

## MINUTES OF THE SENATE UTILITIES COMMITTEE.

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Sen. Pat Ranson at 1:30 p.m. on January 19, 2000 in Room 531-N of the Capitol.

All members were present except:  
Sen. Hensley was excused

Committee staff present:  
Lynne Holt, Legislative Research Department  
Mary Torrence, Revisors of Statute Office  
Jeanne Eudaley, Committee Secretary

Conferees appearing before the committee:  
Jeff Wagaman, Executive Director, Kansas Corporation Commission  
Larry Holloway, Acting Utility Division Director, Kansas Corporation Commission

Others attending:  
See attached list

Sen. Ranson welcomed Jeff Wagaman, the new Executive Director of the commission, who spoke briefly to the committee. He then introduced other new commission staff members: Leo Haynos, Supervisor of Natural Gas Pipeline Safety and Janette Luehring, Chief of Telecommunications; he acknowledged Glenda Cafer, General Counsel and Tom Day, Legislative Liaison, both of whom have appeared before the committee. Mr. Wagaman introduced Larry Holloway, Acting Director of Utilities, who gave a status report to the committee.

Mr. Holloway began his presentation with brief remarks, noting that the KCC closed approximately 80% of the dockets opened in calendar year 1999. He called attention to a status report on KCC Utility Dockets (Attachment 1) and distributed the following documents to the committee:

1. Activities Update of the Kansas Corporation Commission-Utilities Division (Attachment 2)
2. Kansas Corporation Commission; Weekly Sections-Electric, January 14, 2000(Attachment 3).

The following documents were distributed to the committee and are available from the Kansas Corporation Commission:

1. Kansas Electric Utility Information, January 2000
2. Map depicting Kansas Average Electric Rates Cost per KWh
3. Map of certified areas of Retail Electric Suppliers in Kansas
4. Map of certified areas of Natural Gas Public Utilities in Kansas.

Mr. Holloway called the committees' attention to Docket No. 97-WSRE-676-MER, Application of Western Resources to Acquire KCPL. The KCC approved the merger on September 28, 1999, and the Order contained stipulations, which he outlined to the committee. In December, 1999, the City of Wichita appealed the KCC Order to the Shawnee County District Court, citing lack of rate parity. On January 3, 2000, KCPL terminated the agreement and Western Resources withdrew its application. Mr. Holloway pointed out that it is anticipated a resolution of the case before Shawnee County District Court will be forthcoming.

Mr. Holloway stated that Docket No. 99-GIME-321-GIE, Investigation of Adequacy of Future Kansas Electric Generating Capacity, was opened in November, 1998, to investigate future Kansas generation. A Southwest Power Pool report indicated that Kansas' utilities would not have adequate generation capacity to assure reliable service by the year 2002. Mr. Holloway stated they investigated all utilities in the state, which included approximately 120 municipals and 30 some coops, and covered 98-99 percent of the utilities in the state. Mr. Holloway stated the response was outstanding, and the Commission's Order of August 3, 1999, concluded Kansas has adequate generation capacity through 2005. Mr. Holloway went over the Commission's Order that stipulated (1) utilities file semiannual statements of material obligations and commitments that could affect their ability to provide electric service to retail customers; and (2) directed staff to open a docket to determine Commission's role in public appeals for

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conservation; whether the Commission should adopt rules or guidelines for public appeals for conservation.

Sen. Ranson asked questions regarding the status of the generation capacity and if it is adequate to the year 2005, and Mr. Holloway assured her that the latest report shows the reliability of the entire system, which includes all wholesalers and meets more than the adequate margin. Sen. Steffes asked questions regarding excess power in the state and transmission capabilities and whether they are in place. Mr. Holloway answered that the transmission facilities, which are in place, comprise a complex system; and that power is traded back and forth regionally, which makes it difficult to determine the effects. In answer to questions from Sen. Salisbury, Mr. Holloway explained the 2 to 3 year plan projections and that the Southwest Power Pool was a 9- year study, with a time frame projection to 2005.

Mr. Holloway continued by reviewing siting applications by Kansas utilities for generation capacity, and the fact that the Commission determined that Empire Electric Company did not need a filing permit. Mr. Holloway referred to the summary of those dockets on Page 13 of the Activities Update. Mr. Holloway explained the docket and application of Southwestern Public Service Company for construction of a 345 kV transmission line, which includes construction in the states of Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas and Colorado under the Transmission Siting Act. It includes construction from north of Amarillo, Texas, to the Sunflower Electric Power Cooperatives Holcomb Generating plant, and includes a DC intertie to the Western Grid in Lamar, Colorado. The application requested permission to construct approximately 153 miles of 345 kV transmission lines within Kansas. In July, 1999, the Commission issued an Order finding that (1) the proposed line is necessary and in the public interest, (2) the location of proposed line is reasonable, and (3) SPS used an appropriate planning process involving the public to evaluate alternative routes and to choose the proposed route. The Order approved Southwestern Public Service's application for a siting permit, subject to the condition that SPS continue to demonstrate flexibility in working with affected landowners. Sen. Ranson asked questions regarding complaints from the landowners.

Mr. Holloway continued by explaining the investigation into public appeals for conservation, which came out of a round-table discussion, and impacts regional problems dealing with the security and ability of the grid, and whether the Commission should adopt requirements or guidelines dealing with the problem. Mr. Holloway briefly discussed the docket dealing with WestPlains Energy over justification of existing rates, which was heard in December with the Commission Order expected this week.

Mr. Holloway called attention to the natural gas dockets, and the investigation into distribution of Ad Valorem tax refunds for interstate pipeline direct sales customers. This matter, which was required by FERC, involves monies from Kansas producers paid to interstate pipelines who have made refunds to local distribution companies. Interstate pipelines made direct retail sales to end use customers, and the direct retail sales were not subject to FERC jurisdiction. A procedural schedule has been proposed by the KCC, but Williams Pipeline and several other interstates have opposed it while they continue to dispute KCC jurisdiction in the Court of Appeals. Monies returned to the LDCs are being held in interest bearing accounts pending litigation. Sen. Ranson stated the committee has heard testimony on the Ad Valorem tax issue and will set aside additional time for the issue; Sen. Morris indicated his interest in pursuing the subject.

Mr. Holloway referred to a generic docket regarding benefits of a restructured natural gas market and should it be extended to all retail customers. The Commission found it would be most productive to develop changes and identified two areas to pursue: (1) change the way LDCs acquire and purchase gas on behalf of retail customers and (2) allow retail customers to purchase gas from a set of multiple providers on their own behalf. The Commission adopted a proposal by the Kansas LDC Group to proceed with a natural gas retail choice pilot program and suggested that Midwest Energy develop a pilot program for all retail natural gas customers in Hays, Kansas, which would allow them to directly purchase and transport natural gas. Midwest Energy has not yet developed this proposal in any detail.

Mr. Holloway also explained a general docket regarding performance based ratemaking for LDCs, focusing on the LDCs purchasing practices and the selection of an index which most accurately reflects

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the gas market for that utility and how to implement the mechanism. Sen. Clark questioned who would profit from such an index, and if the profits would pass through to the customers. Mr. Holloway pointed out that gas purchasing decisions made more often are hard to audit; also, finding an index which is agreeable to all parties, is difficult.

Mr. Holloway briefly referred to an application regarding Kansas Gas Service Company to assign long-term contracts to an affiliate and make modifications to purchase costs and other tariffs. He explained the objective is to give risks to the affiliate. Another docket is the application of UtiliCorp to change its ratebase, due to Y2K compliance, and to have more flexibility to accommodate industry restructuring. That Hearing is scheduled for May, 2000, with an Order due in June of 2000.

Sen. Morris asked questions regarding the take or pay project, which Mr. Holloway stated is not a major issue. Sen. Barone then asked for information regarding the Kansas Gas Service weatherproof tariff. Mr. Holloway stated it is a tariff based on past usage and weather conditions. He also stated it involved an administrative fee and that the customer should be aware that he/she is paying a premium. It is a plan causing concern and customer complaints. Sen. Ranson stated the committee will hear more on the weatherproof tariff in the future. Sen. Steffes asked questions regarding electrical consumption, if we are depleting our resources and incentives for conservation. Mr. Holloway answered that the public is consuming more than in the past.

Sen. Ranson stated the committee will ask for more information on issues discussed today and thanked Mr. Holloway for his presentation. She also announced the committee will have a wind generation presentation tomorrow.

Meeting adjourned at 2:30.

Next meeting will be January 20.

# SENATE UTILITIES COMMITTEE GUEST LIST

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NAME	REPRESENTING
JO Long	UtiliCorp United Inc.
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**BEFORE THE SENATE UTILITIES COMMITTEE  
PRESENTATION OF THE  
KANSAS CORPORATION COMMISSION  
JANUARY 19, 2000  
STATUS REPORT ON KCC UTILITY DOCKETS**

Thank you Madam Chair and members of the Committee. I'm Larry Holloway, Acting Utility Division Director with the Kansas Corporation Commission. I appreciate the opportunity to be here today. This morning I will provide an update of some of the more important dockets the Commission has worked on this past year. As indicated in my report some of these are substantially complete while other dockets are active and in the process of investigation by Staff or determination by the Commission. Following my brief review of this report I will provide some natural gas and electric maps and an electric report, which I will briefly describe.

Tomorrow Janette Luhering, our Chief of Telecommunications will be providing a more detailed review of Telecommunications Dockets and for that reason I plan to briefly discuss the other dockets in the report and will be happy to answer any questions you may have.

It's been a busy year at the KCC. In addition to completing many dockets from the previous calendar year, the KCC closed approximately 80% of the dockets opened in calendar year 1999, and numerous other dockets are in the process of having orders written or otherwise concluded. If you remember the complete calendar of open utility dockets you received last year, I am sure you will appreciate that the calendar Tom has handed you today is much smaller, even though a record of over 1,100 dockets were opened in 1999. In addition to the many issues addressed in Telecommunications, the KCC also worked on multiple major electric and gas dockets. While the written report has a status summary of these major dockets, I will briefly discuss some of them now and attempt to answer any questions you may have.

- ◆ **Docket No. 97-WSRE-676-MER** The Western Resources and KCPL merger application
  - Elements of the Commission's Order approving the merger:
    - 4 year rate moratorium
    - Rate case filing following end of rate moratorium
    - 35 year straight line amortization for the Kansas jurisdictional portion of \$179.45 million of the acquisition premium following moratorium ~ about \$3.8 million a year
    - Maintenance of quality of service standards
    - Merger agreement terminated by KCPL on January 3, 2000.
  
- ◆ **Docket No. 99-GIME-321-GIE** Investigation into the adequacy of future Kansas generation capacity
  - Investigation showed accuracy of Southwest Power Pool studies in predicting overall generation capacity

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- Commission ordered biannual reporting and investigation of public appeals for conservation

◆ **Addition of Generation Capacity in Kansas**

- Docket No. 99-WSRE-381-EGF (Western Resources) 148 MW of combustion turbines (CTs) in 2000  
150 MW of CTs in 2001
- Docket No. 99-KCPE-445-EGF (Kansas City Power & Light) 140 MW of CTs in 2000  
140 MW of combined cycle repowering in 2000
- Docket No. 99-EPDE-416-EGF (Empire District Electric) 350 MW of combined cycle

◆ **Docket No. 99-SWPE-764-MIS** SPS 345 kV transmission line

- 153 miles of length in Kansas
- Lamar, Colorado to Holcomb Energy Center to Amarillo, Texas
- Includes DC intertie to the Western Grid
- Commission approval included provisions to allow some flexibility in working with landowners

◆ **Docket No. 99-WPEE-818-RTS** Westplains Energy rate case

- Initiated by the Commission in response to Staff investigation that showed WPE might be overearning
- Hearing early December 1999
- Commission Order this week

◆ **Docket No. 00-GIME-235-GIE** Investigation into public appeals for conservation

- Investigation will address the Commission's role when a utility issues an appeal to conserve electric usage
- Investigation will address whether the Commission should adopt requirements or guidelines to address public appeals

◆ **Docket No. 99-GIMG-068-GIG** Ad Valorem tax refunds for interstate pipeline direct sales customers

- Interstate pipeline direct sales customers
- Interstate pipelines are disputing KCC's jurisdiction in the Court of Appeals

◆ **Docket No. 99-GIMG-538-GIG** Commission investigation into extending benefits of gas industry restructuring to retail customers

- The Commission investigated whether it should allow all retail customers to directly

- purchase gas, or if LDC gas purchasing practices should be changed
- The Commission determined that at this time it would be most productive to develop changes in LDC purchase practices
  
- ◆ **Docket No. 00-KGSG-162-PGA**    KGS application to assign contracts to affiliate
- Application would align KGS gas purchase contracts by assigning to an affiliate
  
- ◆ **Docket No. 00-UTG-336-RTS**    rate application by Utilicorp (Peoples and Kansas Public Service)
- Proposal to raise rates by ~ \$6 million
- Hearing in May, 2000
  
- ◆ **Docket No. 00-GIMG-425-GIG**    Investigation into performance based ratemaking for LDC's
- Primary focus will be LDC purchasing practices
- Selection of appropriate gas price index



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**Activities Update of the Kansas Corporation Commission  
Utilities Division**

**January 2000**

By Larry Holloway  
Acting Director of Utilities  
&  
Janette Luehring  
Chief of Telecommunications

This is an outline of major cases which are either pending before the Commission, recently resolved, or resolved since the January 1999 KCC Activities Report. It is written and presented by Commission Staff. Unless otherwise noted any opinions or numbers presented are those of Staff, and do not reflect an opinion or determination by the Commission. Additional information on open Dockets can be obtained on the Commission's website at [www.kcc.state.ks.us](http://www.kcc.state.ks.us).

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## All Utilities

**Docket No. 99-GIMX-241-GII:** *In the Matter of the General Investigation into Utility Preparedness for Year 2000 (Y2K) and Date Compliance Computer Problems.*

This multi-industry proceeding was initiated to investigate whether public utilities had taken the necessary steps to prepare for Y2K. During 1999, Staff monitored the quarterly reports submitted by the utilities under the Commission's Order in this docket. The reports submitted to Staff showed a steady progression toward the completion of Y2K remediation work and contingency planning. In addition, as a final reporting requirement, each utility was required to submit a Readiness Disclosure Statement which clearly noted that all remediation, testing, and contingency planning had been completed. By December 31, over 90% of the Readiness Disclosure Statements had been filed. Additionally, Staff will continue to monitor Kansas utilities for Y2K problems through the first quarter of 2000.

## Telecommunications

**Docket No. 94-GIMT-478-GIT:** *In the Matter of a General Investigation into Competition Within the Telecommunications Industry in the State of Kansas.*

The Commission established the initial Kansas Universal Service Fund (KUSF) mechanism in this proceeding in 1997. The Commission's decision was appealed to the Kansas Court of Appeals and, ultimately to the Kansas Supreme Court, which affirmed the Commission's Orders. The access charge reductions required in K.S.A. 66-2005(c) were implemented in this proceeding. The corresponding assessments on retail revenues to fund the KUSF distributions pursuant to K.S.A. 66-2008(a) have been determined in this proceeding for the first, second and third year of the KUSF. The third year commenced March 1, 1999. A notice of the audits of the KUSF performed by Arthur Anderson LLP was filed December 17, 1999. The auditors found no material findings in either audit. All telecommunications carriers (including incumbent local exchange companies, competitive local exchange companies and long distance companies), all wireless providers, the Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board and numerous other interested persons are parties to this proceeding.

**Docket No. 96-GIMT-230-GIT:** *In the Matter of a General Investigation into Statewide Availability of Optional Community Calling Service and Related Access Issues.*

This investigation was initiated to review optional community calling service, extended area service and related issues. The proceeding was dormant for over a year and was recently

reactivated. These issues are very complex due to the relationship of local calling scopes and discounted toll plans to access charges. The parties filed comments. Additional comments will be necessary due to the change in SWBT's and Sprint's status as designated toll carriers. All local exchange companies, interexchange long distance providers and the Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board are parties to this proceeding.

**Docket No. 96-LEGT-670-LEG:** *In the Matter of Implementation of the State Telecommunications Act of 1996 (H.B. 2728) and the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996 Regarding Telecommunications Public Utilities.*

This proceeding was initiated to address a variety of issues related to the passage of the 1996 Kansas Telecommunications Act. Some of the issues that have been addressed in this docket are the pass through of access charge reductions to basic toll rates, the definition of "basic intrastate toll services," billing practice standards, price deregulation of telecommunications carriers and the Kansas Lifeline program. The Commission recently conducted a telecommunications issues roundtable discussion in this docket and parties filed related written comments in this proceeding. All certificated telecommunications service providers are parties to this proceeding. In addition, notice of the telecommunications roundtable was mailed to wireless service providers.

**Docket No. 97-SCCC-149-GIT:** *In the Matter of the Application of Sprint Communications Company L.P., United Telephone Company of Kansas, United Telephone Company of Eastern Kansas, United Telephone Company South Central Kansas, and United Telephone Company of Southeastern Kansas for the Commission to Open a Generic Proceeding on Southwestern Bell Telephone Company's Rates for Interconnection, Unbundled Elements, Transport and Termination, and Resale.*

This proceeding was initiated at the request of Sprint to establish SWBT's rates for interconnection, unbundled network elements and resale. A hearing was conducted to determine which cost study should be used to calculate SWBT's rates. The Commission adopted SWBT's cost study for the purpose of establishing interconnection and unbundled network element rates, which consists of recurring charges and non-recurring charges. After the submission of prefiled testimony and a hearing the Commission selected the inputs for the cost model. SWBT submitted its cost study results using the Commission ordered inputs. All parties had an opportunity to file comments on the study results. In addition, AT&T submitted its results for some of the cost studies. After reviewing the cost studies and comments the Commission established SWBT's prices for interconnection and unbundled network elements. On reconsideration, the Commission directed SWBT to rerun its studies for non-recurring rates. On November 9, 1999, SWBT and AT&T submitted non-recurring charges cost study results and the parties submitted reply comments on December 17, 1999. Additional comments are due January 10, 2000. On November 15, 1999, SWBT filed its avoided cost study and supporting testimony

to establish the wholesale discount. A hearing is scheduled for March 28 and 29, 2000. The parties to this proceeding are SWBT, the Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board, AT&T, Sprint, MCI, Birch, Boulevard, Multimedia Hyperion, Telecommunications Resellers Association, Comptel, State Independent Alliance, Kansas Cable Telecommunications Association, CMT Partners, Airtouch, Topeka Cellular, Mountain Solutions, Independent Telecommunications Group, Adlephia, Kansas City Fiber Network and Business Communication Services.

NOTE: SWBT appealed the Commission's Order establishing the recurring rates for interconnection and unbundled network elements.

**Docket No. 97-AT&T-290-ARB:** *Petition by AT&T Communications of the Southwest, Inc. for Compulsory Arbitration of Unresolved Issues with Southwestern Bell Telephone Company Pursuant to Para. 252(b) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996.*

AT&T initiated this proceeding by filing a request for Commission arbitration of terms and conditions for interconnection. Several rounds of arbitration, negotiation and mediation resulted in an extensive final interconnection agreement which was approved by the Commission on November 29, 1999. Pursuant to section 252(i) of the Federal Act, other telecommunications companies may opt into this agreement and avoid lengthy negotiations and/or arbitration. SWBT and AT&T were the only parties to this proceeding.

**Docket No. 97-SWBT-411-GIT:** *In the Matter of Southwestern Bell Telephone Company - Kansas' Compliance with Section 271 of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996.*

This proceeding was initiated to investigate SWBT's compliance with section 271 of the Federal Telecommunications Act. (Fourteen point checklist) The Federal Communications Commission must consult with the state commission to determine if SWBT has complied with section 271. If the Federal Communications Commission determines SWBT has complied, SWBT is then authorized to offer interLATA services. The Commission conducted a hearing to determine if SWBT had complied with the provisions of section 271. In its Interim Report, the Commission stated that SWBT did not comply with all the provisions. The Commission stressed that performance measurements would assist the Commission in verifying if SWBT was complying with the requirements of section 271. A technical forum was conducted on December 10, 1999 to review SWBT's performance measurements adopted in Texas. Further proceedings are anticipated. The parties to this proceeding are SWBT, AT&T, the Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board, Adelphia Business Solutions, Telecommunications Resellers, Birch, MCI and Sprint.

**Docket No. 98-GIMT-030-MIS:** *In the Matter of Establishing Network Infrastructure Planning Guidelines for Use by Kansas Local Exchange Carriers in Meeting the Requirements of K.S.A. 66-2005 (a/k/a H.B. 2728, Section 6).*



The original Kansas Telecommunications Act of 1996 required that all Local Exchange Carriers submit to the KCC by January 1, 1998, their proposed plan (schedule) for providing Basic and Enhanced services throughout the state. The deadline for provisioning of services was July 1, 2001. All companies submitted plans on time, and all plans met the July 1, 2001 deadline. The Commission accepted the infrastructure plans on August 24, 1998. The 1998 Legislature revised the infrastructure services slightly by requiring in S.B. 212, that LECs submit plans for enhanced services, including ISDN and Broadband services, for advance KCC approval. The plans were to be filed, only after a firm order had been received. The KCC was to accept the plans within 90 days, or reject a plan because it was not cost effective, or represented an unreasonable burden on the KUSF. The KCC was to develop procedures for submitting the plans, and for accepting, or rejecting the plans. Permanent procedures were established in the Commission's order of September 17, 1999. The order stated plans for only ISDN and Broadband services needed advance KCC approval, and only then if the order cost more than \$100,000, and the LEC was going to ask for reimbursement from the KUSF. Ordering the permanent procedures was the final step for the infrastructure docket.

**Docket No. 98-SWBT-380-MIS:** *In the Matter of the Application of Southwestern Bell Telephone Company for Price Cap Regulation Pursuant to K.S.A. 66-1,190 & K.S.A. 66-2005(b).*

SWBT's plan for price cap regulation was approved in this docket in 1998. Additional price cap issues, specifically related to Basket Three services were addressed in this docket during 1999. SWBT filed supporting documentation for its price cap adjustment. The price cap adjustment will be implemented at the same time as the Docket No. 98-SWBT-677-GIT Stipulation and Agreement implementation date.

**Docket No. 98-SWBT-677-GIT:** *In the Matter of Southwestern Bell Telephone Company's Cost to Provide Local Service, as Required by K.S.A. 1996 Supp. 66-2008(d).*

This investigation was initiated to review SWBT's cost to provide local service pursuant to K.S.A. 66-2008(d) to determine if the costs justify modification of the KUSF. On reconsideration of the order initiating the docket, the Commission determined a separate proceeding should be opened to address the generic KUSF issues. (Docket No. 99-GIMT-326-GIT). The primary issue remaining in this proceeding was how any change to SWBT's KUSF draw would be implemented. Numerous discovery disputes delayed the progress of the investigation. SWBT filed an appeal of the Commission's order directing SWBT to file certain information. SWBT and Staff filed an agreement as to the information that would be provided in order to proceed in the matter. On October 18, 1999, SWBT, CURB, AT&T and Staff filed a Stipulation and Agreement resolving the issue of how any change in SWBT's KUSF draw would be implemented. SWBT agreed to permanently forgo \$15 million of its current KUSF draw. The Stipulation and Agreement also included provisions on: xDSL deployment, 800 service for county seats and schools, Extended Area Service (EAS) for the Rossville exchange, availability

of additional funds to promote Lifeline service, KUSF support issues, pricing flexibility, a collocation tariff, SWBT's designated toll carrier status and access charge reductions. The Commission issued an order, which was sent to all telecommunications providers certificated in Kansas, requesting comments on the Stipulation and Agreement. No objections to the Stipulation and Agreement were filed. On November 17, 1999, a hearing was conducted. The Commission issued an Order on January 6, 2000 approving the Stipulation and Agreement. The parties to this proceeding are the Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board and all telecommunications and wireless providers in the state.

**Docket No. 98-GIMT-712-GIT:** *In the matter of a General Investigation into IntraLATA Toll Dialing Parity Cost Recovery, PIC Change Charge and Other Issues.*

This docket was opened May 15, 1998 to address dialing parity issues; primarily cost recovery and rules and requirements for providing the service. On January 28, 1999, the U.S. Supreme Court overruled the Eighth Circuit Court and upheld the Federal Communications Commission's jurisdiction to promulgate rules on dialing parity. The Federal Communications Commission determined that dialing parity was to be implemented nationwide by July 22, 1999, for those companies that did not have approved implementation plans in place, and by May 7 for companies that had approved plans. The May 7 date applied only to Southwestern Bell, as Sprint had implemented January 1, 1998, and all other independent LECs did not have approved plans. Dialing parity was completed in Kansas by July 22, except for Cass County (October 2) and Madison Telephone (August 15), which obtained waivers for the delay. In its December 12, 1999 order, the Commission :

1. Accepted the 1<sup>st</sup> amended Stipulation & Agreement which allowed SWBT and Sprint to withdraw as Designated carriers, and put in place procedures for assigning a Carrier of Last Resort, and
2. Permitted the local exchange companies to recover reasonable incremental implementation costs, including the \$5 PIC change charge, using an additive to the Carrier Common Line charge based on intrastate Minutes of Use.

The parties to this proceeding were the Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board, all local exchange companies, including competitive local exchange companies, MCI and AT&T

**Docket No. 99-GCCZ-156-ETC:** *In the Matter of GCC License Corporation's Petition for Designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier (dba Western Wireless).*

**Docket No. and 99-SSLC-173-ETC:** *In the Matter of the Application of Sprint Spectrum L.P. (Dba Sprint PCS) for Designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier for Purposes of Receiving Federal and State Universal Service Support.*

On September 2, 1998 and September 4, 1998, Western Wireless and Sprint PCS respectively, filed applications with the Commission for eligible telecommunications carrier designation to

receive federal and state universal service support. The dockets were consolidated because they contain similar issues relating to the designation of additional providers as eligible telecommunications carriers pursuant to 47 U.S.C. 214(e) and K.S.A. 66-2008(c). On March 18, 1999, the Commission issued Order #5 in which it determined that, for Kansas universal service support purposes, it should conclude Docket No. 99-GIMT-326-GIT before it grants ETC status to the applicants. The matter is pending. Western Wireless, Sprint PCS, SWBT, AT&T, the Independent Telecommunications Group, State Independent Alliance and the Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board are parties to this proceeding.

**Docket No. 99-AT&T-266-MIS:** *In the Matter of the Petition of AT&T Communications of the Southwest, Inc. To Require SWBT to Implement IntraLATA Presubscription No Later Than February 8, 1999.*

SWBT's intraLATA dialing parity plan had been approved by the Commission in Docket No. 98-SWBT-482-MIS, but implementation was not yet appropriate pursuant to the Federal and State Acts. FCC dialing parity rules were also an issue before the US Supreme Court in *AT&T Corp. et al. v. Iowa Utilities Board et al.* On January 28, 1999, the Supreme Court issued its opinion making it clear that intraLATA dialing parity should be implemented in accordance with the Federal and FCC rules. The Commission ordered SWBT to implement intraLATA dialing parity immediately by an Order issued February 17, 1999. On reconsideration, the Commission extended the date for implementation to May 7, 1999. The parties to this proceeding were SWBT, AT&T, Sprint, Birch and CURB.

**Docket No. 99-GIMT-326-GIT:** *In the Matter of an Investigation Into the Kansas Universal Service Fund (KUSF) Mechanism for the Purpose of Modifying the KUSF and Establishing a Cost-Based Fund.*

The Commission initiated this proceeding in response to generic issues raised in Docket No. 98-SWBT-677-GIT. The purpose of the proceeding is to investigate the KUSF mechanism to determine what modifications, if any, are necessary to ensure that KUSF support for local service is based upon the cost to provide such service and is consistent with the requirements set forth in the relevant state and federal statutory provisions. After a hearing on the matter, the Commission determined that the FCC Synthesis Proxy Model would be used to determine the cost to provide universal service. A second hearing was conducted on November 30, 1999 to address the inputs to the cost model, the benchmark and methods for distribution of the Kansas Universal Service Fund support. The hearing primarily addressed support for SWBT and Sprint. The Commission delayed review of the support provided to rural telephone companies until the Federal Communications Commission issues its order on federal universal service support for rural companies. The Commission issued its order on December 29, 1999 establishing the inputs for the cost model, the benchmark, the zones for distribution of support, the percentage of costs

recovered from interstate access charges and the portability of support. All local exchange companies, interexchange companies and wireless providers are parties to this proceeding.

**Docket No. 99-GIMT-706-GIT:** *In the Matter of the General Investigation into Issues Related to Long Term Contracts.*

The Commission initiated this matter to investigate the effect of long term contracts on the development of competition. The Commission requested comments regarding fresh look, contract termination liability and the resale of long term contracts. A fresh look period provides customers with long term contracts the ability to negotiate a new contract with a competitive provider with limited or no termination liabilities imposed for early termination of the contract. Parties filed comments and Staff filed its Summary and Recommendation. The Commission granted the parties an opportunity to respond to Staff's Summary and Recommendation. The matter is pending. The Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board, Birch, the Telecommunications Resellers Association, Adelphia, Gabriel, AT&T, Sprint, KMC Telecom, SWBT, MCI, the Independent Telecommunications Group and the State Independent Alliance are participating in this proceeding.

**Docket No. 99-SCCC-710-ARB:** *In the Matter of the Petition of Sprint Communications Company L.P. for Arbitration of Unresolved Interconnection Issues Regarding xDSL with Southwestern Bell Telephone Co.*

Sprint filed a request for arbitration of disputed interconnection issues regarding certain recurring and non-recurring rates related to the provision of xDSL service. A hearing was conducted on December 9, 1999. The parties are to file their final offers. The resulting agreement will amend Sprint's existing interconnection agreement with SWBT. Sprint and SWBT are parties to this proceeding.

**Docket No. 99-GIMT-784-GIT:** *In the Matter of a General Investigation into Issues Related to Local Competition in the State of Kansas.*

This docket was opened to address access charge reductions for rural companies, limiting access charges for competitive local exchange companies, operational structure for incumbent local exchange companies that also operate as competitive local exchange companies, modification of the per-line KUSF flow-through mechanism, whether non-rural companies should make additional access charge reductions and other issues. The parties negotiated and filed a Stipulation and Agreement on the majority of the issues, including the access charge reductions for rural companies. The parties filed briefs on the remaining disputed issues. On November 1, 1999, the Commission issued an order adopting the Stipulation and Agreement. On November 30, 1999, the Commission issued an order on the briefed issues. The Commission determined



that additional access charge reductions for SWBT and Sprint should be addressed in company specific dockets. The Commission stated that modification of the per-line flow-through mechanism for the KUSF assessments would be addressed in future proceedings. The Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board filed for reconsideration of the Commission's order. A decision on reconsideration request is pending.

**Docket No. 00-ACGC-053-COM:** *In the Matter of the Complaint Against Advanced Communications aka Feist Long Distance by Amberwave Internet Services for Deceptive Practices – Refusal to Port.*

Amberwave filed this complaint against Advanced Communications as a result of a billing dispute. In addition to the billing dispute, Advanced Communications initially refused to transfer Amberwave's 800 vanity/technical support telephone numbers because Amberwaves was terminated by Advanced Communications. Amberwave wished to obtain service from SWBT. A prehearing conference was conducted in the matter. At the prehearing conference Advanced Communications agreed to port the numbers to SWBT. The billing matter is still in dispute. A hearing is scheduled for January 25, 2000.

**Docket No. 00-ADPC-159-COM:** *In the Matter of the Complaint Against American Cyber Corporation dba Discount Plus (Discount Plus) by American Media Investments, Inc. for Slamming.*

American Media filed this complaint against Discount Plus alleging that Discount Plus changed American Media's presubscribed interexchange carrier without authorization. Although the Attorney General's office now enforces slamming complaints for individual consumers, the Attorney General does not have jurisdiction over slamming complaints filed by corporations and other organizations. Staff is working with the parties to resolve this complaint.

**Docket No. 00-GIMT-236-GIT:** *In the Matter of the Investigation to Determine the March 1, 2000 Assessment for the New Kansas Universal Service Fund Year.*

This proceeding was initiated to determine the assessment for year four of the Kansas Universal Service Fund. The Commission must periodically review the assessment to ensure that the contributions to the fund cover the required distributions. The Commission must also consider any potential increases to the fund such as would be incurred for supplemental funding and additional qualified telecommunications providers in sizing the fund for the fourth year. Staff filed the proposed year four assessment on December 22, 1999. Intervenors' testimony was due January 7, 2000. A hearing was held January 13, 2000. All local exchange companies, interexchange companies, wireless providers and the Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board are parties to this proceeding.

**Docket No. 00-GIMT-401-GIT:** *In the Matter of a General Investigation Into the Exhaust of the 316 Area Code.*

In October of 1999, the Numbering Plan Administrator advised the Commission that the number in the 316 area code would be exhausted in the second quarter of 2002 and that relief planning should be initiated. The Commission directed the Administrator to proceed with the necessary planning. The Commission is expecting to receive the industry's report and recommendations in early March of 2000. The Commission has retained authority to approve the relief plan.

**Docket No. 00-CGTT-448-KSF:** *In the Matter of the Application of Council Grove Telephone Company, Inc. Filing a Request for Supplemental Funding from the Kansas Universal Service Fund (KUSF).*

Council Grove Telephone Company, Inc. was purchased in early 1999. As part of the purchase, Staff and Council Grove Telephone Company, Inc. entered into a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) which included upgrading the telephone network. Council Grove Telephone Company, Inc. filed this application to obtain supplemental funding from the Kansas Universal Service Fund for the cost the upgrading the network as authorized by K.S.A. 66-2008. The application is currently under review.

**Docket No. 00-UTDT-455-GIT:** *In the Matter of an Investigation Into the Cost to Provide Local Service of the United Telephone Companies of Kansas dba Sprint, as Required by K.S.A. 1998 Supp. 66-2008(d).*

Staff filed a motion requesting the Commission open a proceeding to review Sprint's costs to provide local service. Sprint's KUSF draw will be modified as a result of the Commission's determination in Docket No. 99-GIMT-326-GIT. The Commission issued an Order dated January 7, 2000, opening the investigation into Sprint's costs to provide local service and to determine whether rate rebalancing or transitional support is justified as a result of the decrease in Sprint's KUSF draw.

## **Issues Before the Federal Communications Commission**

**Western Wireless petition filed with the Federal Communications Commission:** On July 20, 1998, Western Wireless filed a petition with the FCC seeking preemption of the Commission's decisions regarding the Kansas Universal Service Fund and the portions of the Kansas Telecommunications Act of 1996 on which those decisions are based. Western Wireless argues that the Kansas Act and Commission decisions related to the Act are barriers to entry into the Kansas Telecommunications market. Western Wireless asserts the portions of the Act and

Commission decisions that allows incumbent local exchange carriers to receive distributions from the KUSF on a revenue neutral basis to compensate the carriers for reductions in intrastate access charges but permit competitive providers to only receive the amount designated for high cost support are in violation of the requirement in the State and Federal Acts that high cost support be distributed on a competitively neutral basis. The matter is currently pending before the Federal Communications Commission.

NOTE: The Commission's December 29, 1999 decision in Docket No. 99-GIMT-326-GIT modifies the basis of the fund distribution to the per-line high cost amount identified by the FCC Synthesis Proxy Model in SWBT and Sprint areas and makes all KUSF support portable to any designated eligible telecommunications carrier.

## Electric

### **Docket No. 97-WSRE-676-MER** *In the Application of WRI to Acquire the Common Stock of KCPL*

Western Resources Inc. (WRI) and Kansas City Power & Light (KCPL) filed a revised joint merger application on June 17, 1998 seeking authority for WRI to purchase the stock of KCPL. Upon acquiring KCPL, WRI intended to spin off its electric businesses to a new regulated electric utility, called Westar Energy, comprised of three distinct operating divisions: KPL, KGE, and KCPL. While WRI did not receive regulatory approval from the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC), all other regulatory bodies approved the merger.

The KCC approved the merger on September 28, 1999. The KCC's merger Order included the following:

1. A 4 year rate moratorium.
2. Rate case to be filed immediately after expiration of the rate moratorium.
3. Recovery allowed of up to \$179.45 million of the acquisition premium from merger savings. The Kansas jurisdictional portion of this recovery (estimated at 75%) to be amortized on a straight line basis over 35 years (~ \$3.8 million a year).
4. Maintenance of quality of service standards.

The KCC issued a reconsideration order on November 4, 1999 to clarify some language contained in the original order. In December, 1999, the City of Wichita appealed the Order to Shawnee County District Court based upon the lack of rate parity between the KPL & KGE service territories. On January 3, 2000, KCPL terminated the agreement. On January 7, 2000 Western Resources filed at the FERC and at the KCC to withdraw its merger applications. It is anticipated these developments may resolve the case before the Shawnee County District Court.

**Docket No. 98-SEPE-730-COM** *In the Complaint Lodged by Berexco, Murfin Drilling Co., Vess Oil Corporation and Lloyd Theimer to Abrogate the All Requirements Contracts Between Sunflower Electric Cooperative and Various Retail Electric Cooperatives.*

The applicants have requested the Commission find that the all-requirements contracts between various electric retail cooperatives and Sunflower Electric Cooperative (SEC) are not in the public interest and should be abrogated. The Commission and parties have agreed to modify the procedural schedule in anticipation of a ruling by the US Department of Agriculture Rural Utility Service (USDA RUS) regarding ongoing debt negotiations with Sunflower Electric Cooperative. SEC has agreed to update Staff and complainants periodically regarding these negotiations.

**Docket No. 99-WSRE-034-COM** *In the Complaint Lodged by Farmland that Western Resources Improperly Interrupted Service During Peak Periods Throughout the Summer of 1998*

Farmland Industries filed a complaint with the Commission, requesting an investigation of service interruptions made by KGE during several periods in the Summer of 1998. Extensive testimony was filed by all parties in this docket. This complaint was withdrawn after Farmland Industries and KGE agreed to an amendment to the Farmland Industries electric service agreement. An Order closing this docket was issued November 24, 1999.

**Docket No. 99-MDWE-272-RTS** *Application of Midwest Energy to Unbundle Its Electric Rates, Consolidate Electric Rate Schedules and Other Related Relief.*

On October 16, 1998 Midwest Energy filed a proposal with the Commission to unbundle their electric rates. On June 9, 1999 the Commission granted Midwest Energy's motion for continuance to allow Midwest Energy to refile its application to reflect the termination of its all-requirements contract with Sunflower Electric Cooperative and new purchase power agreements. On October 18, 1999 Midwest Energy filed an amended application incorporating these changes. The Commission is scheduled to conduct a hearing to consider the application this year on the 4<sup>th</sup> and the 5<sup>th</sup> of April.

**Docket No. 99-GIME-321-GIE** *Investigation into the Adequacy of Future Kansas Electric Generating Capacity*

The 1998 Southwest Power Pool (SPP) EIA-411 report<sup>1</sup> indicated that Kansas utilities would not have adequate generation capacity to assure reliable service in the year 2002. On November 4, 1998 the Commission opened this docket to investigate future Kansas generation. On April 21,

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<sup>1</sup> The EIA-411 report is an annual report reliability councils, such as SPP, file with the US Department of Energy's (DOE) Energy Information Agency (EIA).



1999 the Commission conducted an open panel discussion to address issues identified in the investigation. The Commission's August 3, 1999 Order concluded that the 1999 SPP EIA-411 report indicated adequate Kansas generation capacity through 2005 and that Staff should continue to monitor Kansas generation capacity. The Commission also ordered:

- Utilities to file semiannual statements of material obligations and commitments that could affect their ability to provide electric service to their retail customers; and
- Staff to open a docket to determine the Commission's role in public appeals for conservation and whether the Commission should adopt rules or guidelines for public appeals for conservation.

*Siting Appls.*

### **Addition of Generation Capacity by Kansas Utilities**

**Docket No. 99-WSRE-381-EGF** *Western Resources' Application to Site Three Natural Gas Combustion Turbine Electric Generation Units at the Existing Gordon Evans Energy Center*

**Docket No. 99-EPDE-416-EGF** *Empire district Electric Company Application to Site an Additional 350 MW of Natural Gas Combined Cycle Electric Generation Capacity at Its Missouri State Line Facility*

**Docket No. 99-KCPE-445-EGF** *Kansas City Power & Light Company Application to Site an Additional 294 MW of Natural Gas Combustion Turbine and Combined Cycle Capacity at Its Hawthorn Generation Station*

In 1999 the Commission approved generation siting permits for the Western Resources and KCPL proposals. The Commission also determined that Empire District Electric did not need a siting permit for its proposal<sup>2</sup>.

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Per the Generation Siting Act, K.S.A. 66-1,158 through 66-1,169c, Kansas jurisdictional electric utilities do not need to file a siting application with the KCC for facilities built in another state provided that: 1) the need and reasonableness of the facility is subject to review by the regulatory authority in the state where it is being constructed; 2) less than 10% of the retail customers to be served by the facility are in Kansas; and 3) such Kansas retail customers number no more than 15,000. While Empire has been required to file with the KCC in the past for facilities constructed in Missouri, this was their first filing consistent with an Integrated Resource Plan filed with the Missouri Public Service Commission. As such, the KCC determined that Empire now met all 3 requirements necessary to avoid filing before the KCC, and therefore did not need KCC generation siting approval for the proposal.



## Summary

Utility	Docket	Unit Type	Capacity in megawatts	Forecasted operational date
Western Resources	99-WSRE-381-EGF	combustion turbine	74	June, 2000
Western Resources	99-WSRE-381-EGF	combustion turbine	74	June, 2000
Western Resources	99-WSRE-381-EGF	combustion turbine	150	June, 2001
KCPL	99-KCPE-445-EGF	combustion turbine	70	June, 2000
KCPL	99-KCPE-445-EGF	combustion turbine	70	Sep., 2000
KCPL	99-KCPE-445-EGF	Repower	140	June, 2000
Empire	99-EPDE-416-EGF	combined cycle	350	July, 2001

**Docket No. 99-SWPE-764-MIS** *Application of Southwestern Public Service Company for a Siting Permit for the Construction of a 345 kV Transmission Line in Hamilton, Kearny, Finney, Grant, and Stevens Counties, Kansas*

On April 29, 1999, in compliance with K.S.A. 66-1,177 et seq., the Electric Transmission Siting Act, Southwestern Public Service Company (SPS) filed an application requesting a siting permit to construct a 345-kV transmission line in Kansas. The total project would include construction in Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas and Colorado, from the Potter County Interchange, north of and near Amarillo, Texas to the Sunflower Electric Power Cooperative's Holcomb Generating Station (Holcomb) in Finney County, Kansas, and then extending westerly from the Holcomb plant to the Lamar substation in Prowers County, Colorado. At the Lamar substation, SPS and its sister company, Public Service of Colorado plan to construct a 210-MW high-voltage direct-current (HVDC) converter substation. The application requested the Commission to permit construction of approximately 153 miles of 345-kV transmission line within Kansas, including portions of two construction phases. During the first phase, to be completed in 2001 pending regulatory approvals, a transmission line would be built from the Oklahoma/ Kansas state line through Stevens, Grant and Finney Counties, Kansas to Holcomb. During the second phase, a transmission line would be built from Holcomb through Finney, Kearny and Hamilton Counties to the Kansas/ Colorado state line, with a scheduled completion in 2004.

The Commission held a public hearing on May 26, 1999, and a technical hearing on June 17, 1999, both in Garden City, Kansas. Comments of the public were noted and entered into the record during and after the public hearing. On July 19, 1999, the Commission issued an order finding and concluding that (1) the proposed line is necessary and in the public interest, (2) the location of the proposed line is reasonable, and (3) SPS used an appropriate planning process involving the public to evaluate alternative routes and to choose the proposed route. The order

approved SPS's application for a siting permit, subject to the condition that SPS continue to demonstrate flexibility in working with affected landowners.)

**Docket No. 99-WPEE-818-RTS** *Application by WestPlains Energy Kansas to Justify That its Existing Rates are Just and Reasonable*

This case began with a motion from Staff requesting the Commission to issue an Order to show cause why the rates of WestPlains should not be reduced (Docket No. 99-WPEE-132-SHO). On April 7, 1999 the Commission accepted an agreement between Staff and WestPlains that WestPlains would file a rate case in May of 1999 based on a test year ending on December 31, 1998. In its May 14, 1999 filing WestPlains alleged it was slightly underearning but requested no change in its present rates at that time. Subsequent Staff investigation and filings alleged WestPlains Kansas to be substantially overearning. The Commission heard the case on December 6, 1999 through December 8, 1999. The Commission held an administrative meeting to publicly discuss their decision on January 6, 2000. An Order is currently being drafted to reflect their decision for issuance by January 19, 2000.

**Docket No. 00-GIME-235-GIE** *Investigation into Public Appeals for Conservation of Electric Energy*

This docket was opened to investigate utility public appeals for conservation. Specifically, a public appeal for conservation is an electric utility's public request via radio, print media or television asking customers to conserve electric use when the utility determines there is a shortage of generation capacity. Issues include concerns that utilities could use such an appeal to lower retail demand and sell excess power wholesale when prices are very high due to regional shortages and whether a utility should ask customers to conserve when the utility has adequate generation but regional electric reliability is threatened. This investigation considers the Commission's role and if the Commission should adopt specific rules or guidelines for jurisdictional electric utilities. The Commission plans to complete this investigation before the Summer of 2000.

**Electric Issues Before the FERC**

In addition to following and reviewing FERC policy making the Commission has intervened in the following docket:

**FERC Dkt. No. ER99-3163**

In June, 1999 UtiliCorp United, Inc. (UtiliCorp) filed a rate case at the FERC requesting an increase of approximately \$6.0 million in the rates that it charges for wholesale electric transmission on its system. The KCC intervened and settlement discussions are currently underway. A hearing on the matter is set for March, 2000.



## Natural Gas

**Docket No. 98-KGSG-611-TAR** *Application by Kansas Gas Service (KGS) to Implement a WeatherProof Bill tariff*

**Docket No. 98-KGSG-475-CON** *Application by KGS to Implement a Hedging Program for Gas Purchased on its "K" System*

Starting in 1998, the Commission approved two programs, both implemented by KGS, designed to reduce the risk of ratepayers facing price spikes and, therefore, provide customers with some protection against excessive gas bills. The Commission approved the renewal of both programs for 1999.

The WeatherProof Bill (WPB) tariff is now available to all of KGS's retail and small volume commercial customers. The WPB is strictly optional for customers. For a fee, it provides customers with protection against unexpected price swings in the gas commodity as well as abnormal weather.

The Cost of Gas Rider (COGR) Hedge Program is not voluntary and is available to only the "k" system customers that take gas under the COGR (mainly residential and small commercial customers). The Hedge Program is designed to effectively cap gas prices on a portion of KGS's gas supply and, therefore, is intended to provide some protection to consumers from price spikes. The cost of putting such a cap in place is borne by KGS's "k" system COGR customers.

**Docket No. 99-GIMG-068-GIG** *Investigation into the Distribution of Ad Valorem Tax Refunds by Interstate Pipelines to Kansas Jurisdictional Direct Sales Customers*

The ad-valorem tax refund, required by the FERC, greatly affected Kansas gas producers and is still the subject of litigation. Monies from Kansas producers have been paid to affected interstate pipelines who in turn have made refunds to local distribution companies consistent with the FERC's mandate. However, during the period in which the refund applies, certain interstate pipelines made direct retail sales to end use customers. **These direct retail sales were not subject to FERC jurisdiction.**

**This docket was established to investigate the ad-valorem refunds received and retained by interstate pipelines for their past direct retail sales.** A prehearing conference was held in November 1999. The result of that conference was that a **procedural schedule has been proposed** by staff, but Williams and several other interstates have opposed it while they continue to dispute KCC jurisdiction in the matter in the Court of Appeals. Currently, **the KCC technical staff is attempting to conduct discovery on the matter.**

While this dispute has not been resolved, the distribution of the majority of ad-valorem refunds by interstate pipelines to local distribution companies (LDCs) has been addressed by KCC docket 98-GIMG-592-GIG. Currently each LDC has an approved plan with the KCC to refund these monies to customers. **The monies that have already been returned to the LDCs are being reserved in interest bearing accounts awaiting resolution of all pending ad-valorem litigation.**

**Docket No. 99-KGSG-233-GIG** *In the Matter of an Investigation Upon the Commission's Own Motion on Whether Dual Certification of Areas In and Around Wichita is In the Public Interest*

In its Dec. 9, 1999 Order, the Commission effectively found the Amended Joint Recommendation filed by Kansas Gas Service and Peoples Natural Gas to be consistent with the public interest and, therefore, granted its approval. Through this docket the Commission engaged an "exploration of alternatives and potential solutions in order to eliminate duplication of service and to alleviate the threat of unsafe or uneconomic service" within the city limits of Wichita. (Order dated July 14, 1999). Accordingly, for purposes of defining exclusive (distribution) service territories, the Companies agreed to a precisely defined partitioning of Sedgwick County.

**Docket No. 99-GIMG-538-GIG** *Commission Investigation into Whether the Benefits of a Restructured Natural Gas Market Could be Extended to All Retail Customers*

Under this docket the Commission issued a Notice of Inquiry (NOI) wherein it sought, from all interested parties, comments regarding the Commission's oversight of gas LDC's purchasing practices vis-a-vis recent significant changes in the natural gas industry. The Commission obtained comments from the Kansas LDC Group (consisting of KGS, PNG, Greeley Gas, UCG and MWE), Northern Natural Gas Company, Williams Gas Pipeline Central, CURB and Staff.

In its February 11, 1999 Order the Commission states: "[the purpose of this Notice is to facilitate the Commission's inquiry into whether extending the restructuring of the natural gas market in the retail sector or some alternative regulatory measure is appropriate and in the public interest." Specifically, the Commission sought a discussion of how best to achieve its stated goal that "all retail customers realize the benefits of the restructured gas industry." Thus, in recognizing the recent structural changes in the gas industry (deregulation of wellhead prices, provision of open access to interstate pipeline and functional unbundling for large retail consumers), the Commission wants to determine whether extending those changes down to the smallest volume retail customers is: a) economically efficient (in the sense of generating benefits exceeding their costs) and b) practical.

For purposes of realizing its stated goal, Commission identified two basic paths that might be followed: **1) change the way** LDCs currently acquire and purchase gas on behalf of their retail customers and **2) allow all retail** customers to purchase gas - from a set of multiple providers - on their own behalf. Upon careful consideration, the Commission found that at this time it would be most productive to develop changes in LDC purchasing practices. The Commission also found



that the “existing prudence review of the LDC’s gas purchasing practices has not kept pace with changes in the industry.” Therefore, the Commission believes it is reasonable for it to “formally consider an index based price for gas instead of the present system of allowing the actual cost of gas to be charged, subject to a prudence review of the LDC’s gas procurement practices.” The Commission has directed Staff to develop performance standards by which an LDC’s gas purchasing decisions can be compared. The performance standards will provide a foundation by which a gas price index (i.e., benchmark gas price) can be developed and compared to the LDC’s gas purchase price (i.e., actual gas price). The Commission opened Docket No. 00-GIMG-425-GIG for purposes of developing standards for selecting actual gas price indices.

Additionally the Commission adopted a proposal submitted by the Kansas LDC Group to go forward with a natural gas retail choice pilot program. **The Kansas LDC Group suggested that Midwest Energy develop a pilot program for all retail natural gas customers in Hays, Kansas to allow them to directly purchase and transport natural gas.** Midwest Energy has notified Staff that it has not yet developed this proposal in any significant detail. Midwest currently plans to submit a detailed proposal to the Commission this summer.

**Docket No. 99-KGSG-705-GIG** *In the Matter of the Potential Billing of “Stranded Costs” Incurred Due to Increased Natural Gas Transportation Services*

On April 2, 1999, Kansas Gas Service filed a motion to open this general investigation into potential stranded cost issues resulting from increased natural gas transportation, as opposed to sales, services. The motion was filed in accordance with the Commission’s order of February 9, 1999 in Docket No. 98-KGSG-822-TAR approving a Stipulation and Agreement which provided for the initiation of this general investigation. The purpose of the investigation is to determine whether and to what extent there are certain prudently incurred fixed costs of providing sales service which should continue to be billed to customers choosing to leave sales service in favor of transportation service. Comments have been received from a variety of interested parties and the Commission Staff is currently investigating and preparing to submit testimony. A hearing before the Commission is scheduled for later this Spring.

**Docket No. 00-KGSG-162-PGA** *Application of Kansas Gas Service Company to Assign Contracts to an Affiliate and Make Certain Modifications to Its Gas Purchase Costs and Certain other Tariffs*

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On Sept. 8, 1999, Kansas Gas Service Company (KGS) filed an application to: 1) assign the bulk of its gas supply contracts to an affiliated company (ONEOK Gas Marketing Company(OGMC)), 2) consolidate its “t” and “k” system PGAs, with all relevant tariffs modified accordingly (KGS’s PGA clause is referred to as a Cost of Gas Rider), 3) implement a Full Requirements Termination Charge tariff and 4) eliminate the As-Available Gas Sales Service tariff.

Through this application KGS is requesting Commission approval of an array of gas sales and purchase contracts which would, if granted, serve to realign KGS’s current gas purchase

obligations. Through its examination of this request the Commission and its Staff will explore new territory. While this application was made voluntarily by the Company, it appears to be consistent with the sweeping changes that have already occurred in the natural gas industry, starting with the deregulation of the wellhead price of gas and continuing with the development of the daily and monthly spot gas markets, as well as the gas futures markets.

**Docket No. 00-UTCG-336-RTS** *In the Application of UtiliCorp United, Inc. for Approval to Make Certain Changes in Its Rates*

UtiliCorp United Inc. doing business as Peoples Natural Gas and Kansas Public Service filed the application on October 28, 1999. UtiliCorp states investments in ratebase to achieve Y2K compliance, to increase flexibility to accommodate industry restructuring, and to provide more efficient customer service have prevented its Kansas gas operations from earning a fair and reasonable return on its Kansas rate base under existing rates. Additionally UtiliCorp states that increased competition in the gas distribution business has resulted in declining volumes and revenue for the Kansas Gas Operations. Using a 1998 test year, the Applicant proposes to adjust its rates to increase its revenues annually by \$5,884,389 or approximately 8.86%. UtiliCorp serves approximately 97,000 retail natural gas customers across Kansas.

The Commission's Staff is in the process of performing a full investigation into UtiliCorp's application. Hearings are scheduled for May, 2000 with a Commission decision due on or before June 23, 2000.

**Docket No. 00-GIGM-425-GIG** *In the Matter of the Commission's Investigation into Performance Based Ratemaking mechanisms*

On Nov. 29, 1999, the Commission opened a general investigation of gas purchase performance standards. The general purpose of the investigation is to establish gas purchase performance indices for LDCs. The Commission in its Order dated Nov. 1, 1999, indicated that the selection of an index should be determined in part by identifying that "index which most accurately reflects the [gas] market for that utility." (Emphasis added.)

## Natural Gas Issues Before the FERC

In addition to following and reviewing FERC policy making the Commission has intervened in the following dockets:

### FERC Docket RP98-117

In February, 1998, KN Interstate Gas Company (KNI) filed with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) in Washington, D.C. to increase the rates it charges for wholesale transportation of natural gas. KNI is an interstate natural gas company that transports wholesale



natural gas to local distribution companies in Kansas, Colorado, Nebraska, and Wyoming. KNI is a major transporter of natural gas for Midwest Energy of Hays, Kansas. Midwest serves approximately 50,000 retail gas customers in central and western Kansas.

The KCC intervened in this case and provided testimony requesting that the Commission not burden traditional customers such as Midwest Energy with the costs of a newly constructed pipeline that would not provide benefits to retail customers. In October, 1999 the KCC entered into a Settlement Agreement with KNI and other intervening parties to the case. The outcome of the settlement, in pertinent part for Kansas customers, is that the retail customers of Midwest Energy will not be subject to major cost increases related to the construction of the new pipeline. In November, 1999 the Settlement Agreement was filed at the FERC. A Commission decision is expected early in 2000.

#### **FERC Docket RP99-485**

In September, 1999, Kansas Pipeline Company (KPC) filed with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) in Washington, D.C. to increase, by \$1.7 million, the rates it charges for wholesale transportation of natural gas. KPC is an interstate natural gas company that transports wholesale natural gas to local distribution companies in Kansas and Missouri. KPC is a transporter of natural gas for Kansas Gas Service Company (KGS) of Overland Park, Kansas. KGS serves approximately 600,000 retail gas customers in Eastern and Central Kansas.

The KCC has intervened in this case and will provide testimony that takes issue with several areas of KPC's cost of service. Discovery is currently in progress and a hearing is scheduled in Washington, D.C. in September, 2000.

#### **FERC Docket RP99-257**

In March, 1999 Williams Natural Gas (WNG) made a filing at the FERC to recover \$178 million in gas supply realignment (GSR) costs from its customers. The KCC intervened and argued that WNG had not demonstrated that all of the costs were prudently incurred. In June, 1999 the KCC and other parties to the case entered into a settlement agreement with WNG. The settlement sets the liability for customers at \$100 million with WNG absorbing the remaining \$78million.

### **Pipeline Safety**

#### **Docket No. 98-GIMG-542-GIG *Investigation into Whether Burnett Construction Violated the Underground Utility Damage Prevention Act***

After an investigation by pipeline safety staff, Burnett construction was charged with 23 violations of the Underground Utility Damage Prevention Act. The most serious of the charges

involved damaging gas lines, making unauthorized repairs, and failing to notify the gas company of the damaged lines. In several cases, this scenario had led to underground gas leaks. The commission concluded that 17 of the allegations were proved by a preponderance of the evidence and subsequently fined Burnett Construction \$193,000. All but \$50,000 of the penalty was suspended for two years. If the company pays the \$50,000 and remains free from other violations of the damage prevention act for the next two years, the suspended portion of the penalty will be waived. The KCC filed a petition for a \$50,000 judgement in enforcement of the Commission's Order in Shawnee County District Court on January 11, 2000.

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For the sake of brevity, some pleadings have been removed from the Docket Calendar due the age of the document.  
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**GENERAL INVESTIGATION ELECTRIC**

In the Matter of a General Investigation into the Restructuring of the Electric Industry in the State of Kansas.

File Date 17-JAN-1996 Company Date KCC Date  
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**Pleadings/Orders**

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17-JAN-1996	0001	Motion of the KCC Staff to Initiate a General Investigation and Open a Generic Docket for Purposes of Analyzing Matters Related to Restructuring the Electric Industry and Their Implications for the State of Kansas.
17-JAN-1996	0002	Order Establishing Generic Investigation.
06-FEB-1996	0003	Petition for Leave to Intervene by CURB.
09-FEB-1996	0004	Petition for Leave to Intervene of the Kansas Electric Power Cooperative, Inc.
28-FEB-1996	0005	Petition for Leave to Intervene by Kansas Municipal Energy Agency.
01-APR-1996	0006	Notice of Intent to Participate by Midwest Energy, Inc.
17-APR-1996	0007	Petition to Intervene by KPP.
25-APR-1996	0008	Amended Petition to Intervene by Kansas Pipeline Partnership.
10-MAY-1996	0009	Notice of Intent to Participate by Empire District Electric Company.
30-MAY-1996	0010	Notice of Intent to Participate by Kansas Independent Oil and Gas Assn.
18-JUN-1996	0011	Petition for Leave to Intervene by Kansas Industrial Consumers.
25-JUL-1996	0012	Petition For Leave to Intervene by The City of Wichita.
05-DEC-1997	0013	Order Granting Interventions to CURB, KEPCo, KMEA, Midwest Energy, KPP, Empire District Electric, KIOGA, KIC, and City of Wichita.
30-DEC-1997	0014	Petition for Leave to Intervene by Kansas Electric Cooperatives, Inc.
21-JAN-1998	0015	Order Granting KEC's Petition for Leave to Intervene.
24-MAR-1998	0016	Petition for Leave to Intervene by Williams Energy Services Company.
05-MAY-1998	0017	Order Granting WESCO's Petition for Leave to Intervene.

Docket No. 97-GIMG-514-GIG

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**GENERAL INVESTIGATION NATURAL GAS**

In the Matter of a General Investigation into Local Distribution Companies' Tariffs Regarding Billing Practices and Procedures.

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14-MAR-1997	0001	*Order Initiating Investigation.
19-MAR-1997	0002	*Petition for Leave to Intervene by CURB.
21-MAR-1997	0003	*Entry of Appearance by Western Resources, Inc.
21-MAR-1997	0004	*Order Assessing Costs by Martin Bregman on Behalf of Western Resources, Inc.
24-MAR-1997	0005	*Entry of Appearance by Peoples Natural Gas.
24-MAR-1997	0006	*Order Assessing Costs Robert A. Fox on Behalf of Peoples Natural Gas.
25-MAR-1997	0007	*Order Assessing Costs by Brock McPherson on Behalf of Midwest Energy, Inc.
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03-APR-1997	0012	*Notice of Intention to Participate by Mountain Iron & Supply Company.
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07-APR-1997	0014	*Order Assessing Costs.
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08-APR-1997	0016	*Entry of Appearance by United Cities Gas Company.
08-APR-1997	0017	*Entry of Appearance by Atmos Energy Corporation.
17-APR-1997	0018	*Entry of Appearance by Roger A. Schulz for Mac County Gas, Inc.
29-OCT-1998	0019	Order Soliciting Comments Concerning the Proposed Changes to the Existing Electric, Natural Gas and Water Billing Standards No Later Than Thirty Days From the Date of the Order.
03-NOV-1998	0020	Comments of the City of Eskridge on Proposed Changes to Existing Billing Practices.
30-NOV-1998	0021	Comments of Western Resources, Inc. and Kansas Gas and Electric Company.
30-NOV-1998	0022	Comments of Kansas Gas Service Company, a Division of ONEOK.
01-DEC-1998	0023	Comments on Proposed Billing Standards by UtiliCorp United, Inc. in Response to Commission Order Dated October 29, 1998.
01-DEC-1998	0024	Greeley Gas Company and United Cities Gas Company, Divisions of Atmos Energy Corporation, Responses to Staff Recommendations.
02-DEC-1998	0025	Comments of Midwest Energy, Inc.
02-FEB-1999	0026	Order Correcting Service List to Include all Jurisdictional Electric, Natural Gas, and Water Public Utilities. Written Comments Concerning the Proposed Changes to the Existing Electric, Natural Gas, and Water Billing Standards shall be Received no Later than Thirty Days from the Date of this Order.
02-MAR-1999	0027	Comments of the Emprie District Electric Company in Response to Staff Recommendations.
04-MAR-1999	0028	Comments of Kansas City Power & Light Company.
18-AUG-1999	0029	Memorandum from Dorothy J. Myrick, KCC Staff, the Commissioners Wine, Claus and Moline.

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**WESTERN RESOURCES, INC.**

In the Matter of the Joint Application of Western Resources, Inc. and Kansas City Power & Light Company for Approval of the Merger of Kansas City Power & Light Company With Western Resources, Inc. and for Other Related Relief.

File Date	30-MAY-1997	Company Date		KCC Date	30-APR-1998
Recommendation	GIPDIP				
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17-JUN-1998	0099	First Amended Joint Application of Western Resources, Inc., Kansas Gas and Electric Company, Kansas City Power & Light Company and NKC, Inc. (Volumes I, II, and III)
17-JUN-1998	0100	Highly Confidential Exhibits of Thomas J. Flaherty, Western Resources, Inc.
17-JUL-1998	0101	Joint Motion of Western Resources, Inc. Kansas City Power & Light Company, Kansas and Electric Company, NKC, Inc. The Staff of KCC and CURB to Establish a Procedural Schedule and Waiver of the 240-Day Provisions of K.S.A. 66-117
17-JUL-1998	0102	Order Establishing Procedural Schedule
27-JUL-1998	0103	Petition for Reconsideration of Order Establishing Procedural Schedule by Midwest Utilities Users' Assn.
30-JUL-1998	0104	Petition for Reconsideration of Order Establishing Procedural Schedule be Farmland Industries, Inc.
05-AUG-1998	0105	Letter Dated August 4, 1998, Regarding the Removal of John K. Rosenberg and J. Michael Peters From the Service List and Adding Richard D. Terrill.
06-AUG-1998	0106	Petition for Leave to Intervene by the City of Wichita.
06-AUG-1998	0107	Response of Joint Applicants to Petitions of Midwest Utilities Users' Assn. and Farmland Industries, Inc. for Reconsideration of Order Establishing Procedural Schedule.
06-AUG-1998	0108	Staff Response to Petitions for Reconsideration Filed by Midwest Utilities Users Association and Farmland Industries, Inc.

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20-AUG-1998	0109	Entry of Appearance by James P. Zakoura, Lee M. Smithyman and David J. Roberts on Behalf of Intervenor, Kansas Industrial Consumers.
21-AUG-1998	0110	Reply of Midwest Utility Users Assn. to Responses of Staff and Joint Applicants to Petition for Reconsideration.
21-AUG-1998	0111	Motion by Staff to Compel Responses to Data Requests and Motion to Suspend Procedural Schedule.
26-AUG-1998	0112	Order No. 16: Order on Reconsideration of Order Establishing Procedural Schedule. MWA's and Farmland's Petitions for Reconsideration are Denied and the Procedural Schedule is Modified to Require Submission of a Joint Statement of Issues by January 14, 1999. Any Party May File Comments Responding to the Submitted Joint Statement of Issues by January 24, 1999.
01-SEP-1998	0113	Motion of Kansas Electric Power Cooperative, Inc., To Suspend Procedural Schedule.
02-SEP-1998	0114	A Letter from Western Resources by Martin J. Bregman in the Light of Developments, Joint Applicants Will Not be Filing an Answer to the Motion at this Time.
04-SEP-1998	0115	A Letter from Western Resources to Add Martin J. Bregman to the Sevice List.
14-SEP-1998	0116	Response of Joint Applicants to Motion of Kansas Electric Power Cooperative, Inc. to Suspend Procedural Schedule.
21-SEP-1998	0117	Amended Motion to Compel Responses to Data Requests and Withdrawal of Motion to Suspend Procedural Schedule by Staff
22-SEP-1998	0118	Reply of Kansas Electric Power Cooperative, Inc., to Response of Joint Applicants to Motion to Suspend Procedural Schedule.
29-SEP-1998	0119	Nondisclosure Certificate of David Springe on Behalf of the Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board.
05-OCT-1998	0120	Western Resources, Inc.,and Kansas City Power & Light Joint Applicants' Response to Staff's Amended Motion to Compel Responses to Data Requests and Withdrawal of Motion to Suspend Procedural Schedule.
08-OCT-1998	0121	Notice of Withdrawal of Counsel, Susan B. Cunningham, KCPL.
26-OCT-1998	0122	Motion of KCC Staff to Modify Procedural Schedule.
26-OCT-1998	0123	Resolution Number 100598B From the City of Sedgwick, Kansas Calling for an End to Western Resources Rate Disparity.
28-OCT-1998	0124	Order No. 17: Order Setting Public Hearings and Form of Notice.
04-NOV-1998	0125	Order No. 18: Order Amending Form of Notice.
09-NOV-1998	0126	Response of Joint Applicants to Motion of the Staff of the Kansas Corporation Commission to Modify Procedural Schedule.
18-NOV-1998	0127	Petition for Reconsideration of Order No. 18, Order Amending Form of Notice, By the Kansas Industrial Consumers, and the Boeing Company, Cargill, Inc., LaFarge Corporation, Raytheon Aircraft Company, and Texaco Refining and Marketing, Inc.
19-NOV-1998	0128	Order No. 19: Order Compelling Discovery and Suspending Procedural Schedule.
23-NOV-1998	0129	Petition for Intervention by Cessna Aircraft Compnay ("Cessna")
23-NOV-1998	0130	Petition for Intervention by Certainteed Corporation ("Certainteed")
23-NOV-1998	0131	Petition for Reconsideration of Order No. 18 Amending Form of Notice by Midwest Utilities User's Association
23-NOV-1998	0132	Amended Petition for Intervention of Raytheon Aircraft Compnay
23-NOV-1998	0133	Amended Petition for Intervention of LaFarge Corporation
23-NOV-1998	0134	Amended Petition for Intervention of Farmland Industries, Inc.
23-NOV-1998	0135	Amended Petition for Intervention of Cargill, Inc.
23-NOV-1998	0136	Amended Petition for Intervention of the Boeing Company
23-NOV-1998	0137	Petition for Intervention by Vulcan Materials Corporation
23-NOV-1998	0138	Petition for Intervention by Equilon Enterprises, L.L.C.
30-NOV-1998	0139	Nondisclosure Certificate of Steve Ruback on Behalf of the Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board.
01-DEC-1998	0140	Response of Joint Applicants to Petitions of Farmland Industries, Inc. and Midwest Utility Users' Association for Reconsideration of Order No. 18, Order Amending Form of Notice
02-DEC-1998	0141	Errata Sheets to Testimony Previously Filed by Thomas J. Flaherty, John E. Hayes, Jr., and Steven L. Kitchen.
03-DEC-1998	0142	Letter From Martin J. Bregman, on Behalf of Western Resources, Inc., Stating that the Response of Joint Applicants to the November 18, 1998 Petition for Reconsideration of Order No. 18 Misidentified the Party Filing the Reconsideration as Farmland Industries, Inc. When In Fact the Parties Filing the November 18, 1998 Petition are Kansas Industrial Consumers, the Boeing Company, Cargill, Inc., LaFarge Corporation, Raytheon Aircraft Company and Texaco Refining and Marketing, Inc.
03-DEC-1998	0143	Joint Applicant's Response to Original and Amended Petitions for Intervention.
04-DEC-1998	0144	Letter From Martin J. Bregman, Western Resources, Inc., Requesting Reinstatement of the Procedural Schedule With Modifications.
07-DEC-1998	0145	Petition for Intervention by Heartland Cement Company.
07-DEC-1998	0146	Application for Intervention by Sprint.
07-DEC-1998	0147	Petition for Intervention by Adam's Mark Hotel.

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07-DEC-1998	0148	Petition for Intervention by General Motors Corporation.
09-DEC-1998	0149	Response of Intervenor Industrial Customers to the "Joint Applicants' Response to Original and Amended petitions for Intervention"
09-DEC-1998	0150	Notice of Withdrawal of Petition for Intervention of Cessna AirCraft Company
10-DEC-1998	0151	Order No. 20 : Order Denying Reconsideration of Order No. 18. Order Amending Form of Notice
14-DEC-1998	0152	Letter from Martin J. Bregman, on Behalf of Joint Applicants, Addressing One Non-Substantive Matter Contained in Paragraph 5 of the Industrial Intervenors' Response to Joint Applicants' Response to Original and Amended Petitions for Intervention.
17-DEC-1998	0153	Joint Applicants' Response to Petitions for Intervention by Heartland Cement Company, General Motors Corporation, Adam's Mark Hotel and Spint.
22-DEC-1998	0154	Entry of Appearance by Deborah R. Swank On Behalf of Joint Applicant Kansas City Power & Light Company
23-DEC-1998	0155	Reply of Industrial Consumers to Joint Applicants' Response to Petitions for Intervention of Heartland Cement Company, General Motors Corporation, Adam's Mark Hotel, and Sprint
28-DEC-1998	0156	Staff Response to Western Resources, Inc. Letter of December 2, 1998
05-JAN-1999	0157	Answer of KEPCo to Staff Response Regarding Procedural Schedule.
07-JAN-1999	0158	Reply of Joint Applicants to Staff Response to Western Resources, Inc. Letter of December 2, 1998 and Answer of Kansas Electric Cooperative, Inc. to Staff Response Regarding Procedural Schedule.
07-JAN-1999	0159	Order No. 21: Setting a Scheduling Conference on January 19,1999 at 9:30
12-JAN-1999	0160	Affidavit of Publication for Notice of Proposed Merger and Public Hearings.
15-JAN-1999	0161	Petition for Intervention by Owens-Corning Fiberglas Corporation.
22-JAN-1999	0162	Order Granting City of Wichita Limited Intervention.
25-JAN-1999	0163	Notice of Withdrawal of Counsel, Diana M. Schmidt, for Kansas Industrial Consumers.
26-JAN-1999	0164	Report and Recommendation Prehearing Conference, January 19, 1999.
28-JAN-1999	0165	Order Granting Amended Interventions to Farmland, Boeing, LaFarge, Raytheon and Cargill; Granting Interventions to Equilon, Vulcan, Certainteed, Heartland, Sprint, General Motors, Adam's Mark Hotel and Owens-Corning; and Requiring Consolidation of Intervenors Presentations.
28-JAN-1999	0166	Joint Applicants' Response to Petition to Intervene of Owens-Corning Fiberglas Corp.
29-JAN-1999	0167	Order No. 24: Procedural Schedule Shall Be Reinstated, and the Proposed Schedule Adopted.
08-FEB-1999	0168	Petition for Reconsideration of the City of Wichita.
15-FEB-1999	0169	Petition for Reconsideration of the Order No. 23 Order on Intervention and Consolidation by Midwest Utilities Users' Association.
18-FEB-1999	0170	Direct Testimony of H. Charles Liebold on Behalf of Kansas Electric Power Cooperative, Inc.
18-FEB-1999	0171	Direct Testimony of Stephen Page Daniel on Behalf of Kansas Electric Power Cooperative, Inc.
18-FEB-1999	0172	Direct Testimony of Harold L. Haun on Behalf of Kansas Electric Power Cooperative, Inc.
18-FEB-1999	0173	Direct Testimony of Robert D. Bowser, Ph.D. on Behalf of Kansas Electric Power Cooperative, Inc.
18-FEB-1999	0174	Direct Testimony of Paul Dietz on Behalf of the Kansas Corporation Commission Staff.
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18-FEB-1999	0177	Direct Testimony of Dr. Thomas J. Overbye on Behalf of the Kansas Corporation Commission Staff.
18-FEB-1999	0178	Direct Testimony of Adam H. Gatewood on Behalf of the Kansas Corporation Commission Staff.
18-FEB-1999	0179	Direct Testimony of Dr. John Cita on Behalf of the Kansas Corporation Commission Staff.
18-FEB-1999	0180	Direct Testimony of David N. Dittmore on Behalf of the Kansas Corporation Commission Staff.
18-FEB-1999	0181	Direct Testimony of Gordon T.C. Taylor, Ph.D. on Behalf of Kansas Electric Power Cooperative, Inc.
18-FEB-1999	0182	Confidential Direct Testimony of James M. Proctor on Behalf of the Kansas Corporation Commission Staff.
18-FEB-1999	0183	Confidential Direct Testimony Exhibits of James M. Proctor on Behalf of the Kansas Corporation Commission Staff.
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18-FEB-1999	0191	Direct Testimony of Mayor Bob Knight, Mayor of the City of Wichita, on Behalf of the City of Wichita.
18-FEB-1999	0192	Direct Testimony of Dr. John W. Wilson on Behalf of the Kansas City Board of Public Utilities.
18-FEB-1999	0193	Direct Testimony of John A. Krajewski on Behalf of the Kansas City Kansas Board of Public Utilities.
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18-FEB-1999	0197	Confidential Direct Testimony of Adam H. Gatewood on Behalf of the Kansas Corporation Commission Staff.
18-FEB-1999	0198	Direct Testimony of Joseph A. Herz, P.E. on Behalf of the Kansas City Kansas Board of Public Utilities.
18-FEB-1999	0199	Direct Testimony of Alan Chalfant on Behalf of the Kansas Industrial Consumers.
18-FEB-1999	0200	Direct Testimony of Nicholas Phillips, Jr. on Behalf of the Kansas Industrial Consumers.
18-FEB-1999	0201	Direct Testimony Regarding Rate Design of Steven W. Ruback on Behalf of the Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board.
18-FEB-1999	0202	Confidential Direct Testimony Regarding Rate Design of Steven W. Ruback on Behalf of the Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board.
18-FEB-1999	0203	Direct Testimony Regarding Market Power of Steven W. Ruback on Behalf of the Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board.
18-FEB-1999	0204	Direct Testimony of Andrea C. Crane on Behalf of the Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board.
18-FEB-1999	0205	Confidential Direct Testimony of Andrea C. Crane on Behalf of the Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board.
18-FEB-1999	0206	Certificate of Service for KCC Staff Testimony and Exhibits of Dr. John Cita, Norman Clifford Ph.D., Mark F. Doljac, Paul Dietz, David N. Dittmore, Adam H. Gatewood, Robert Glass, Ph.D., Larry W. Holloway, Thomas J. Overbye, Ph.D., James M. Proctor, George Rohrer, and Duzel Yates.
18-FEB-1999	0207	Certificate of Service of Kansas Industrial Consumers' Testimony of Nicholas Phillips, Jr. and Alan Chalfant.
18-FEB-1999	0208	Certificate of Service for Kansas Electric Power Cooperative, Inc.'s Testimony of Robert D. Bowser, Ph.D., Harold L. Haun, Stephen P. Daniel, H. Charles Liebold, and Gordon T.C. Taylor, Ph.D.
18-FEB-1999	0209	Certificate of Service for Kansas City, Kansas Board of Public Utilities' Testimony of Joseph A. Herz, P.E., Michael E. Kiser, P.E., and John Krajewski.
18-FEB-1999	0210	Direct Testimony of Michael E. Kiser, P.E. on Behalf of the Kansas City Kansas Board of Public Utilities.
19-FEB-1999	0211	Order No.25: Order on Reconsideration; Order No. 22 is Modified to the Extent the City of Wichita's Intervention is Limited to Its Status as a Municipal Customer and a Franchising Entity.
02-MAR-1999	0212	Petition of the City of Topeka, Kansas to Intervene.
08-MAR-1999	0213	ORDER NO. 27: Granting Limited Intervention to the City of Topeka.
08-MAR-1999	0214	ORDER NO. 26: Order Denying Petition of Midwest Utilities Users' Assn. for Reconsideration of Order No. 23 and Clarifying Order No. 23..
08-MAR-1999	0215	Letter from Gregg D. Ottinger, Special Counsel to the City of Wichita, with Attached Pages 11 and 12 of Corrected Testimony of Timothy R. Corrigan on Behalf of the City of Wichita.
09-MAR-1999	0216	Motion of the Kansas Industrial Consumers for the Designation of Certain Communications as Non-Record Testimony.
09-MAR-1999	0217	Direct Testimony of James R. Dittmer on Behalf of Midwest Utility Users' Assn. and Johnson County Municipalities.
09-MAR-1999	0218	Cross-Answering Testimony of Gordon T.C. Taylor, Ph.D. on Behalf of Kansas Electric Power Cooperative, Inc.
09-MAR-1999	0219	Answering Testimony of Joan Wagnon, Mayor of the City of Topeka, Kansas, on Behalf of Intervenor City of Topeka, Kansas.
09-MAR-1999	0220	Answering Testimony of Andrea C. Crane on behalf of CURB.
09-MAR-1999	0221	Answering Testimony of Christopher C. Plfaum, Ph.D. on Behalf of Intervenor City of Topeka, Kansas.
09-MAR-1999	0222	Petition for Leave to Intervene of the City of Lenexa, Kansas.
09-MAR-1999	0223	Petition for Leave to Intervene of the City of Overland Park, Kansas.
09-MAR-1999	0224	Petition for Reconsideration of the City of Wichita.
15-MAR-1999	0225	Order No. 28 Denying the City of Wichita's Petition for Recondieration of Order No. 25.
17-MAR-1999	0226	Motion of the Kansas City Board of Public Utilities for Appearance of Out-of-State Counsel.
17-MAR-1999	0227	Notice of Entry of Appearance on behalf of the Board of Public Utilities of Kansas City, Kansas ("KCBPU").
18-MAR-1999	0228	Rebuttal Testimony of Thomas J. Flaherty on Behalf of Joint Applicants.



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18-MAR-1999	0229	Rebuttal Testimony of Leslie Morgan on Behalf of Joint Applicants.
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18-MAR-1999	0231	Rebuttal Testimony of John F. Lathrop on Behalf of Joint Applicants.
18-MAR-1999	0232	Rebuttal Testimony of Dracy Jenkins on Behalf of Joint Applicants.
18-MAR-1999	0233	Rebuttal Testimony of Robert M. Spann on Behalf of Joint Applicants.
18-MAR-1999	0234	Rebuttal Testimony of Charles J. Cicchetti, Ph.D., on Behalf of Joint Applicants. (Pages 86 Through 99 and Exhibits)
18-MAR-1999	0235	Rebuttal Testimony of David C. Wittig on Behalf of Joint Applicants.
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18-MAR-1999	0237	Rebuttal Testimony of Richard A. Dixon, Western Resources.
18-MAR-1999	0238	Rebuttal Testimony of Charles J. Cicchetti, Ph.D., on Behalf of Joint Applicants. (Pages 1 Through 85)
18-MAR-1999	0239	Confidential Rebuttal Testimony of James A. Martin, Thomas J. Flaherty and Michael J. Stadler, Western Resources, Inc.
22-MAR-1999	0240	Response of Joint Applicants to Motion of the Kansas Industrial Consumers for the Designation of Certain Communications as Non-Record Testimony.
25-MAR-1999	0241	Petition for Leave to Intervene of the City of Leawood, Kansas.
25-MAR-1999	0242	Petition for Leave to Intervene of the City of Westwood, Kansas.
25-MAR-1999	0243	Petition for Leave to Intervene of the City of Roeland Park, Kansas.
25-MAR-1999	0244	Petition for Leave to Intervene of the City of Mission Hills, Kansas.
30-MAR-1999	0245	Motion of the KCC Staff for Leave to File Surrebuttal Testimony.
31-MAR-1999	0246	Motion of Kansas Electric Power Cooperative, Inc. for Leave to File Surrebuttal.
31-MAR-1999	0247	Order No. 29: Order Granting Limited Intervention to the Cities of Lenexa, Overland Park, Westwood, Mission Hills, Roeland Park and Leawood.
01-APR-1999	0248	Motion of CURB to File Surrebuttal Testimony.
01-APR-1999	0249	Motion of the Board of Public Utilities of Kansas City, Kansas for Leave to Submit Surrebuttal Testimony.
02-APR-1999	0250	Order No. 31: Order On Motion by KIC for Designation of Certain Communications as Non-Record Testimony and on Motion by KC-BPU for Appearance of Out-of-State Counsel.
02-APR-1999	0251	Order No. 30: (A) A Pre-Hearing Conference be Conducted in this Matter. Advisory Counsel Shall Preside as Hearing Examiner. (B) Prehearing Conference Shall be Held on April 15, 1999, for the Purpose of Discussing the Simplification of Issues or Stipulations of Fact, the Order of Direct and Cross Examination, Scheduling of Witnesses, and Such Other Matters as May Aid in the Disposition of the Proceeding.
05-APR-1999	0252	Letter Dated April 1, 1999, Signed by Commissioners, in Response to Request for Waiver Pursuant to Commission's Conflict of Interest Policy AD-97009 Filed by Walker Hendrix, CURB.
05-APR-1999	0253	Petition for Reconsideration and Request for Clarification of the City of Wichita.
07-APR-1999	0254	Response of Joint Applicants to Motion of KCC Staff, CURB, KEPCo, Bd. of Public Utilities of Kansas City, Kansas For Leave to File Surrebuttal Testimony.
09-APR-1999	0255	Order No. 32: Order Granting the Motions to File Surrebuttal Testimony. Joint Applicants' Shall Be Allowed to File Testimony Responsive to the Surrebuttal.
12-APR-1999	0256	Response by the City of Topeka, Kansas to Staff Information Request No. 1309.
15-APR-1999	0257	Transcript of Prehearing Conference.
16-APR-1999	0258	Petition of Johnson County Municipalities, Overland Park, Lenexa, Westwood, Mission Hills, and Roeland Park, Kansas, for Reconsideration of Order No. 29, Order on Intervention.
20-APR-1999	0259	Surrebuttal Testimony of Andrea C. Crane on Behalf of CURB.
20-APR-1999	0260	Surrebuttal Testimony of Gordon T.C. Taylor, Ph. D.
20-APR-1999	0261	Surrebuttal Testimony of Dr. John W. Wilson on Behalf of Kansas City Board of Public Utilities.
20-APR-1999	0262	Surrebuttal Testimony of KCC Staff Witnesses: David N. Dittmore, Adam Gatewood, James Proctor, and Mark Doljac.
20-APR-1999	0263	Confidential Surrebuttal Testimony of KCC Staff Witnesses: David N. Dittmore, Adam Gatewood, James Proctor, and Mark Doljac.
20-APR-1999	0264	Surrebuttal Testimony of H. Charles Lifebold
21-APR-1999	0265	Order No. 33: Order Granting the Motion by KC-BPU for Leave to File Surrebuttal Testimony. Testimony to be filed by April 20,1999.
21-APR-1999	0266	Order No. 34: Order Dismissing the Petition for Reconsideration and Clarification Filed by the City of Wichita.
22-APR-1999	0267	Notice of Withdrawal of Harold L. Haun as Witness and Notice of Adoption of Testimony by Robert Bowser by KEPCO.

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22-APR-1999	0268	Petition for Leave to Intervene of the City of Prairie Village, Kansas.
22-APR-1999	0269	Petition for Leave to Intervene of the City of Mission, Kansas.
22-APR-1999	0270	Petition for Leave to Intervene of the City of Fairway, Kansas.
23-APR-1999	0271	Order No. 35: Prehearing Conference Order.
26-APR-1999	0272	Objection to Admission of Testimony and Motion to Exclude Testimony by Western Resources, KGE, KCPL and NKC, Inc.
27-APR-1999	0273	Designation of Order of Witnesses for Staff of the Kansas Corporation Commission
27-APR-1999	0274	Statement of the Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board on Paragraph 28 of Commission's Order No. 35.
27-APR-1999	0275	Designation of Order of Witnesses for Joint Applicants.
27-APR-1999	0276	Statement of Order of Witnesses for KEPCo.
27-APR-1999	0277	City of Wichita's Order of Witnesses.
27-APR-1999	0278	Statement of Proposed Order of Presentation of Witnesses of the Kansas City, Kansas, Board of Public Utilities.
27-APR-1999	0279	Proposed Order of Witnesses by Intervenor City of Topeka, Kansas.
27-APR-1999	0280	KIC's Intended Order of Witnesses.
29-APR-1999	0281	Answer of Kansas Electric Power Cooperative, Inc., to Joint Applicants' Motion to Exclude.
29-APR-1999	0282	Answer of the Kansas Industrial Consumers to Motion to Exclude Testimony of Western Resources, Inc.
29-APR-1999	0283	Order No. 36: Denying Reconsideration of Order No. 29 Requested by Cities of Overland Park, Lenexa, Westwood, Mission Hills, Leawood and Roeland Park, Kansas.
29-APR-1999	0284	Order No. 37: Granting Limited Intervention to the Cities of Mission, Prairie Village and Fairway, Kansas.
29-APR-1999	0285	Answer of the Kansas City, Kansas, Board of Public Utilities in Opposition to Joint Applicants' Objection to Admissino of Testimony and Motion to Exclude Testimony.
03-MAY-1999	0286	Petition for Leave to Intervene of the Lenexa Chamber of Commerce.
03-MAY-1999	0287	Volume 1, Transcript of Proceedings.
04-MAY-1999	0288	Volume 2, Transcript of Proceedings.
05-MAY-1999	0289	Volume 3, Transcript of Proceedings.
06-MAY-1999	0290	Joint Recommendations, Stipulations, and Agreement by KCC Staff, Western Resources, Kansas Gas & Electric, NKC, Kansas City Power & Light and the City of Topeka.
06-MAY-1999	0291	Volume 4, Transcript of Proceedings.
07-MAY-1999	0292	Volume 5, Transcript of Proceedings.
10-MAY-1999	0293	Order Granting in Part and Denying in Part the Joint Applicants' Motion to Exclude Testimony.
10-MAY-1999	0294	Volume 6, Transcript of Proceedings.
11-MAY-1999	0295	Volume 7, Transcript of Proceedings.
12-MAY-1999	0296	Volume 8, Transcript of Proceedings.
13-MAY-1999	0297	Volume 9, Transcript of Proceedings.
14-MAY-1999	0298	Nondisclosure Agreement of Kevin M. Fowler, Frieden, Haynes & Forbes, on Behalf of the City of Topeka.
14-MAY-1999	0299	Nondisclosure Agreement of John Frieden, Frieden, Haynes & Forbes, on Behalf of the City of Topeka.
14-MAY-1999	0300	Volume 10, Transcript of Proceedings.
17-MAY-1999	0301	Statement in Support of Joint Recommendations, Stipulations, and Agreement Prepared by James M. Proctor on Behalf of the Utilities Division State Corporation Commission.
17-MAY-1999	0302	Volume 11, Transcript of Proceedings.
18-MAY-1999	0303	Testimony of James R. Dittmer Responsive to Recommendations on Behalf of Midwest Utility Users' Assn. and Johnson County Municipalities.
18-MAY-1999	0304	Volume 12, Transcript of Proceedings.
19-MAY-1999	0305	Volume 13, Transcript of Proceedings.
20-MAY-1999	0306	Volume 14, Transcript of Proceedings.
20-MAY-1999	0307	Volume 15, Prefiled Testimony, May 3-20, 1999
20-MAY-1999	0308	Volume 16, Prefiled Testimony, May 3-20, 1999.

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20-MAY-1999	0309	Volume 17, Prefiled Testimony, May 3-20-1999.
20-MAY-1999	0310	Volume 18, Prefiled Testimony, May 3-20, 1999.
20-MAY-1999	0311	Volume 19, Prefiled Testimony, May 3-20, 1999.
20-MAY-1999	0312	Volume 20, Prefiled Testimony, May 3-20, 1999.
20-MAY-1999	0313	Volume 21, Prefiled Testimony, May 3-20, 1999.
20-MAY-1999	0314	Volume 22, Prefiled Testimony, May 3-20, 1999
17-JUN-1999	0315	Letter from Martin J. Bregman, Western Resources, Inc. with Attached Copy of Joint Recommendations, Stipulations and Agreement with Original Signature by a Representative of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers 304.
21-JUN-1999	0316	Post Hearing Brief of Midwest Utility Users and Johnson County Municipalities.
21-JUN-1999	0317	Post-Hearing Brief of the Kansas Industrial Consumers
21-JUN-1999	0318	Brief of Kansas Electric Power Cooperative, Inc.
21-JUN-1999	0319	Initial Post Hearing Brief of the City of Wichita.
21-JUN-1999	0320	Joint Applicants' Post Hearing Brief
21-JUN-1999	0321	Initial Post-Hearing Brief of the Kansas City, Kansas Board of Public Utilities.
21-JUN-1999	0322	Post-Hearing Brief of KCC Staff.
21-JUN-1999	0323	Brief of CURB.
21-JUN-1999	0324	Motion for Limited Extension of Time to File Post-Hearing Memorandum by the City of Topeka.
22-JUN-1999	0325	Order No. 39: Order on City of Topeka's Motion for Extension of Time.
25-JUN-1999	0326	Post-Hearing Memorandum of Intervenor City of Topeka, Kansas
29-JUN-1999	0327	Statement of Clarification of Citations by the Staff of the State Corporation Commission.
15-JUL-1999	0328	Responsive Statement of the KCC Staff.
15-JUL-1999	0329	Reply Brief of the Kansas Industrial Consumers.
15-JUL-1999	0330	Reply Brief of CURB.
15-JUL-1999	0331	Responsive Statement of Western Resources, Inc., Kansas Gas and Electric Company, NKC, Inc. and Kansas City Power & Light Company
15-JUL-1999	0332	Responsive Statement of the City of Wichita.
15-JUL-1999	0333	Responsive Statement of Kansas City, Kansas, Board of Public Utilities.
15-JUL-1999	0334	Post-Hearing Memorandum Response of Intervenor, City of Topeka, Kansas.
23-JUL-1999	0335	Motion of the Kansas Industrial Consumers to File Specific Documentary Evidence, for the Commission to take Administrative Notice, and for the Commission to Reopen the Record
26-JUL-1999	0336	Letter of the Kansas Industrial Consumers Correcting Amount of Money Quoted in "Motion to File Specific Documentary Evidence".
27-JUL-1999	0337	Supplemental Motion of the Kansas Industrial Consumers to File Specific Documentary Evidence, for the Commission to Take Administrative Notice, and for the Commission to Reopen the Record.
29-JUL-1999	0338	Response in Support of Motion of Kansas Industrial Consumers to File Specific Documentary Evidence, et al. by the Midwest Utility Users' Association and the Johnson County Municipalities.
02-AUG-1999	0339	Order No. 40: Order Granting Motion to File Specific Documentary Evidence.
06-AUG-1999	0340	Comments on the Stipulation and Agreement Between Western Resources, KCPL, Missouri Office of the Public Counsel and the Missouri Commission Staff.
09-AUG-1999	0341	Joint Applicants' Petition for General Reconsideration.
09-AUG-1999	0342	Comments of the Kansas Industrial Consumers on the Missouri Settlement Agreement and the Company Press Release.
09-AUG-1999	0343	Comments of the City of Wichita on Missouri Stipulation and Agreement.
11-AUG-1999	0344	Order No. 41: Order Denying Joint Applicant's Motion for General Reconsideration.
28-SEP-1999	0345	Order on Merger Application.
06-OCT-1999	0347	Motion for Leave to Withdraw Pleadings and Testimony in Opposition to Proposed Merger of the Kansas City, Kansas, Board of Public Utilities.
07-OCT-1999	0348	Motion of the Kansas Industrial Consumers Requesting the Kansas Corporation Commission to Designate the Date On or Before Which Petition(s) for Reconsideration Must Be Filed.
11-OCT-1999	0349	Order No. 43: Order on Dates for Petitions for Reconsideration.

<u>Plead Date</u>	<u>Plea#</u>	
13-OCT-1999	0350	Joint Applicants' (WRI, KG&E, KCPL and NKC) Petition for Specific Reconsideration.
13-OCT-1999	0351	Petition of the Commission Staff for Clarification and Reconsideration.
13-OCT-1999	0352	Petition for Reconsideration by CURB.
15-OCT-1999	0353	Petition for Reconsideration by the Kansas Industrial Consumers.
18-OCT-1999	0354	Petition for Reconsideration and Request for Clarification of the City of Wichita.
18-OCT-1999	0355	Petition for Reconsideration of Midwest Utility Users' Association and Johnson County Municipalities.
18-OCT-1999	0356	Petition of Intervenor City of Topeka, Kansas for Reconsideration and/or Clarification of Paragraphs 32 and 44 of the Commission's Order on Merger Application Dated September 28, 1999.
25-OCT-1999	0357	Joint Applicants' Response to Petitions for Reconsideration.
04-NOV-1999	0358	Order No. 44: Order on Reconsideration.
06-JAN-2000	0359	Letter Dated January 6, 2000, From Wayne Kitchen, Western Resources, Advising of the Termination of the Amended and Restated Agreement and Plan of Merger, Dated March 18, 1998, Between WRI and KCPL.

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**GENERAL INVESTIGATION NATURAL GAS**

In the Matter of a General Investigation Upon the Commission's Own Motion to Establish General Policies with Regard to Kansas Ad Valorem Tax Refunds (LDC's).

File Date	05-MAR-1998	Company Date	KCC Date
Recommendation	PASS		
Utilities Staff	BELL WILLIAMS SANCHEZ KUZELKA		
Legal Staff	LENTZ NUCKOLLS		
Other Staff			

**Pleadings/Orders**

<u>Plead Date</u>	<u>Plea#</u>	
29-APR-1998	0001	Petition of Anadarko Gathering Company for Clarification of Refund Procedures and Obligations.
21-MAY-1998	0002	Order No. 1: Opening General Investigation to Establish General Policies With Regard to Kansas Ad Valorem Tax Refunds by the Local Distribution Companies, Assessing Costs, and Setting Procedural Schedule.
09-JUN-1998	0003	Order Nunc Pro Tunc.
15-JUN-1998	0004	Petition of Williams Gas Pipelines Central, Inc. to Intervene
18-JUN-1998	0005	Petition for Leave to Intervene by Midwest Gas Users' Assn.
22-JUN-1998	0006	Order Granting Intervention by William's and Midwest's
25-JUN-1998	0007	Initial Comments of Midwest Gas Users' Association
26-JUN-1998	0008	Comments of Atmos Energy Corporation
26-JUN-1998	0009	Response of Anadarko Gathering Company to Order #1 (May21,1998)
26-JUN-1998	0010	Comments of Midwest Energy, Inc.
26-JUN-1998	0011	Entry of Appearance by Brock R. McPherson, McPherson & McVey Law Offices, on Behalf of Midwest Energy, Inc.
26-JUN-1998	0012	Comments of Kansas Gas Service Company, a Division of ONEOK, Inc.
26-JUN-1998	0013	Responses to KCC Regarding Kansas Ad Valorem Tax Refunds by UtiliCorp United, Inc.
29-JUN-1998	0014	Comments of the Kansas Industrial Consumers
30-JUN-1998	0015	Petition for Leave to Intervene by CURB
07-JUL-1998	0016	Motion for Leave to File Comments Out of Time by Kansas Industrial Consumers.
16-JUL-1998	0017	Motion for Leave to File Comments Out of Time by Kansas Gas Supply Corporation.
17-JUL-1998	0018	Motion for Leave to File Comments out of Time by Texas Pipeline, L.L.C.
17-JUL-1998	0019	Comments of Texas Pipeline, L.L.C.
20-JUL-1998	0020	Order Granting CURB and KIC Intervention and Granting KIC's Motion for Leave to File Comments Out of Time.
22-JUL-1998	0021	Order Granting Kansas Gas Supply Corporation's and Texas Pipeline, L.L.C.'s Motions for Leave to File Comments Out of Time.
14-AUG-1998	0022	Entry of Appearance by Stephen S. Williams from Anadarko Gathering Company; J. Kyle McClain from Anadarko Petroleum Corporation; Mark R. Haskell from Travis & Gooch; Lee M. Smithyman from Smithyman & Zakoura, Chartered.

<u>Plead Date</u>	<u>Plea#</u>	
17-AUG-1998	0023	Letter Dated August 14, 1998 to Glen Froelich From Stephen Korb, KPP, Regarding Refunds of Kansas Ad Valorem Taxes.
24-AUG-1998	0024	Staff Memorandum Dated August 20, 1998 Regarding Comments Received and Staff Position Regarding Ad Valorem Refunds to Kansas End-Use Customers.
28-AUG-1998	0025	Reply Comments of Kansas Gas Service Company, A Division of ONEOK, Inc.
01-SEP-1998	0026	Anadarko Gathering Company's Response to 8/20/98 Memo from Commission Staff.
03-SEP-1998	0027	Midwest Energy, Inc. Submitting Additional Comments.
08-SEP-1998	0028	Order Clarifying the Commission's Treatment of the April 29, 1998 Petition of Anadarko Gathering Company.
09-SEP-1998	0029	Reply Comments of Kansas Industrial Consumers.
15-SEP-1998	0030	Transcript of Prehearing Conference Held on September 15, 1998.
23-SEP-1998	0031	Hearing Examiner's Report and Recommendation Following Prehearing Conference.
05-OCT-1998	0032	Order Approving Procedural Schedule Agreed to by the Parties. Hearing Schedule for October 20-21, 1998, is Canceled.
05-NOV-1998	0033	Motion of Tekas Pipeline, L.L.C. to Submit Affidavit in Lieu of Distribution Plan.
10-DEC-1998	0034	Order Granting the Motion of TEKAS Pipeline, L.L.C to Submit Affidavit in Lieu of Distribution Plan.
11-DEC-1998	0035	Motion for Extension of Time to File Distribution Plan by Kansas Gas Service Company.
15-DEC-1998	0036	Order Granting Kansas Gas Service Company's Motion for Extension to Time to File Distribution Plan
01-FEB-1999	0037	Petition for Leave to Intervene by Atchison Casting Corp., Center Industries Corp. and Via Christy Regional Medical Center.
15-FEB-1999	0038	Order Granting Intervention to Atchison Casting Corp., Center Industries Corp., and Via Christy Regional Medical Center.
08-MAR-1999	0039	Letter from Paula Lentz, Assistant General Counsel-KCC, Notifying All Parties to Direct All Distribution-Plan Related Pleadings to the Appropriate Bifurcated Docket.
12-MAR-1999	0040	Notice of Change of Address of Counsel for Kansas Gas Supply Corporation.
12-MAR-1999	0041	Notice of Change of Address of Counsel for Dynegey, Inc./Tekas, L.L.C
18-MAR-1999	0042	Motion for Protective Order by Kansas Gas Service Co.
14-APR-1999	0043	Petition for Leave to Intervene by the CertainTeed Corporation.
19-APR-1999	0044	Nondisclosure Certificate of Allen Brady Cantrell on Behalf of CURB.
05-MAY-1999	0045	Order Granting Intervention to General Motors Corp., Owens-Corning Fiberglass Corp., Proctor & Gamble Manufacturing, University of Kansas and CertainTeed Corp.
10-MAY-1999	0046	Notice of Change of Address and Withdrawal of Appearance and Substitution of Counsel by Carl J. Circo, Stinson, Mag & Fizzell.
12-MAY-1999	0047	Certificate of Service on Notice of Change of Address and Withdrawal of Appearance and Substitution of Counsel, Filed on May 10, 1999.
13-DEC-1999	0048	Order Granting Intervention to Duke Energy Services, Inc.

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**SUNFLOWER ELECTRIC POWER CORPORATION**

In the Matter of the Complaint by Berexco, Inc., Murfin Drilling Co. Inc., Lloyd E. Theimer, and Vess Oil Corporation, An Allegation of the Unreasonableness of the All Requirements Power Contracts of Sunflower Electric Power Corporation and Its Contractees, Lane Scott Electric Co-Operative, Inc., Midwest Energy, Inc., Prairie Land Electric Co-Operative, Inc., Western Co-Operative Electric Association, Inc. and Wheatland Electric Co-Operative, Inc.

File Date 18-MAR-1998 Company Date KCC Date

Recommendation PASS

Utilities Staff HOLLOWAY DOLJAC RENNER YATES ROHRER CITA DIETZ KUZELKA

Legal Staff CUNNINGHAM LAWSON

Other Staff

**Pleadings/Orders**

<u>Plead Date</u>	<u>Plea#</u>	
22-MAY-1998	0001	Petition for Leave to Intervene by CURB.
26-MAY-1998	0002	Motion for Enlargement of Time to Respond to Complaint by Sunflower.
28-MAY-1998	0003	Order No. 1: Order Enlarging Time.
01-JUN-1998	0004	Answer of Respondent Wheatland Electric Cooperative Inc.
02-JUN-1998	0005	Motion to Dismiss Lane-Scott Electric Cooperative, Inc. for Lack of Jurisdiction Over Rates

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<u>Plead Date</u>	<u>Plea#</u>	
04-JUN-1998	0006	Entry of Appearance by Brock R. McPherson of McPherson & McVey Law Offices.
04-JUN-1998	0007	Answer of Midwest Energy, Inc.
04-JUN-1998	0008	Complainant's Motion for an Extension of Time to File Replies to Responsive Pleadings.
05-JUN-1998	0009	Order No. 2: Order Enlarging Time: The Complainants have until June 18, 1998 to file any reply necessitated by the responsive pleading of the Respondents.
08-JUN-1998	0010	Answer of Prairie Land Electric Cooperative, Inc.
08-JUN-1998	0011	Answer of Sunflower Electric Power Corporation.
08-JUN-1998	0012	Answer of Respondent Western Cooperative Electric Association, Inc.
18-JUN-1998	0013	Response of Midwest Energy, Inc. to Protective Answer of Lane Scott Electric Coop., Inc.
18-JUN-1998	0014	Response of Midwest Energy, Inc. to Answer of Wheatland Electric Cooperative, Inc.
18-JUN-1998	0015	Response of Midwest Energy, Inc. to Answer of Western Cooperative Electric Assn., Inc.
18-JUN-1998	0016	Response of Midwest Energy, Inc. to Answer of Prairie Land Electric Cooperative, Inc.
18-JUN-1998	0017	Response of Midwest Energy, Inc. to Answer of Sunflower Electric Power Corporation.
19-JUN-1998	0018	Order No. 3: Granting CURB's Petition for Leave to Intervene.
22-JUN-1998	0019	Complainant's Reply to Wheatland Electric Cooperative, Inc.'s Motion to Dismiss.
22-JUN-1998	0020	Complainant's Reply to Prairie Land Electric Cooperative, Inc.'s Motion to Dismiss.
22-JUN-1998	0021	Complainant's Reply to the Motion to Dismiss of Lane-Scott Electric Cooperative, Inc.
26-JUN-1998	0022	Motion for Order Authorizing Discovery by Midwest Energy, Inc.
01-JUL-1998	0023	Complainant's Reply to the Motion of Midwest Energy, Inc. for an Order Authorizing Discovery.
06-JUL-1998	0024	Objection to Motion for Order Authorizing Discovery or, in the Alternative, Motion for an Order Limiting Discovery and for a Protective Order.
13-JUL-1998	0025	Response to Sunflower Electric Power Corp.'s Objection to Motion for Order Authorizing Discovery and Objection to Proposed Protective Order.
14-JUL-1998	0026	Complainant's Reply to the Objection of Sunflower Electric Power Corporation Regarding Discovery.
21-OCT-1998	0027	Order No. 4: Order on Motions to Dismiss, Granting Discovery and Setting Prehearing Conference.
26-OCT-1998	0028	Order No. 5: Protective Order Governing the Treatment and Handling of Confidential Information.
27-OCT-1998	0029	Nondisclosure Certificate by Walker Hendrix on behalf of CURB
28-OCT-1998	0030	Letter From John McNish, Advisory Counsel, Notifying Parties of Change in Prehearing Conference, Moved to Tuesday, November 10, 1998 at 1:30 p.m.
16-NOV-1998	0031	Report and Recommendation Prehearing Conference November 10, 1998
20-NOV-1998	0032	Joint Motion for Adoption of Proposed Procedural Schedule and for Approval of Proposed Discovery Procedure by Berexco, Inc., Murfin Drilling Co., Inc., Lloyd E. Theimer, Vess Oil Corporation, Sunflower Electric Power Corporation, Wheatland Electric Cooperative, Inc., Midwest Energy, Inc., the Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board, and KCC Staff.
07-DEC-1998	0033	Complainant's First Discovery Request of Sunflower Electric Power Corporation
21-DEC-1998	0034	Nondisclosure Certificate of Tamra Esslinger on Behalf of Midwest Energy, Inc.
21-DEC-1998	0035	Nondisclosure Certificate of William N. Dowling on Behalf of Midwest Energy, Inc.
21-DEC-1998	0036	Nondisclosure Certificate of Jeff Lee McVey on Behalf of Midwest Energy, Inc.
21-DEC-1998	0037	Nondisclosure Certificate of Brock R. McPherson on Behalf of Midwest Energy, Inc.
21-DEC-1998	0038	Nondisclosure Certificate of Gene Argo on Behalf of Midwest Energy, Inc.
21-DEC-1998	0039	Nondisclosure Certificate of Mike Engel on Behalf of Midwest Energy, Inc.
21-DEC-1998	0040	Nondisclosure Certificate of Patrick Parke on Behalf of Midwest Energy, Inc.
28-DEC-1998	0041	Nondisclosure Certificate of Adam Beren on Behalf of Berexco, Inc.
28-DEC-1998	0042	Nondisclosure Certificate of Timothy E. McKee on Behalf of Vess Oil Corporation.
31-DEC-1998	0043	First Set of Data Requests of Sunflower Electric Power Corporation to Complainants.
12-JAN-1999	0044	Order Setting Procedural Schedule
02-FEB-1999	0045	Complainants' Written Responses to First Set of Data Requests of Sunflower Electric Power Corp. to Complainants.
08-FEB-1999	0046	Nondisclosure Certificate by David R. Springe on behalf of CURB.

<u>Plead Date</u>	<u>Plea#</u>	
24-FEB-1999	0047	Sunflower Prehearing Conference Issues.
02-MAR-1999	0048	Transcript of Prehearing Conference Held on March 2, 1999.
18-MAR-1999	0049	Motion to Amend Procedural Schedule by Staff.
31-MAR-1999	0050	Order No. 7: Order Amending Procedural Schedule.
14-APR-1999	0051	Motion to Amend Procedural Schedule by the Complainants.
19-APR-1999	0052	Supplemental Motion to Amend Procedural Schedule by Complainants.
15-JUN-1999	0053	Order No.8 Amending Procedural Schedule.
17-JUN-1999	0054	Order Directing Staff to Service the United States Attorney for the District of Kansas and the Attorney General of the United States With a Copy of the Complaint Filed in the Proceeding and Order by Certified Mail. The Return from this Service shall be Filed With the Executive Director and shall be Part of the Official Record.
30-JUN-1999	0055	Certificate of Service in Compliance with Rule 4 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure by the Staff of the State Corporation Commission of Kansas.
02-JUL-1999	0056	Return Receipt of Certified Mail Sent to United States Attorney, District of Kansas.
12-JUL-1999	0057	Return Receipt of Certified Mail Sent to Attorney General of the United States.
21-JUL-1999	0058	Joint Motion to Continue Procedural Schedule by Berexco, Inc., Murfin Drilling Co., Inc., Lloyd E. Theimer, Vess Oil Corporation, Sunflower Electric Power Corporation, Wheatland Electric Cooperative, Inc., Midwest Energy, Inc., the Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board, and the Staff of the State Corporation Commission.
02-AUG-1999	0059	Order Granting Joint Motion to Continue Procedural Schedule.
23-SEP-1999	0061	Transcript of Prehearing Conference.
08-OCT-1999	0060	Order No. 11: Order Scheduling Prehearing Conference.
17-NOV-1999	0062	Transcript of Prehearing Conference.
09-DEC-1999	0063	Order No. 12: Scheduling Prehearing Conference.
13-DEC-1999	0064	Motion to Amend Answer of Midwest Energy, Inc.
13-DEC-1999	0065	Amended Answer of Midwest Energy, Inc.
15-DEC-1999	0066	Transcript of Prehearing Conference.
21-DEC-1999	0067	Complainant's First Discovery Request of Midwest Energy, Inc.
30-DEC-1999	0068	Motion for Additional Time by Midwest Energy, Inc.
10-JAN-2000	0069	Response of Midwest Energy, Inc. to Complainant's First Discovery Request.

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**GENERAL INVESTIGATION NATURAL GAS**

In the Matter of a General Investigation Upon the Motion of the Commission Staff to Establish General Policies with Regard to Distribution of Kansas Ad Valorem Tax Refunds from Interstate Pipeline Companies to Kansas Jurisdictional Direct Sales Customers.

File Date	28-JUL-1998	Company Date	KCC Date
Recommendation	PASS		
Utilities Staff	BELL WILLIAMS KUZELKA		
Legal Staff	LENTZ		
Other Staff	MCNISH		

**Pleadings/Orders**

<u>Plead Date</u>	<u>Plea#</u>	
28-AUG-1998	0001	Special Appearance of Williams Gas Pipeline Central, Inc., in Opposition to Staff's Request for a General Investigation to Establish General Policies for Distribution of Kansas Ad Valorem Tax Refunds.
04-SEP-1998	0002	Response of the Staff of the State Corporation Commission to Williams Gas Pipelines Central, Inc's Arguments Contained in its Special Appearance
24-NOV-1998	0003	Order Initiating Investigation and Scheduling a Prehearing Conference.
02-DEC-1998	0004	Petition for Leave to Intervene by CURB
07-DEC-1998	0005	Petition of Williams Gas Pipelines Central, Inc., for Reconsideration of the Commission's November 25, 1998, Order Initiation Investigation.
07-DEC-1998	0006	Order Granting CURB Intervention

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<u>Plead Date</u>	<u>Plea#</u>	
09-DEC-1998	0007	Special Appearance of Northern Natural Gas Company
15-DEC-1998	0008	Response of the KCC Staff to Williams Gas Pipelines Central, Inc.'s Petition for Reconsideration
06-JAN-1999	0009	Order Denying Williams Gas Pipelines Central, Inc.'s Petition for Reconsideration and Affirming the Commission's November 25, 1998 Order Initiating Investigation.
22-JAN-1999	0010	Report and Recommendation Prehearing Conference December 9, 1998.
02-FEB-1999	0011	ORDER: Prehearing Conference. Interstate Pipeline Companies That Did Retail Business in Kansas During the Period from 1981 to 1988 Shall Submit to the Commission in Bifurcated Dockets, by February 15, 1999, Comments and Proposals for allocation and Distribution of Kansas Ad Valorem Tax Refunds to Kansas Jurisdictional Customers. Prehearing Conference Set for March 15, 1999, 9:30 a.m.
04-FEB-1999	0012	Motion to Stay and for Expedited Consideration by Williams Gas Pipelines Central, Inc.
11-FEB-1999	0013	Petition for Reconsideration or in the Alternative to Continue Procedural Deadlines.
15-FEB-1999	0014	Order: (A) Motion of Williams for Stay and for Expedited Consideration shall be Considered on an Expedited Basis. (B) The Proceedings in this Docket are Stayed Pending an Order of the Shawnee County District Court. The Comments and Proposals now Due to be Filed on February 15, 1999 will be Due Ten Days After the Earlier of an Order Either Dismissing the Petition for Review Filed by Williams or Determining on Review that the Commission does have Jurisdiction to Proceed.
15-FEB-1999	0015	CIG/ANR Motion to Stay by Colorado Interstate Gas Company (CIG) and ANR Pipeline Company.
16-FEB-1999	0016	Motion to Stay, Petition for Reconsideration, or in the Alternative to Continue Procedural Deadlines by Northern Natural Gas Company.
15-MAR-1999	0017	Petition for Leave to Intervene by Atchison Casting Corp., Center Industries Corp., Heartland Cement Co., and Via Christy Regional Medical Center.
30-MAR-1999	0018	Order : The Petition of Panhandle for Reconsideration or in the Alternative to Continue Procedural Deadlines; the Motion of CIG and ANR to Stay; and the Petition of Northern for Reconsideration or in the Alternative, to Continue Procedural Deadlines are Dismissed as Moot.
12-MAY-1999	0019	Petition for Leave to Intervene by Atchison Casting Corp., CertainTeed Corp., and Heartland Cement Co.
20-MAY-1999	0020	Order Granting Intervention and Dismissing Erroneous Petition.
01-OCT-1999	0021	Order No. 8: Order Lifting Stay and Amending Procedural Schedule.
05-NOV-1999	0023	Williams Gas Pipelines Central, Inc.'s Plan for the Distribution of Kansas Ad Valorem Tax Refunds.
05-NOV-1999	0024	Comments and Proposals of Northern Natural Gas Co. to Order Lifting Stay and Amending Procedural Schedule.
05-NOV-1999	0025	Comments and Proposals of Panhandle Eastern Pipe Line Co. to the Commission's Order Lifting Stay and Amending Procedural Schedule (No. 8) Issued October 8) Issued October 1, 1999.
05-NOV-1999	0026	Response of ANR Pipeline Co. to Order Lifting Stay and Amending Procedural Schedule.
05-NOV-1999	0027	Response of Colorado Interstate Gas Co. to Order Lifting Stay and Amending Procedural Schedule.
05-NOV-1999	0028	Comments and Proposals of KN Interstate Gas Transmission Co. Concerning the Distribution of Kansas Ad Valorem Tax Refunds to Kansas Jurisdictional Direct Sales Customers.
17-NOV-1999	0029	Proposed Procedural Schedule of KCC Staff.
17-NOV-1999	0030	Transcript of Prehearing Conference.
03-DEC-1999	0031	Motion to Stay and Objections to Procedural Schedule by Williams Gas Pipelines Central, Inc.
03-DEC-1999	0032	Written Objections of Panhandle Eastern Pipe Line Co. to the Proposed Procedural Schedule of KCC Staff.
09-DEC-1999	0033	Response of KCC Staff to Williams Gas Pipelines Central, Inc.'s and Panhandle Eastern Pipe Line Co.'s Objections to Proposed Procedural Schedule.

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**ONEOK, INC., DBA KANSAS GAS SERVICE**

In the Matter of a General Investigation Upon the Commission's Own Motion for Implementation of an Appropriate Mechanism for Refunding Wyoming Tight Sands Settlement Proceeds.

File Date	30-JUL-1998	Company Date	KCC Date
Recommendation	FINAL ORDER		
Utilities Staff	WILLIAMS SANCHEZ WOODS KUZELKA		
Legal Staff	NEWTON CUNNINGHAM		
Other Staff	MCNISH		

**Pleadings/Orders**

<u>Plead Date</u>	<u>Plea#</u>	
03-AUG-1998	0001	Order No. 1: Opening Docket and Assessing Costs.

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<u>Plead Date</u>	<u>Plea#</u>	
31-AUG-1998	0002	Initial Comments of Midwest Gas Users' Association
31-AUG-1998	0003	Petition for Leave to Intervene and Comments by the Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board.
11-SEP-1998	0004	Response of Kansas Gas Service to Initial Comments of Midwest Gas Users' Assn.
24-DEC-1998	0005	Report and Recommendation by the Staff of the State Corporation Commission Pursuant to Order No. 1 Opening Docket and Assessing Costs.
06-JAN-1999	0006	Reply Comments of the Citizens' Utility Ratepayers Board to Staff's Report and Recommendation
06-JAN-1999	0007	Response of Kansas Gas Service Company to Commission Staff's Report and Recommendation
07-JAN-1999	0008	Order No. 2 Granting Intervention to CURB.
15-JAN-1999	0009	Supplement to Report and Recommendation by the Staff of the KCC.
19-JAN-1999	0010	Reply of Midwest Gas Users' Assn. to Staff Report and Recommendation.
12-FEB-1999	0011	Petition for Intervention of the Kansas Industrial Consumers.
31-MAR-1999	0012	Order No. 3: Order Setting Hearing.
05-APR-1999	0013	Petition for Leave to Intervene by Atchison Casting Corp., Center Industries Corp. and Via Christy Regional Medical Center.
05-APR-1999	0014	Motion of the Kansas Industrial Consumers to Reschedule Hearing Date.
14-APR-1999	0015	Petition for Leave to Intervene by the CertainTeed Corporation.
10-MAY-1999	0016	Motion of Via Christy, et al., to Reschedule Hearing Date.
27-MAY-1999	0017	Order Granting Via Christy, et al., Intervention and Rescheduling Hearing on Friday 23, 1999.
23-JUL-1999	0018	Transcript of Oral Arguments
26-JUL-1999	0019	Letter from Walker Hendrix, on Behalf of the Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board, Regarding the Stranded Cost Docket for Relief to Customers.
28-JUL-1999	0020	Letter from John P. DeCoursey on Behalf of Kansas Gas Service Company, a Division of ONEOK, Inc., Providing Additional Information About an Alternative Proposal for Distribution of Credits Under the Tight Sands Contracts.
02-NOV-1999	0021	Order No. 5: (A) The Interpretation and Application of the 1991 Stipulation and Agreement in Docket No. 175,459-U is a Question of Law. (B) The Shift From Purchase to Transportation of Gas by Many Large Customers Is Not A Sufficient Change in Circumstances to Require the Commission to Find that the Stipulation and Agreement Is No Longer in the Public Interest. (C) The Refunds by the Current Revenue Stream Derived From Purchases Under the Amoco/Oxy Contracts Are To Be Allocated to the Company's Customer Classes Using the Same Method Used to Allocate the Initial Lump Sum Refunds. (D) Within the Large Commercial and Large Industrial Classes, Such Refunds Are To Be Allocated to Individual Customers Based on Each Customer's Pro Rata Share as Determined From the Customer's Actual Purchase Volumes for the Period of November 1980 Through December 1999. (E) Current Transportation Customers Which Were Not Identified Large Customers in the 1980 to 1988 Study, But Became Customers Only After the 1991 Settlement and Did Not Receive Any Refund of the Original Distribution, Shall be Excluded From the Distribution of the Current Refund. (F) Refunds Shall Be Distributed to Sales Customers Through a Credit to the PGA as Was Done Previously and the Refunds to Transportation Customers Shall Be Distributed Through Direct Payments or Bill Credits.
17-NOV-1999	0022	Petition for Reconsideration by CURB.
19-NOV-1999	0023	Petition for Reconsideration and or Clarification by Kansas Gas Service Co., a Div. of ONEOK, Inc.
16-DEC-1999	0024	Order No. 6: Granting Limited Reconsideration of Order No. 5 to CURB and Kansas Gas Services.

Docket No. 99-GIMG-194-GIG

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**GENERAL INVESTIGATION NATURAL GAS**

In the Matter of a General Investigation Upon the Commission's Own Motion Into the Challenges and Opportunities Presented by the Decline in Wellhead Pressure in the Western Kansas Natural Gas Fields.

File Date	16-SEP-1998	Company Date	KCC Date
Recommendation	PASS		
Utilities Staff	WILLIAMS HAYNOS		
Legal Staff	NEWTON		
Other Staff			

**Pleadings/Orders**

<u>Plead Date</u>	<u>Plea#</u>	
18-SEP-1998	0001	Order No. 1 Opening Docket
22-SEP-1998	0002	Petition for Leave to Intervene by CURB.
25-SEP-1998	0003	Entry of Appearance of Brock R. McPherson on Behalf of Midwest Energy, Inc.



<u>Plead Date</u>	<u>Plea#</u>	
30-SEP-1998	0004	Entry of Appearance by Charles S. (Terry) Arthur, III, General Counsel for Kansas Farm Bureau.
27-OCT-1998	0005	Plains Petroleum Operating Company Petition to Intervene in Investigation.
28-OCT-1998	0006	Comments of the Kansas Farm Bureau and Its Affected Members.
29-OCT-1998	0007	Entry of Appearance by M. Moran Tomson on Behalf of Pioneer Electric Cooperative, Inc.
29-OCT-1998	0008	Petition for Leave to Intervene by Pioneer Electric Cooperative, Inc.
29-OCT-1998	0009	Motion for Extension of Time to File Written Comments, Suggestions, or Recommendations to November 15, 1998.
30-OCT-1998	0010	Comments of Anadarko Gathering Company.
30-OCT-1998	0011	Order No. 2: Granting Staff's Motion for Extension of Time to File Written Comments.
30-OCT-1998	0012	Comments of Peoples Natural Gas.
02-NOV-1998	0013	Comments of Midwest Energy, Inc.
06-NOV-1998	0014	Comments of the Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board.
16-NOV-1998	0015	Petition to Intervene in Investigation by Southwest Kansas Royalty Owners Assn.
16-NOV-1998	0016	Comments of the Southwest Kansas Irrigation Assn., Inc.
16-NOV-1998	0017	Written Comments, Suggestions, and Recommendations of Pioneer Electric Cooperative, Inc.
17-NOV-1998	0018	Order No. 3: Granting Intervention to CURB, Plains Petroleum Operating Company, a Division of Barrett Resources Corporation, and Pioneer Electric Coop.
20-NOV-1998	0019	Order Granting Southwest Kansas Royalty Owners Association's Petition to Intervene.
03-FEB-1999	0020	Petition for Leave to Intervene by OXY USA Inc.
05-FEB-1999	0021	Amended Comments by Kansas Farm Bureau.
16-FEB-1999	0022	Order No. 5 Granting Intervention to Oxy USA Inc.
05-MAR-1999	0023	Response of Midwest Energy, Inc. to Amended Comments of Kansas Farm Bureau.

Docket No. **99-GIMX-241-GII**

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**GENERAL INVESTIGATION MULTI-INDUSTRY**

In the Matter of the General Investigation into Utility Preparedness for Year 2000 (Y2K) and Date Compliant Computer Problems.

File Date	05-OCT-1998	Company Date	KCC Date
Recommendation	PASS		
Utilities Staff	MCLANAHAN DOLJAC MYRICK MYERS KUZELKA		
Legal Staff	NUCKOLLS		
Other Staff			

**Pleadings/Orders**

<u>Plead Date</u>	<u>Plea#</u>	
02-JUN-1999	0137	Quarterly Y2K Report by Kansas Electric Power Cooperative, Inc.
02-JUN-1999	0138	Quarterly Y2K Report by Kansas City Power & Light Company.
22-JUN-1999	0139	Quarterly Y2K Report of Southwestern Public Service Company.
23-JUN-1999	0140	Quarterly Report on Y2K for Kansas Gas Service, a Division of ONEOK, Inc.
23-JUN-1999	0141	Quarterly Report on Y2K for Mid Continent Market Center, Inc.
28-JUN-1999	0142	Quarterly Y2K Report, for the 2nd Quarter, by Sunflower Electric Power Corporation.
29-JUN-1999	0143	Quarterly Y2K Report, for the 2nd Quarter, by Kaw Valley Electric Cooperative, Inc.
30-JUN-1999	0144	Second Quarter Y2K Report by Southwestern Bell Telephone Company.
30-JUN-1999	0145	Quarterly Y2K Report, for the 2nd Quarter, by Western Resources, Inc.
30-JUN-1999	0146	Quarterly Y2K Report, for the Month Ending 6/30/1999, by Kansas Electric Power Cooperative, Inc.
30-JUN-1999	0147	Quarterly Y2K Report of Wolf Creek Nuclear Operating Corporation.
08-JUL-1999	0148	Quarterly Y2K Report for 2nd quarter '99 by Cunningham Telephone Company, Inc.
08-JUL-1999	0149	Confidential Monthly Update of MCIWorldCom.
12-JUL-1999	0150	Quarterly Y2K Report for RSL COM U.S.A. for the Second Quarter 1999.

<u>Plead Date</u>	<u>Plea#</u>	
16-JUL-1999	0151	Quarterly Y2K Report, for the 2nd Quarter, by The Empire District Electric Company.
19-JUL-1999	0152	Quarterly Y2K Report, for the 2nd Quarter, by Midwest Energy, Inc.
26-JUL-1999	0153	Quarterly Assessment Report Filed by City of Ashland.
24-AUG-1999	0154	Quarterly Y2K Report of UtiliCorp United.
31-AUG-1999	0155	Quarterly Y2K Report by Sunflower Electric Power Corporation.
28-SEP-1999	0156	Third Quarter Y2K Report for Kansas Gas Service Company, a Division of ONEOK, Inc.
28-SEP-1999	0157	Third Quarter Y2K Report for Mid Continent Market Center, Inc.
28-SEP-1999	0158	Third Quarter Y2K Report for Mid Continent Transportation, Inc.
30-SEP-1999	0159	Confidential Third Quarter Y2K Report for MCI WorldCom Communications and Its Subsidiaries.
30-SEP-1999	0160	Final Y2K Status Report of Southwestern Bell Telephone Company.
01-OCT-1999	0161	Y2K Readiness Disclosure Statement of Rainbow Telephone Cooperative Association, Inc.
01-OCT-1999	0162	Third Quarter Y2K Report of Cunningham Telephone Company, Inc.
01-OCT-1999	0163	Y2K Readiness Disclosure Statement by Golden Belt Telephone Association, Inc.
06-OCT-1999	0164	Y2K Readiness Disclosure Statement of S&A Telephone Company.
07-OCT-1999	0166	Year 2000 Progress Report for ONEOK, Inc. and Its Divisions Kansas Gas Service Co., Mid Continent Market Center, and Mid Continent Transportation.
11-OCT-1999	0165	Third Quarter Y2K Report of Excel Communications, Inc.
15-OCT-1999	0167	Year 2000 Progress Report for 3Q99 for RSL Com USA, Inc.
29-OCT-1999	0168	Y2K Readiness Disclosure Statement of Southern Kansas Telephone Company, Inc.
29-OCT-1999	0169	Y2K Readiness Disclosure Statement of LaHarpe Telephone Company.
01-NOV-1999	0170	Y2K Readiness Disclosure Statement of Zenda Telephone Company.
03-NOV-1999	0171	Y2K Readiness Disclosure Statement of S&T Telephone Coop Association.
18-NOV-1999	0172	Cass County Telephone Company's Readiness Disclosure Statement.
22-NOV-1999	0173	City of Morland's Y2K Readiness Disclosure Statement.
23-NOV-1999	0174	JBN Telephone Co.'s Y2K Readiness Disclosure Statement.
13-DEC-1999	0175	Innovative Telecom Corp.'s Year 200 Readiness Disclosure.
30-DEC-1999	0176	Confidential Y2K Readiness Disclosure of MCIWorldCom.

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**MIDWEST ENERGY, INC.**

In the Matter of the Application of Midwest Energy, Inc. for Approval of Consolidation of Electric Rate Schedule and Unbundling of Electric Rates and Other Related Relief.

File Date	16-OCT-1998	Company Date	KCC Date	07-JUN-1999
Recommendation	PASS			
Utilities Staff	KUZELKA HOLLOWAY MYRICK WILLIAMS CITA DIETZ ROHRER			
Legal Staff	CUNNINGHAM NUCKOLLS			
Other Staff	MCNISH			

**Pleadings/Orders**

<u>Plead Date</u>	<u>Plea#</u>	
16-OCT-1998	0001	Volume IV, Testimony
16-OCT-1998	0002	Volume III, Proposed Tariffs.
29-OCT-1998	0003	Order Assesssing Costs (11-5-98)
10-NOV-1998	0004	Order Suspending. (6-13-99)
23-NOV-1998	0005	Motion to Extend 240-Day Time Period by Midwest Energy, Inc.
23-NOV-1998	0006	Petition to Intervene by Sunflower Electric Power Corporation.
02-DEC-1998	0007	Petition for Leave to Intervene by CURB

<u>Plead Date</u>	<u>Plea#</u>	
10-DEC-1998	0008	Joint Motion to Approve Test Year.
11-DEC-1998	0009	Order Granting Sunflower and CURB'S Petitions for Leave to Intervene.
14-JAN-1999	0010	Order Granting Extension of 240-Day Time Period, Approving Test Year and Setting Prehearing Conference.
16-MAR-1999	0011	Transcript of Prehearing Conference Held on March 16, 1999.
16-MAR-1999	0012	Transcript of Prehearing Conference.
26-MAR-1999	0013	Hearing Examiner's Report and Recommendation of the Prehearing Conference Held March 16, 1999.
30-MAR-1999	0014	Order: Prehearing Conference.
28-MAY-1999	0015	Motion for Continuance by Midwest Energy.
09-JUN-1999	0016	Order Granting Midwest Energy, Inc.'s Motion for Continuance
18-OCT-1999	0017	Volume V, Amended Application; Revisions to Section 2 (General Information); Revisions to Section 3, 6, 7 and 9 (Financial Schedules); Supplemental Testimony of Tamra Esslinger; Revised Testimony of Jeff N. Hoppe; and Revised Testimony of Patrick Parke.
18-OCT-1999	0018	Volume VI, Revised Cost of Service and Rate Design (Replaces Original Volume II in Its Entirety.)
18-OCT-1999	0019	Volume VII, Revised Tariffs, (Replaces Original Volume III in Its Entirety.)
18-OCT-1999	0020	Volume VII, Continued.
18-OCT-1999	0021	Volume VII, Continued.
18-NOV-1999	0022	Joint Motion of KCC Staff, Midwest Energy, Sunflower Electric, and CURB to Adopt Proposed Amended Procedural Schedule
17-DEC-1999	0023	Order No. 7: Establishing Procedural Schedule.

**Hearings**

<u>Hearing Date</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Place</u>
04-APR-2000	TECHNICAL	1500 S.W. Arrowhead Road, Topeka, Kansas 66604
05-APR-2000	TECHNICAL	1500 S.W. Arrowhead Road, Topeka, Kansas 66604

**Testimony**

<u>Testimony Due Date</u>	<u>Type</u>
07-MAR-2000	STAFF/INTERVENER DIRECT TESTIMONY DUE
14-MAR-2000	MIDWEST ENERGY'S REBUTTAL TESTIMONY DUE
20-MAR-2000	DISCOVERY DEADLINE
20-MAR-2000	PREHEARING MOTIONS DEADLINE
21-APR-2000	SIMULTANEOUS BRIEFS DUE
07-JUN-2000	DECISION DATE

Docket No. **99-KGSG-705-GIG**

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**ONEOK, INC., DBA KANSAS GAS SERVICE**

In the Matter of the Commission Inquiry into Issues Related to Potential Stranded Costs Related to Increased Natural Gas Transportation Service.

File Date	02-APR-1999	Company Date	KCC Date	11-JUN-2000
Recommendation	PASS			
Utilities Staff	WILLIAMS CITA CLEM YATES			
Legal Staff	NEWTON			
Other Staff	ONG			

**Pleadings/Orders**

<u>Plead Date</u>	<u>Plea#</u>	
18-JUN-1999	0001	Order No. 1: Initiating Investigation and Assessing Costs.
06-JUL-1999	0002	Petition to Intervene by Atmos Energy Corporation d/b/a Greeley Gas Co. and United Cities Gas Co.
27-JUL-1999	0003	Joint Motion for Extension of Time by Kansas Gas Service Company, a Division of ONEOK, Inc., the Staff of the State Corporation Commission, and the Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board.

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<u>Plead Date</u>	<u>Plea#</u>	
29-JUL-1999	0004	Order No. 2 Granting Intervention to Atmos Energy Corporation d/b/a Greeley Gas Company and United Cities Gas Company, Divisions of Atmos Energy Corporation.
30-JUL-1999	0005	Order No. 3: Granting Extension of Time to Joint Movants for Filing Review and Report.
01-SEP-1999	0006	Petition to Intervene by Unified School District No. 259.
01-SEP-1999	0007	Confidential Study of Potential Stranded Costs Resulting From Increased Transportation Services on the Kansas Gas Service Company System by Paul H. Raab Economic Consulting.
07-SEP-1999	0008	Order No. 4: Protective Order.
08-SEP-1999	0009	Nondisclosure Certificates of Allen Brady Cantrell, David Springe, and Walker Hendrix on Behalf of the Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board.
10-SEP-1999	0010	Order No. 5: Granting Intervention to U.S.D. 259.
15-SEP-1999	0011	NonDisclosure Agreements of Thomas R. Powell, Sarah J. Loquist and David Banks on Behalf of Unified School District No. 259.
17-SEP-1999	0012	Petition to Intervene by ONEOK Gas Marketing, Inc., dba Kansas Gas Marketing.
20-SEP-1999	0013	Nondisclosure Certificates of Greg Cohen, Merlin Koehn, Robert Hammond and Martin Libhart on Behalf of the Unified School District No. 259.
22-SEP-1999	0014	Nondisclosure Certificate of C. Edward Peterson on Behalf of the Shawnee Mission Unified School District No. 512, the Kansas City, Kansas Unified School District No. 500, and the Blue Valley Unified School District No. 229.
28-SEP-1999	0015	Nondisclosure Certificate of James G. Flaherty on Behalf of Atmos Energy Corporation, d/b/a Greeley Gas Company, a Division of Atmos Energy Corporation.
28-SEP-1999	0016	Confidential Supplemental Direct Testimony of Paul H. Raab on Behalf of Kansas Gas Service Company, a Division of ONEOK, Inc.
15-OCT-1999	0017	Motion to Implement Interim Stranded Cost Charge bu Kansas Gas Service..
15-OCT-1999	0018	Testimony of Bradley O. Dixon, Kansas Gas Service.
15-OCT-1999	0019	Testimony of Frank P. Garver, Kansas Gas Service.
15-OCT-1999	0020	Testimony of Richard H. Tangeman, Kansas Gas Service.
22-OCT-1999	0021	U.S.D. 259's Motion for Extension of Time.
25-OCT-1999	0022	Order No. 6: Granting Intervention to ONEOK Gas Marketing, Inc., d/b/a Kansas Gas Marketing.
26-OCT-1999	0023	Order No. 7: Order Granting Extension of Time to U.S.D. 259. Responses Due November 4, 1999.
03-NOV-1999	0024	Petition for Leave to Intervene by the Kansas Energy Consumers Group.
03-NOV-1999	0025	Complaint and Request for Suspension of Proposed Tariffs by Kansas City, Kansas, Unified School District #500, and Pursuant to K.S.A. 66-117 and K.A.R. 82-1-220 Request that the Motion to Implement Interim Stranded Cost Charge be Denied, and that the Matter be Set for Hearing.
03-NOV-1999	0026	U.S.D. 259's Response to Motion to Implement Interim Stranded Cost Charge.
03-NOV-1999	0027	Testimony of David W. Banks on Behalf of Unified School District 259.
03-NOV-1999	0028	Response of the Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board to Kansas Gas Service Company's Motion to Implement Interim Stranded Cost Charge.
10-NOV-1999	0029	Verification of Kansas City, Kansas Unified School District No. 500 to the Complaint and Request for Suspension of Proposed Tariffs Which Was Filed on November 3, 1999.
12-NOV-1999	0030	Order. No. 8: Order Suspending. (6-11-2000)
15-NOV-1999	0031	Reply of Kansas Gas Service Co., a Div. of ONEOK, Inc. to Unified School District 500's Complaint and Request for Suspension of Proposed Tariffs and to Unified School District 259's Response to Motion to Implement Interim Stranded Cost Charge.
18-NOV-1999	0032	Order No. 9: Granting Kansas Energy Consumers Group Petition for Intervention.
18-NOV-1999	0033	Order No. 10: Scheduling Prehearing Conference.
01-DEC-1999	0034	Nondisclosure Certificate of Edmund Gross on Behalf of Farmland Industries, Inc.
01-DEC-1999	0035	Nondisclosure Certificate of James P. Zakoura on Behalf of Kansas Energy Consumers Group and Its Participating Companies.
01-DEC-1999	0039	Transcript of Prehearing Conference.
06-DEC-1999	0036	Report and Recommendation by Hearing Examiner, Caroline Ong, Advisory Counsel.
08-DEC-1999	0037	Staff's Response to Hearing Officer's Report and Recommendation.
10-DEC-1999	0038	Response of Unified School District #500 of Kansas City, Kansas to Report and Recommendation Filed on December 6, 1999.
13-DEC-1999	0040	U.S.D. 259's Response to Report and Recommendation.
15-DEC-1999	0041	Reply of Kansas Gas Service Company to Response(s) of U.S.D. 259 and U.S.D. 500 to Report and Recommendation.
17-DEC-1999	0042	Order No. 11: Prehearing Conference Order, Setting Out Issues for the Proceeding, Parties May Conduct Discover, USD 259's



Plead Date	Plea#	
		Request for Clarification Granted, Procedural Schedule Set Forth, KGS' Motion to Implement Stranded Cost Charge Granted, and Sets Forth Evidentiary Hearing.
28-DEC-1999	0043	U.S.D. 259's Notice of Service of Interrogatories and Request for Admissions to Paul H. Raab.
28-DEC-1999	0044	U.S.D. 259's Notice of Service of Interrogatories, Request for Admissions and Request for Production of Documents to Kansas Gas Service.

**Hearings**

Hearing Date	Type	Place
11-APR-2000	TECHNICAL	1500 S.W. Arrowhead Road, Topeka, Kansas 66604
12-APR-2000	TECHNICAL	1500 S.W. Arrowhead Road, Topeka, Kansas 66604

**Testimony**

Testimony Due Date	Type
17-JAN-2000	DISCOVERY MOTIONS DUE BY 12:00 NOON
21-JAN-2000	RESPONSES TO DISCOVERY MOTIONS DUE 12:00 NOON
09-FEB-2000	STAFF AND INTERVENOR DIRECT TESTIMONY DUE
18-FEB-2000	DISCOVERY ON STAFF AND INTERVENOR TESTIMONY ENDS
25-FEB-2000	RESPONSES TO DISCOVERY DUE
06-MAR-2000	REBUTTAL TESTIMONY OF ALL PARTIES
13-MAR-2000	PRETRIAL MOTIONS DUE BY 12:00 NOON
20-MAR-2000	RESPONSES TO PRETRIAL MOTIONS DUE BY 12:00 NOON

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**WESTPLAINS ENERGY**

In the Matter of the Application of UtiliCorp United, Inc. d/b/a WestPlains Energy Kansas, Pursuant to Stipulation and Agreement, to Confirm That Its Existing Rates are Just and Reasonable.

File Date	14-MAY-1999	Company Date		KCC Date	19-JAN-2000
Recommendation	PASS				
Utilities Staff	KUZELKA MYRICK CLEM WOODS MCCLANAHAN DIETZ KWAK GATEWOOD				
Legal Staff	CUNNINGHAM TYMESON PETERS				
Other Staff	MCNISH BELL WILLIAMS				

**Pleadings/Orders**

Plead Date	Plea#	
14-MAY-1999	0001	Application Continued -- Historical Comparisons, Operating Adjustments, Depreciation, Taxes, Allocation of Costs.
20-MAY-1999	0002	Order Assessing Costs (5/27/99)
01-JUN-1999	0003	Order No. 1: Suspending Rate Schedules. (1-9-2000)
08-JUL-1999	0004	Petition for Leave to Intervene by the Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board.
15-JUL-1999	0005	Order No. 2: Granting CURB Intervention
20-JUL-1999	0006	Joint Motion to Adopt Proposed Procedural Schedule by UtiliCorp United, Inc. d/b/a WestPlains Energy Kansas, the Staff of the State Corporation Commission and the Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board.
09-AUG-1999	0007	Order No. 3: Setting Procedural Schedule.
01-OCT-1999	0008	Direct Testimony of David R. Springe on Behalf of the Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board.
01-OCT-1999	0009	Direct Testimony of Larry W. Holloway on Behalf of the Kansas Corporation Commission Staff.
01-OCT-1999	0010	Direct Testimony of James J. Woods on Behalf of the Kansas Corporation Commission Staff.
01-OCT-1999	0011	Confidential Direct Testimony of James J. Woods on Behalf of the Kansas Corporation Commission Staff.
01-OCT-1999	0012	Schedules Supplementing Testimony on Behalf of the Kansas Corporation Commission Staff.
01-OCT-1999	0013	Direct Testimony of Richard L. Kuzelka on Behalf of the Kansas Corporation Commission Staff.
01-OCT-1999	0014	Direct Testimony of Jeffrey D. McClanahan on Behalf of the Kansas Corporation Commission Staff.
01-OCT-1999	0015	Confidential Direct Testimony of Jeffrey D. McClanahan on Behalf of the Kansas Corporation Commission Staff.

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<u>Plead Date</u>	<u>Plea#</u>	
01-OCT-1999	0016	Direct Testimony of Dorothy Myrick on Behalf of the Kansas Corporation Commisison Staff.
01-OCT-1999	0017	Direct Testimony of Soojong Kwak on Behalf of the Kansas Corporation Commisison Staff.
01-OCT-1999	0018	Direct Testimony of Adam H. Gatewood on Behalf of the Kansas Corporation Commisison Staff.
01-OCT-1999	0019	Direct Testimony of Kyle Clem on Behalf of the Kansas Corporation Commisison Staff.
18-OCT-1999	0020	Order No. 4: Order Requiring Notice.
22-OCT-1999	0021	Rebuttal Testimony of W. Scott Keith, WestPlains Energy.
22-OCT-1999	0022	Rebuttal Testimony of John W. McKinney, WestPlains Energy. (Appendices Not Scanned.)
22-OCT-1999	0023	Rebuttal Testimony of Frank A. Debacker, WestPlains Energy.
22-OCT-1999	0024	Rebuttal Testimony of John C. Browning, WestPlains Energy.
22-OCT-1999	0025	Rebuttal Testimony of Maurice L. Arnall, WestPlains Energy.
22-OCT-1999	0026	Rebuttal Testimony of George M. McCollister, WestPlains.
22-OCT-1999	0027	Rebuttal Testimony of Jon R. Empson, WestPlains Energy.
22-OCT-1999	0028	Rebuttal Testimony of John C. Dunn, WestPlains Energy.
22-OCT-1999	0029	Rebuttal Testimony of Beverlee R. Agut, WestPlains Energy.
26-OCT-1999	0030	Page 14 of Beverlee R. Agut's Rebuttal Testimony Filed on October 22, 1999.
27-OCT-1999	0031	Motion of the Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board to File Surrebuttal Testimony.
27-OCT-1999	0032	Motion of KCC Staff for Leave to File Surrebuttal Testimony.
02-NOV-1999	0033	Response of WestPlains Energy, Kansas to CURB Motion for Leave to File Surrebuttal Testimony.
02-NOV-1999	0034	Response of WestPlains Energy to Staff Motion for Leave to File Surrebuttal Testimony.
03-NOV-1999	0035	Order No. 5: Allowing Surrebuttal Testimony.
12-NOV-1999	0036	Surrebuttal Testimony Prepared by James J. Woods, KCC.
12-NOV-1999	0037	Surrebuttal Testimony Prepared by Larry W. Holloway, KCC.
12-NOV-1999	0038	Surrebuttal Testimony Prepared by Jeffrey D. McClanahan, KCC.
12-NOV-1999	0039	Surrebuttal Testimony of David R. Springe, CURB.
19-NOV-1999	0040	Errata Sheets and Exhibits With Regard to the Testimony of Richard Kuzelka Filed on October 1, 1999 and With Regard to the Schedules Supplementing Testimony Filed on Behalf of Staff on October 1, 1999, Sponsored by Jeffrey D. McClanahan.
19-NOV-1999	0041	Surrebuttal Testimony of W. Scott Keith, WestPlains Energy.
19-NOV-1999	0042	Surrebuttal Testimony of John W. McKinney, WestPlains.
19-NOV-1999	0043	Surrebuttal Testimony of Frank A. Debacker, WestPlains Energy.
19-NOV-1999	0044	Surrebuttal Testimony of Jon R. Empson, WestPlains Energy.
19-NOV-1999	0045	Surrebuttal Testimony of Daniel W. Warnock, WestPlains Energy.
23-NOV-1999	0046	Notice of Proof of Publication by UtiliCorp United, Inc., dba WestPlains Energy Kansas.
24-NOV-1999	0047	Motion to Strike Errata Filing or In the Alternative for Authority to File Further Surrebuttal by UtiliCorp United, Inc. d/b/a WestPlains Energy Kansas.
30-NOV-1999	0048	Response of the Staff of the State Corporation Commission to Motion to Strike Errata Filing or in the Alternative for Authority to File Further Surrebuttal.
01-DEC-1999	0049	Order No. 6: Allowing Additional Surrebuttal Testimony.
02-DEC-1999	0050	Application for Intervention by National Beef Packing Co.
03-DEC-1999	0051	Petition for Leave to Intervene of Excel Corporation.
03-DEC-1999	0052	Errata Surrebuttal Testimony of W. Scott Keith, WestPlains.
06-DEC-1999	0053	KCC Staff Statement Concerning Procedure at Hearing.
06-DEC-1999	0056	Transcript of Proceedings.
07-DEC-1999	0057	Volume 2, Transcript of Proceedings.
08-DEC-1999	0058	Volume 3, Transcript of Proceedings.
10-DEC-1999	0054	Protective Order.

<u>Plead Date</u>	<u>Plea#</u>	
10-DEC-1999	0055	Order No. 7: Modifying Procedural Schedule.
13-DEC-1999	0059	Nondisclosure Certificates For Walker Hendrix, David Springe, and Allen Brady Cantrell, CURB.
14-DEC-1999	0060	Errata Schedules of Commission Staff Including Full and Complete West Plains Responses to Staff Data Request JDM-29, JDM-30, and JDM-36 Which Were Attached to Jeffrey McClanahan's Testimony as Exhibits 1, 2, and 3.
16-DEC-1999	0061	Order No. 9: Extending 240-Day Period From January 9, 2000 to January 19, 2000.
20-DEC-1999	0062	Post Hearing Brief of Excel Corporation on the Issue of Electric Service Contracts and Revenue Imputation.
20-DEC-1999	0063	Commission Staff's Suggested Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law With Supporting Argument.
20-DEC-1999	0064	Post Hearing Brief of WestPlains Energy.
20-DEC-1999	0065	Proposed Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law of WestPlains Energy.
20-DEC-1999	0066	Post Hearing Brief of the Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board.
20-DEC-1999	0067	Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law of the Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board.
22-DEC-1999	0068	Volume 4, Transcript of Proceedings.
04-JAN-2000	0069	Letter Dated January 4, 2000 from Anne E. Tymeson, KCC, Notifying Docket Room and Parties That Confidential Information Was Inadvertently Filed in the Public Filing of John McKinney's Rebuttal Testimony Filed on October 22, 1999.

Docket No. **99-SEPE-872-TAR**

Document Id 1999.05.27 09:08:31

**SUNFLOWER ELECTRIC POWER CORPORATION**

In the Matter of Sunflower Electric Power Corporation Seeking Approval to Implement an Open Access Transmission Tariff.

File Date 25-MAY-1999                      Company Date                      KCC Date 23-JUN-1999  
 Recommendation PASS  
 Utilities Staff DOLJAC HOLLOWAY CLEM DIETZ KUZELKA BELL ROHRER  
 Legal Staff CUNNINGHAM LAWSON  
 Other Staff ONG

**Pleadings/Orders**

<u>Plead Date</u>	<u>Plea#</u>	
08-JUN-1999	0001	Order Assessing Costs (6/15/99)
10-JUN-1999	0002	Suspension Order until January 20, 2000.
23-JUL-1999	0003	Petition to Intervene of Kansas Municipal Energy Agency
02-AUG-1999	0004	Order Granting Kansas Municipal Energy Agency's Petition to Intervene.
13-SEP-1999	0006	Letter Dated September 8, 1999 to Susan Cunningham, KCC, From L. Earl Watkins, Jr., Watkins, Calcara, Rondeau, Friedeman, Bleeker, Glendenning & McVay, Requesting a Waiver of the 240 Day Rule in K.S.A. 66-117(c)(3).
24-SEP-1999	0005	Joint Motion by Kansas Corporation Commission Staff, Sunflower Electric Power Corporation, and the Kansas Municipal Energy Agency to Adopt Proposed Procedural Schedule.
25-OCT-1999	0007	Order Adopting Procedural Schedule.

**Hearings**

<u>Hearing Date</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Place</u>
11-JUL-2000	TECHNICAL	1500 S.W. Arrowhead Road, Topeka, Kansas 66604
12-JUL-2000	TECHNICAL	1500 S.W. Arrowhead Road, Topeka, Kansas 66604

**Testimony**

<u>Testimony Due Date</u>	<u>Type</u>
18-FEB-2000	SUNFLOWER DIRECT TESTIMONY DUE
19-MAY-2000	STAFF/INTERVENER TESTIMONY DUE
02-JUN-2000	SUNFLOWER REBUTTAL TESTIMONY DUE
09-JUN-2000	STAFF/INTERVENER MOTIONS FOR LEAVE TO FILE SURREBUTTAL TESTIMONY DUE
16-JUN-2000	STAFF/INTERVENER SURREBUTTAL TESTIMONY
23-JUN-2000	SUNFLOWER RESPONSE TO SURREBUTTAL TESTIMONY

Docket No. **00-MDWG-125-PGA**

Document Id 1999.08.18 10:21:32

**MIDWEST ENERGY, INC.**

In the Matter of Midwest Energy, Inc. ("Midwest") Seeking to Make Changes in Summer and Winter Natural Gas Rates on Their K-System.

File Date 18-AUG-1999 Company Date KCC Date 14-APR-2000  
 Recommendation APPRVD/MOD  
 Utilities Staff WILLIAMS CLEM  
 Legal Staff TYMESON NUCKOLLS  
 Other Staff

**Pleadings/Orders**

Plead Date	Plea#	
23-AUG-1999	0001	Order Assessing Costs Effective August 30, 1999.
26-AUG-1999	0002	Order Suspending. (4-14-2000)
15-OCT-1999	0003	Order Approving with Modifications.
22-NOV-1999	0004	Rate Schedule Summation Sheet and PGA Support Sheets.

Docket No. **00-SCOG-135-COC**

Document Id 1999.08.24 10:11:32

**SUBLETTE CONSUMER OWNED GAS SYSTEM**

In the Matter of the Application of Sublette Consumer Owned Gas System, a Kansas Not for Profit Corporation, for a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity to Provide Natural Gas Service in Certain Locations Within Haskell County, Kansas Pursuant to K.S.A. 66-104c, as Amended by Chapter 126, Section 1 of the 1999 Session Laws of Kansas and K.S.A. 66-131.

File Date 24-AUG-1999 Company Date KCC Date  
 Recommendation PASS  
 Utilities Staff DAWDY WILLIAMS  
 Legal Staff NEWTON NUCKOLLS  
 Other Staff ONG MCNISH

**Pleadings/Orders**

Plead Date	Plea#	
03-SEP-1999	0001	Petition to Intervene and Protest by Kansas Gas Service Company, a Division of ONEOK, Inc.
08-SEP-1999	0002	Petition to Intervene and Objection to Application by Peoples Natural Gas Company, a Division of UtiliCorp United, Inc.
10-SEP-1999	0003	Petition to Intervene by Mid Continent Market Center, Inc.
15-SEP-1999	0004	Sublette Consumer Owned Gas System's Response to Peoples Natural Gas Company's Objection to Application.
23-SEP-1999	0005	Order No. 1 Granting Intervention of Kansas Gas Service Company, Peoples Natural Gas Company and Mid Continent Market Center, Inc.
24-SEP-1999	0006	Reply of Peoples Natural Gas Company, a Division of UtiliCorp United, Inc.
07-OCT-1999	0007	Petition to Intervene by Midwest Energy, Inc.
08-OCT-1999	0008	Objection to Application of Sublette Consumer Owned Gas System by Midwest Energy.
15-OCT-1999	0009	Order No. 2: Granting Intervention of Midwest Energy, Inc.
10-NOV-1999	0010	Amended Application.
12-NOV-1999	0011	Motion for Prehearing Conference by Sublette Consumer Owned Gas System.
12-NOV-1999	0015	Motion for Protective Order by Sublette Consumer Owned Gas System.
16-NOV-1999	0012	Peoples Natural Gas, a Div. of UtiliCorp United, Inc.'s Reply to Amended Application and Motions.
18-NOV-1999	0013	Order No. 3: Granting Applicant's Motion for Prehearing Conference and Setting Prehearing Conference.
22-NOV-1999	0014	Kansas Gas Service Co., a Div. of ONEOK, Inc.'s Reply to Amended Application and Protest Filed by Sublette Consumer Owned Gas System.
02-DEC-1999	0016	Midwest Energy's Response to Amended Application of Sublette Consumer Owned Gas System.
02-DEC-1999	0017	Comments of Sublette Consumer Owned Gas System for the Prehearing Conference.
02-DEC-1999	0021	Transcript of Proceedings.
07-DEC-1999	0018	Report and Recommendation by Caroline Ong, Advisory Counsel.
09-DEC-1999	0019	Staff's Response to Hearing Officer's Report and Recommendation.
13-DEC-1999	0020	Response of Midwest Energy, Inc. to Report and Recommendation.



Plead Date	Plea#	
17-DEC-1999	0022	Order No. 4: Prehearing Conference Order Setting Forth Issues in Docket, SCOG Motion for Protective Order Denied, Setting Forth Procedural Schedule and Evidentiary Hearing.
05-JAN-2000	0023	Prefiled Testimony of Mark Hanson.
05-JAN-2000	0024	Prefiled Testimony of Roger Kelman.
05-JAN-2000	0025	Prefiled Testimony of Doug Springer.
05-JAN-2000	0026	Prefiled Testimony of Mike Walter.
05-JAN-2000	0027	Motion for Continuance by Midwest Energy, Inc.
07-JAN-2000	0028	Order No. 4: Granting Midwest Energy, Inc.'s Motion for Continuance.

**Hearings**

Hearing Date	Type	Place
28-FEB-2000	TECHNICAL	1500 S.W. Arrowhead Road, Topeka, Kansas 66604
29-FEB-2000	TECHNICAL	1500 S.W. Arrowhead Road, Topeka, Kansas 66604

**Testimony**

Testimony Due Date	Type
20-JAN-2000	STAFF AND INTERVENOR DIRECT TESTIMONY DUE
27-JAN-2000	DISCOVERY ENDS
03-FEB-2000	RESPONSES TO DISCOVERY DUE
08-FEB-2000	DISCOVERY MOTIONS DUE BY 12:00 NOON
11-FEB-2000	RESPONSES TO DISCOVERY MOTIONS DUE BY 12:00 NOON
14-FEB-2000	REBUTTAL TESTIMONY OF ALL PARTIES DUE
18-FEB-2000	PRETRIAL MOTIONS DUE BY 12:00 NOON
22-FEB-2000	RESPONSES TO PRETRIAL MOTIONS DUE BY 12:00 NOON
24-FEB-2000	ORDER OF WITNESSES AND CROSS EXAMINATION DUE BY 12:00 NOON

Docket No. **00-WCNE-154-GIE**

Document Id 1999.09.01 15:45:24

**WOLF CREEK NUCLEAR OPERATING CORPORATION**

In the Matter of the 1999 Wolf Creek Decommissioning Cost Study as Provided by Wolf Creek Nuclear Operating Corporation on September 1, 1999 in Accordance with the Commission's Order in Docket Number 163,561-U on December 9, 1992.

File Date	01-SEP-1999	Company Date	KCC Date
Recommendation	PASS		
Utilities Staff	HOLLOWAY E.SMITH GATEWOOD KUZELKA		
Legal Staff	TYMESON		
Other Staff	MCNISH PETERS		

**Pleadings/Orders**

Plead Date	Plea#	
10-SEP-1999	0001	Order Assessing Costs Effective 9-17-1999.
18-NOV-1999	0002	Motion of KCC Staff to Adopt Procedural Schedule.
24-NOV-1999	0003	Petition for Leave to Intervene by the Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board.
17-DEC-1999	0004	Order CURB's Petition for Intervention.
10-JAN-2000	0005	Order Setting Procedural Schedule.

**Hearings**

Hearing Date	Type	Place
11-APR-2000	PREHEARING CONF.	1500 S.W. Arrowhead Road, Topeka, Kansas 66604
18-APR-2000	TECHNICAL	1500 S.W. Arrowhead Road, Topeka, Kansas 66604
19-APR-2000	TECHNICAL	1500 S.W. Arrowhead Road, Topeka, Kansas 66604

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**Testimony**

Testimony Due Date Type

13-MAR-2000	STAFF, KG&E, KCPL, KEPCO & INTERVENORS TESTIMONY DUE
04-APR-2000	STAFF, KG&E, KCPL & KEPCO REBUTTAL TESTIMONY

Docket No. 00-KGSG-162-PGA

Document Id 1999.09.08 10:21:25

**ONEOK, INC., DBA KANSAS GAS SERVICE**

In the Matter of the Application of Kansas Gas Service Company, a Division of ONEOK, Inc. for Approval of an Assignment Agreement, Gas Sales Agreement and a Gas Purchase Agreement Between Kansas Gas Service Company and ONEOK Gas Marketing Company, and for Authority to Pass Through Gas Purchase Costs Through Its Cost of Gas Rider, to Establish a Full Requirements Termination Charge Tariff, and to Modify Certain of Its Tariffs.

File Date	08-SEP-1999	Company Date	KCC Date	05-MAY-2000
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Recommendation PASS

Utilities Staff CITA WILLIAMS CLEM SANCHEZ HOLLOWAY DIETZ KUZELKA YATES

Legal Staff TYMESON NUCKOLLS

Other Staff MCNISH PETERS

**Pleadings/Orders**

Plead Date	Plea#	
08-SEP-1999	0001	Confidential Version of Application.
08-SEP-1999	0002	Prepared Direct Testimony of Eugene N. Dubai, KGS.
08-SEP-1999	0003	Prepared Direct Testimony of William G. Eliason, KGS.
08-SEP-1999	0004	Prepared Direct Testimony of Michael J. McFadden, KGS.
08-SEP-1999	0005	Prepared Direct Testimony of Larry G. Willer, KGS.
10-SEP-1999	0006	Order Assessing Costs Effective 9-17-1999.
15-SEP-1999	0007	Order Suspending. (5-5-2000)
22-SEP-1999	0008	Petition of Mountain Energy Corporation to Intervene.
23-SEP-1999	0009	Petition for Leave to Intervene by the Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board.
27-SEP-1999	0010	Order: Protective Order.
28-SEP-1999	0011	Nondisclosure Certificates for Allen Brady Cantrell, David Springe, and Walker Hendrix on Behalf of the Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board.
29-SEP-1999	0012	Petition of Peoples Natural Gas Company, a Division of UtiliCorp United, Inc. to Intervene, Including Nondisclosure Certificates of Robert A. Fox and Larry W. Headley on Behalf of Peoples Natural Gas Company.
29-SEP-1999	0013	Petition of KN Marketing, L.P. to Intervene.
13-OCT-1999	0014	Joint Motion for Procedural Schedule by Kansas Gas Service, KCC Staff and CURB.
29-OCT-1999	0015	Order Granting the Petitions for Intervention of Mountain Energy Corp., CURB, Peoples Natural Gas and KN Marketing.
02-NOV-1999	0016	Order Establishing Procedural Schedule.
03-NOV-1999	0017	Petition for Leave to Intervene by the Kansas Energy Consumers Group.
15-NOV-1999	0018	Petition of Williams Energy Marketing & Trading Co. for Leave to Intervene.
19-NOV-1999	0020	Notice of Execution of Non-Disclosure Certificates for Rodrick S. Donovan and Peter H. Beren, Mountain Energy; Frank A. Caro, Jr. and William F. Watkins, Attorneys for Mountain Energy
22-NOV-1999	0019	Petition fo Williams Gas Pipelines Central, Inc. for Leave to Intervene.
22-NOV-1999	0021	Petition for Reconsideration of Order Establishing Procedural Schedule by Williams Energy Marketing & Trading Company, a Subsidiary of The Williams Companies, Inc.
24-NOV-1999	0022	Motion of Cibola Energy Services Corporation for Leave to Intervene.
24-NOV-1999	0023	Nondisclosure Certificate of Robert I. White on Behalf of Cibola Energy Services Corporation.
24-NOV-1999	0024	Nondisclosure Certificate of Nancy A. White on Behalf of Cibola Energy Services Corporation.
06-DEC-1999	0025	Response of Kansas Gas Service Co. to Petition for Reconsideration of Order Establishing Procedural Schedule.
06-DEC-1999	0026	Order Granting Intervention of Kansas Energy Consumer Group and Williams Energy Marketing & Trading Co.
06-DEC-1999	0027	Letter Dated December 6, 1999 From Eugene N. Dubai, President, Kansas Gas Service, Regarding Williams Energy's Request to Revise the Procedural Schedule and to Allow Third Parties to Submit Bids in Lieu of the Transactions Between KGS and ONEOK.
07-DEC-1999	0028	Motion for Temporary Authority to Withhold Disclosure of Confidential Information by Kansas Gas Service Co., a Div. of ONEOK.
09-DEC-1999	0029	Order Granting Intervention of Williams Gas Pipelines Central, Inc. and Cibola Energy Services Corp.

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Plead Date	Plea#	
16-DEC-1999	0030	Order Denying Petition of Williams Energy Marketing & Trading Co. for Reconsideration of the Commission's November 2, 199 Order Establishing Procedural Schedule.
16-DEC-1999	0031	Notice of Execution and Service of Nondisclosure Certificates by Williams Energy Marketing & Trading Company.
27-DEC-1999	0032	Notice of Withdrawal of Counsel for Intervenor Mountain Energy Corporation by William F. Watkins on Behalf of the Law Firm Polsinelli, White, Vardeman & Shalton, P.C.
27-DEC-1999	0033	Response of Mountain Energy Corp. to Motion for Temporary Authority to Withhold Confidential Information Filed by KGS.
27-DEC-1999	0034	Entry of Appearance by James M. Caplinger, James M. Caplinger, Jr., and Mark E. Caplinger of James M. Caplinger, Chartered, on Behalf of Mountain Energy Corp.
30-DEC-1999	0035	Petition for Reconsideration of CURB.
03-JAN-2000	0036	Staff's Petition for Reconsideration of Order Denying Petition for Reconsideration.
11-OCT-2000	0037	Kansas Gas Service Co.'s Response to Petitions for Reconsideration of KCC Staff and CURB.

**Hearings**

Hearing Date	Type	Place
08-MAR-2000	PREHEARING CONF	1500 S.W. Arrowhead Road, Topeka, Kansas 66604

**Testimony**

Testimony Due Date	Type
28-JAN-2000	STAFF/INTERVENORS PREFILED DIRECT
11-FEB-2000	APPLICANT'S REBUTTAL
18-FEB-2000	STAFF/INTERVENORS MOTION TO FILE SURREBUTTAL (IN-HAND)
25-FEB-2000	APPLICANT'S RESPONSE TO MOTIONS FOR LEAVE TO FILE SURREBUTTAL

Docket No. 00-ANGG-218-COC

Document Id 1999.09.29 09:52:01

**ANADARKO NATURAL GAS COMPANY**

In the Matter of the Joint Application of Anadarko Gathering Company an Anadarko Natural Gas Company for the Approval of the State Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas for the Transfer of Limited Certificate, the Amendment of Limited Certificate, the Cancellation of Terms and Conditions of Service and Rates, and the Approval of Terms and Conditions of Service and Rates, and the Approval of Assignment of Contract Rate Schedules.

File Date 28-SEP-1999                      Company Date                      KCC Date 25-MAY-2000  
 Recommendation PASS  
 Utilities Staff DAWDY  
 Legal Staff STRATTON, NEWTON  
 Other Staff

**Pleadings/Orders**

Plead Date	Plea#	
07-OCT-1999	0001	Order Suspending. (5-25-2000)

Docket No. 00-GIME-235-GIE

Document Id 1999.10.01 16:13:01

**GENERAL INVESTIGATION ELECTRIC**

In the Matter of an Investigation by the Commission of Public Appeals for Conservation of Electric Energy.

File Date 01-OCT-1999                      Company Date                      KCC Date  
 Recommendation PASS  
 Utilities Staff HOLLOWAY RENNER  
 Legal Staff TYMESON STRATTON  
 Other Staff MCNISH ONG

**Pleadings/Orders**

Plead Date	Plea#	
01-OCT-1999	0001	Order Opening Docket.
14-OCT-1999	0002	Order Nunc Pro Tunc.
15-OCT-1999	0003	Response of KCC Staff to Order Opening Docket.
18-OCT-1999	0004	Petition to Intervene of Kansas Municipal Energy Agency.

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<u>Plead Date</u>	<u>Plea#</u>	
27-OCT-1999	0005	Entry of Appearance of Timothy E. McKee on Behalf of the City of Wichita.
27-OCT-1999	0006	Petition for Leave to Intervene by the City of Wichita.
29-OCT-1999	0007	Order Assessing Costs Effective November 5, 1999.
02-NOV-1999	0008	Petition to Intervene by Midwest Energy, Inc.
02-NOV-1999	0009	Petition for Leave to Intervene by CURB.
05-NOV-1999	0011	Petition to Intervene by The Empire District Electric Co.
08-NOV-1999	0012	Entry of Appearance of WestPlains Energy by Its Attorneys Robert A. Fox and Dana Bradbury Green of Foulston and Siefkin.
12-NOV-1999	0013	Petition for Intervention of the Kansas Electric Power Cooperative, Inc.
17-NOV-1999	0014	Order Establishing Parties and Setting Deadline for Comments.
15-DEC-1999	0015	Response of Sunflower Electric Power Corporation to Order Establishing Parties and Setting Deadline for Comments.
17-DEC-1999	0016	Response to Kansas Corporation commission on Public Appeals for Conservation.
20-DEC-1999	0017	Reply of Midwest Energy, Inc. to Staff's Response to Order Opening Docket.
20-DEC-1999	0018	Statement of KEPCo on Public Appeals for Conservation.
20-DEC-1999	0019	Comments of Western Resources, Inc. and Kansas Gas and Electric Company.
20-DEC-1999	0020	Comments of Kansas Electric Cooperatives, Inc.
20-DEC-1999	0021	The Empire District Electric Company's Reply to the KCC Staff's Response to Order Opening the Public Appeals Docket.

Docket No. **00-WSRE-266-CON**

Document Id 1999.10.15 16:51:19

**WESTERN RESOURCES, INC.**

In the Matter of the Filing by Western Resources, Inc. to Amend Its Existing Agreement for Electric Service Between KG&E and Farmland Industries, Inc. and Making Cooperative Refining, LLC a Party to the Agreement.

File Date	15-OCT-1999	Company Date	KCC Date
Recommendation	PASS		
Utilities Staff	MAXWELL		
Legal Staff	TYMESON		
Other Staff	ONG		

**Pleadings/Orders**

<u>Plead Date</u>	<u>Plea#</u>	
22-NOV-1999	0001	Order Approving the Proposed Amendments to the 1995 Agreement for Electric Service.

Docket No. **00-UTCG-336-RTS**

Document Id 1999.10.28 15:21:10

**UTILICORP UNITED, INC.**

In the Matter of the Application of UtiliCorp United, Inc. for Approval of the Commission to Make Certain Changes in Its Rates.

File Date	28-OCT-1999	Company Date	KCC Date	27-JUN-2000
Recommendation	PASS			
Utilities Staff	YATES WILLIAMS MYRICK CLEM CITA DIETZ KUZELKA MCCLANAHAN WOODS			
Legal Staff	GATEWOOD			
Other Staff	TYMESON STRATTON			
	ONG			

**Pleadings/Orders**

<u>Plead Date</u>	<u>Plea#</u>	
28-OCT-1999	0001	Direct Testimony of Jon R. Empson on Behalf of UtiliCorp United, Inc.
28-OCT-1999	0002	Direct Testimony of Richard G. Petersen on Behalf of UtiliCorp United, Inc.
28-OCT-1999	0003	Direct Testimony of Gary C. Stone on Behalf of UtiliCorp United, Inc.
28-OCT-1999	0004	Direct Testimony of Timothy H. Hess on Behalf of UtiliCorp United, Inc.
28-OCT-1999	0005	Direct Testimony of Thomas J. Sullivan on Behalf of UtiliCorp United, Inc.
28-OCT-1999	0006	Direct Testimony of John C. Dunn on Behalf of UtiliCorp United, Inc.
28-OCT-1999	0007	Exhibits to Direct Testimony of Thomas J. Sullivan on Behalf of UtiliCorp United, Inc.



<u>Plead Date</u>	<u>Plea#</u>	
28-OCT-1999	0008	Revised GRR Tariff Sheets.
28-OCT-1999	0009	Revised Sales Tariff Sheets
28-OCT-1999	0010	Revised Transportation Tariff Sheets.
02-NOV-1999	0011	Petition for Leave to Intervene by CURB.
02-NOV-1999	0012	Order Assessing Costs Effective November 9, 1999.
10-NOV-1999	0013	Petition for Leave to Intervene by Kansas Gas Service Co., a Division of ONEOK, Inc.
15-NOV-1999	0014	Order Suspending. (6-27-2000)
15-NOV-1999	0015	Petition for Leave to Intervene by the City of Garden City, Kansas.
16-NOV-1999	0016	Order No.1: Granting Intervention to CURB.
23-NOV-1999	0017	Resolution Number 593 from the City of Sterling, Kansas Opposing the Natural Gas Increase Rate Filing.
29-NOV-1999	0018	Petition of Mountain Energy Corporation to Intervene.
09-DEC-1999	0019	Motion to Adopt Proposed Procedural Schedule by KCC Staff.
13-DEC-1999	0020	Order No. 2: Granting Interventions to Kansas Gas Service Co., City of Garden City, Kansas, and Mountain Energy Corporation.
30-DEC-1999	0021	Order No. 3: Order Establishing Procedural Schedule.
05-JAN-2000	0022	Motion for Protective Order by KCC Staff.

**Hearings**

<u>Hearing Date</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Place</u>
08-MAY-2000	PREHEARING CONF	1500 S.W. Arrowhead Road, Topeka, Kansas 66604
16-MAY-2000	TECHNICAL	1500 S.W. Arrowhead Road, Topeka, Kansas 66604
17-MAY-2000	TECHNICAL	1500 S.W. Arrowhead Road, Topeka, Kansas 66604
18-MAY-2000	TECHNICAL	1500 S.W. Arrowhead Road, Topeka, Kansas 66604

**Testimony**

<u>Testimony Due Date</u>	<u>Type</u>
14-APR-2000	DIRECT TESTIMONY DUE--STAFF AND INTERVENOR
03-MAY-2000	REBUTTAL TESTIMONY DUE--UTILICORP UNITED INC.

Docket No. **00-KGSG-420-RTS**

Document Id 1999.11.19 16:39:48

**ONEOK, INC., DBA KANSAS GAS SERVICE**

In the Matter of the Application of Kansas Gas Service Company, a Division of ONEOK, Inc. for Commission Determination for the Rate Treatment of Discounted Service Agreements Entered Into to Meet Competitive Alternatives.

<u>File Date</u>	<u>19-NOV-1999</u>	<u>Company Date</u>	<u>KCC Date</u>
Recommendation	PASS		
Utilities Staff	MAXWELL		
Legal Staff	LENTZ		
Other Staff			

**Pleadings/Orders**

<u>Plead Date</u>	<u>Plea#</u>	
30-NOV-1999	0001	Order Assessing Costs Effective December 7, 1999.
02-DEC-1999	0002	Petition for Leave to Intervene by CURB.
13-DEC-1999	0003	Order No. 2: Identifying Scope of Application and Granting Intervention to CURB.
22-DEC-1999	0004	Report and Recommendation of the Staff of the State Corporation Commission of Kansas.
04-JAN-2000	0005	Response of Kansas Gas Service Co., a Div. of ONEOK, Inc. to Commission Staff's Report and Recommendation.

Docket No. **00-VICE-424-COM**

Document Id 1999.11.23 16:19:11

**VICTORY ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE ASSN., INC.**

In the Matter of the Complaint of WestPlains Energy, Kansas, a Division of UtiliCorp United Inc., Against Victory Electric Cooperative Association, Inc.

File Date 23-NOV-1999 Company Date KCC Date  
 Recommendation PASS  
 Utilities Staff DAWDY RENNER HOLLOWAY  
 Legal Staff LENTZ NUCKOLLS  
 Other Staff

**Pleadings/Orders**

Plead Date	Plea#	
13-DEC-1999	0001	Answer of Victory Electric Cooperative Assn., Inc. to Complaint.

Docket No. **00-GIMG-425-GIG**

Document Id 1999.11.30 10:02:50

**GENERAL INVESTIGATION NATURAL GAS**

In the Matter of the Commission Inquiry Into Performance Based Ratemaking Mechanisms.

File Date 29-NOV-1999 Company Date KCC Date 01-MAR-2000  
 Recommendation PASS  
 Utilities Staff CITA DIETZ KWAK CLEM SANCHEZ WILLIAMS  
 Legal Staff TYMESON NUCKOLLS  
 Other Staff ONG MCNISH

**Pleadings/Orders**

Plead Date	Plea#	
29-NOV-1999	0001	Order No. 1: (A) Opening Docket; (B) All Kansas Jurisdictional Natural Gas Public Utilities Are Automatic Parties to the Proceeding and Are Assessed the Costs of the Proceeding; and (C) Staff's Proposal Is to Be Filed On Or Before March 1, 2000.
01-DEC-1999	0002	Petition for Leave to Intervene by the Citizens' Utility Ratepayer Board.
09-DEC-1999	0003	Petition of Williams Gas Pipelines Central, Inc. for Leave to Intervene.
14-DEC-1999	0004	Petition of Williams Energy Marketing & Trading Co. for Leave to Intervene.
17-DEC-1999	0005	Order Granting CURB's Petition for Intervention.
23-DEC-1999	0006	Order No. 3: Order Granting Williams Gas Pipelines Central, Inc. Intervention.
03-JAN-2000	0007	Order No. 4: Granting Intervention to Williams Energy Marketing & Trading Co.

Docket No. **00-KEPE-475-CON**

Document Id 1999.12.08 11:56:01

**KANSAS ELECTRIC POWER CO-OP, INC.**

In the Matter of the Application of Kansas Electric Power Cooperative, Inc. for a Power Supply Arrangement with Heartland Rural Electric Cooperative, Inc. for Heartland to Provide Retail Service to Tower Metal Products L.P.

File Date 08-DEC-1999 Company Date KCC Date 04-AUG-2000  
 Recommendation PASS  
 Utilities Staff MAXWELL  
 Legal Staff LENTZ  
 Other Staff

**Pleadings/Orders**

Plead Date	Plea#	
08-DEC-1999	0001	Confidential Letter Agreement Between Kansas Electric Power Cooperative, Inc. and Heartland Rural Electric Cooperative, Inc.
05-JAN-2000	0002	Order Suspending. (8-4-2000)

Docket No. **00-KG&E-498-CCS**

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**KANSAS GAS & ELECTRIC CO.**

In the Matter of the Application of Kansas Gas and Electric Company for Authority to Cease Transacting the Business of an Electric Public Utility, Specifically in a Portion of Section 25, Township 32 South, Range 1 East in Sumner County, Kansas.

File Date 16-DEC-1999 Company Date KCC Date  
 Recommendation PASS  
 Utilities Staff DAWDY  
 Legal Staff NUCKOLLS

Docket No. **00-KG&E-498-CCS**

Document Id 1999.12.16 11:11:00

**KANSAS GAS & ELECTRIC CO.**

In the Matter of the Application of Kansas Gas and Electric Company for Authority to Cease Transacting the Business of an Electric Public Utility, Specifically in a Portion of Section 25, Township 32 South, Range 1 East in Sumner County, Kansas.

File Date 16-DEC-1999 Company Date KCC Date  
 Recommendation PASS  
 Utilities Staff DAWDY  
 Legal Staff NUCKOLLS  
 Other Staff

**Pleadings/Orders**

Plead Date	Plea#	
22-DEC-1999	0001	Order Assessing Costs Effective December 29, 1999.

Docket No. **00-WSRE-501-COC**

Document Id 1999.12.17 10:10:53

**WESTERN RESOURCES, INC.**

In the Matter of the Application of Western Resources, Inc. Doing Business As KPL, for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Authority to Transact the Business of an Electric Public Utility, Specifically in a Portion of Section 30, Township 12 South, Range 19 East in Douglas County, Kansas.

File Date 17-DEC-1999 Company Date KCC Date  
 Recommendation PASS  
 Utilities Staff DAWDY  
 Legal Staff NUCKOLLS  
 Other Staff

**Pleadings/Orders**

Plead Date	Plea#	
22-DEC-1999	0001	Order Assessing Costs Effective December 29, 1999.

Docket No. **00-WSRE-502-CCS**

Document Id 1999.12.17 10:11:32

**WESTERN RESOURCES, INC.**

In the Matter of the Application of Western Resources, Inc. Doing Business As KPL, for Authority to Cease Transacting the Business of an Electric Public Utility, Specifically in a Portion of Section 7, Township 12 South, Range 19 East in Douglas County, Kansas.

File Date 17-DEC-1999 Company Date KCC Date  
 Recommendation PASS  
 Utilities Staff DAWDY  
 Legal Staff NUCKOLLS  
 Other Staff

**Pleadings/Orders**

Plead Date	Plea#	
23-DEC-1999	0001	Order Assessing Costs Effective December 30, 1999.

Docket No. **00-KWVE-580-CCS**

Document Id 1999.12.27 11:32:58

**KAW VALLEY ELEC. COOP. ASSN. CO., INC.**

In the Matter of the Application of Kaw Valley Electric Cooperative, Inc., to Cease Transacting the Business of an Electric Public Utility in Douglas County, Kansas, SW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 30, Township 12 South, Range 19 East.

File Date 27-DEC-1999 Company Date KCC Date  
 Recommendation PASS  
 Utilities Staff DAWDY  
 Legal Staff NUCKOLLS  
 Other Staff

Docket No. 00-KWVE-581-COC

Document Id 1999.12.27 11:32:48

**KAW VALLEY ELEC. COOP. ASSN. CO., INC.**

In the Matter of the Application of Kaw Valley Electric Cooperative, Inc., for a Certificate of Convenience and Authority to Transact the Business of an Electric Public Utility in Douglas County, Kansas, E 1/2 of the E 1/2 of the SE 1/4 and the E 1/2 of the SE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 7, Township 12 South, Range 19 East.

File Date	27-DEC-1999	Company Date	KCC Date
Recommendation	PASS		
Utilities Staff	DAWDY		
Legal Staff	NUCKOLLS		
Other Staff			

Docket No. 00-SMCE-600-COC

Document Id 2000.01.07 10:07:11

**SUMNER-COWLEY ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC.**

In the Matter of the Application of Sumner-Cowley Electric Cooperative, Inc. for a Certificate of Convenience and Authority to Transact the Business of a Public Utility in the State of Kansas, Sumner County, Kansas, N 1/2 Section 25, Twp. 32S, R 1E.

File Date	07-JAN-2000	Company Date	KCC Date
Recommendation	PASS		
Utilities Staff	DAWDY		
Legal Staff	NUCKOLLS		
Other Staff			

Docket No. 00-KGSG-611-CCS

Document Id 2000.01.10 16:56:00

**ONEOK, INC., DBA KANSAS GAS SERVICE**

In the Matter of the Application of Kansas Gas Service Company, a Division of ONEOK, Inc. for Authority to Cease Transacting the Business of a Natural Gas Public Utility, Specifically in a Portion of Section 27, Township 10 South, Range 25 East in Wyandotte County, Kansas.

File Date	10-JAN-2000	Company Date	KCC Date
Recommendation	PASS		
Utilities Staff	DAWDY		
Legal Staff			
Other Staff			



Docket No. 00-SEPE-419-CON

Document Id 1999.11.19 16:54:39

**SUNFLOWER ELECTRIC POWER CORPORATION**

In the Matter of Sunflower Electric Power Corporation Seeking Approval for Sale of Capacity, Energy and Transmission Access to Kansas Electric Power Cooperative, Inc.

File Date 19-NOV-1999 Company Date KCC Date 18-DEC-1999  
Recommendation APPROVED  
Utilities Staff MAXWELL  
Legal Staff NUCKOLLS  
Other Staff

**Pleadings/Orders**

Plead Date	Plea#	
30-NOV-1999	0001	Order Assessing Costs Effective December 7, 1999.
02-DEC-1999	0002	Petition for Leave to Intervene by CURB.
17-DEC-1999	0003	Order Granting CURB's Petition for Intervention.
03-JAN-2000	0004	Order Approving Letter Agreement.

Docket No. 00-WSRE-423-CCS

Document Id 1999.11.22 10:02:21

**WESTERN RESOURCES, INC.**

In the Matter of the Application of Western Resources, Inc., Doing Business as KPL, for Authority to Cease Transacting the Business of an Electric Public Utility, Specifically in a Portion of Section 14, Township 15 South, Range 18 East in Douglas County, Kansas.

File Date 22-NOV-1999 Company Date KCC Date  
Recommendation GRANTED  
Utilities Staff DAWDY  
Legal Staff NUCKOLLS  
Other Staff

**Pleadings/Orders**

Plead Date	Plea#	
03-JAN-2000	0001	Order Granting.

Docket No. 00-KGSG-470-CCS

Document Id 1999.12.06 16:43:51

**ONEOK, INC., DBA KANSAS GAS SERVICE**

In the Matter of the Application of Kansas Gas Service Company, a Division of ONEOK, Inc. for Permission to Cease Operating as a Natural Gas Public Utility at Part of the Southwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 34, Township 12 South, Range 15 East, of the Sixth Principal Meridian, Shawnee County, Kansas.

File Date 06-DEC-1999 Company Date KCC Date  
Recommendation GRANTED  
Utilities Staff DAWDY  
Legal Staff NUCKOLLS  
Other Staff

**Pleadings/Orders**

Plead Date	Plea#	
06-JAN-2000	0001	Order Granting.

Docket No. 00-AUBG-471-COC

Document Id 1999.12.06 16:43:25

**CITY OF AUBURN**

In the Matter of the Application of the City of Auburn, Kansas for a Certificate of Convenience and Authority to Transact the Business of a Natural Gas Public Utility in the State of Kansas. Part of the Southwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 34, Township 12 South, Range 15 East, of the Sixth Principal Meridian, Shawnee County, Kansas.

File Date 06-DEC-1999 Company Date KCC Date  
Recommendation GRANTED  
Utilities Staff DAWDY  
Legal Staff NUCKOLLS  
Other Staff

**Pleadings/Orders**

Plead Date	Plea#	
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<u>Plead Date</u>	<u>Plea#</u>	
06-JAN-2000	0001	Order Granting Certificate.

Docket No. **00-KGSG-472-CCS**

Document Id 1999.12.06 16:44:29

**ONEOK, INC., DBA KANSAS GAS SERVICE**

In the Matter of the Application of Kansas Gas Service Company, a Division of ONEOK, Inc., for Permission to Cease Operating as a Natural Gas Public Utility at Southwest Industrial Plaza Subdivision No. 2, Northeast Quarter of Section 35, Township 12 South, Range 15 East, of the Sixth Principal Meridian, Shawnee County, Kansas.

File Date	06-DEC-1999	Company Date	KCC Date
Recommendation	GRANTED		
Utilities Staff	DAWDY		
Legal Staff	NUCKOLLS		
Other Staff			

**Pleadings/Orders**

<u>Plead Date</u>	<u>Plea#</u>	
06-JAN-2000	0001	Order Granting.

Docket No. **00-AUBG-473-COC**

Document Id 1999.12.06 16:42:46

**CITY OF AUBURN**

In the Matter of the Application of the City of Auburn, Kansas for a Certificate of Convenience and Authority to Transact the Business of a Natural Gas Public Utility in the State of Kansas. Southwest Industrial Plaza Subdivision No. 2, NE Quarter of Section 35, Township 12 South, Range 15 East, of the Sixth Principal Meridian, Shawnee County, Kansas.

File Date	06-DEC-1999	Company Date	KCC Date
Recommendation	GRANTED		
Utilities Staff	DAWDY		
Legal Staff	NUCKOLLS		
Other Staff			

**Pleadings/Orders**

<u>Plead Date</u>	<u>Plea#</u>	
06-JAN-2000	0001	Order Granting Certificate.

Docket No. **00-KCPE-485-COC**

Document Id 1999.12.14 09:54:25

**KANSAS CITY POWER & LIGHT COMPANY**

In the Matter of the Application of Kansas City Power & Light Company for a Certificate of Convenience and Authority to Transact the Business of an Electric Public Utility, Specifically in a Portion of Section 14, Township 15 South, Range 18 East in Douglas County, Kansas.

File Date	14-DEC-1999	Company Date	KCC Date
Recommendation	GRANTED		
Utilities Staff	DAWDY		
Legal Staff	NUCKOLLS		
Other Staff			

**Pleadings/Orders**

<u>Plead Date</u>	<u>Plea#</u>	
17-DEC-1999	0001	Order Assessing Costs Effective December 24, 1999.
03-JAN-2000	0002	Order Granting.