BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of Kansas City Power & Light)	
Company's Request for Authority to)	File No. ER-2016-0285
Implement a General Rate Increase for)	
Electric Service)	

RENEW MISSOURI REQUEST TO BE EXCUSED FROM PORTIONS OF THE EVIDENTIARY HEARING

COMES NOW Renew Missouri Advocates ("Renew Missouri"), by and through its undersigned counsel, and respectfully requests to be excused from portions of the evidentiary hearing in this case currently scheduled to begin February 6, 2017.

As reflected in its testimony filed in this docket, Renew Missouri has submitted testimony only on issues relating to rate design (Issue XXI). Renew Missouri takes a position on a discrete number of other issues (Issue I, Commission Raised), but has not submitted testimony and does not plan to present evidence on these issues at hearing. Issue XXI is currently scheduled to be taken up February 22, 2017. Renew Missouri plans to be present on February 6, 2017 to provide its opening statement. Renew Missouri respectfully requests to be excused from those portions of the hearing that it deems to be not material to advancing its positions in this case.

Respectfully Submitted,

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I hereb	y certify that	a true and o	correct copy	of the foreg	oing do	cument was	mailed,	faxed,
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