their other designees, as follows:

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IT IS, THEREFORE, BY THE COMMISSION ORDERED THAT:


A. Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board is granted intervention in the above-captioned proceeding.

B. Parties have 15 days, plus three days if service of this Order is by mail, from the date of service of this Order in which to petition the Commission for reconsideration. K.S.A. 66-118b; K.S.A. 2011 Supp. 77-529(a)(1).

C. The Commission retains jurisdiction over the subject matter and parties for the purpose of entering such further order, or orders, as it may deem necessary and proper.

BY THE COMMISSION IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: **JUN 19 2012**


ORDER MAILED JUN 19 2012
Patrice Petersen-Klein
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