

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI**

In the Matter of the Application of)	
Kansas City Power & Light Company)	ER-2007-0291
for Approval to Make Certain Chang-)	
es in its Charges for Electric Ser-)	
vice to Implement its Regulatory)	
Plan)	

**JOINDER IN MOTIONS TO STRIKE
BY PRAXAIR, INC.**

COMES NOW Praxair, Inc. ("Praxair"), by its counsel of record, and joins in and concurs with the Motion to Strike filed herein on October 4, 2007 by the Office of the Public Counsel and the corresponding Motion to Strike Portions of Prefiled Surrebutal Testimony of Staff Witness Janice Pyatte, also filed on the same date. In further support thereof, Praxair states:

1. Public Counsel states in paragraph 4 of its motion that "None of the parties appear to have waived privilege" Praxair states that it has not granted such a waiver, nor was such a waiver requested of counsel in advance of the filing of the subject testimony.

2. Although representing other clients therein, undersigned counsel also participated in the Missouri-American Water rate case referenced in footnote 3 of Public Counsel's motion and concurs in Public Counsel's statement regarding that case.

3. Despite being in disagreement with the interpretations placed upon the language of the Stipulation and Agreement

in the Regulatory Plan case by Kansas City Power & Light and being in agreement with the interpretation placed on such language by Commission Staff, we nonetheless concur in the statement in paragraph 7 of Kansas City Power & Light's Motion to Strike and specifically in the statement that "The unilateral disclosure of such privileged information by any party . . . will undoubtedly have a chilling effect upon frank and candid exchanges of information and compromise positions in the settlement process."

WHEREFORE, for the above reasons and for those stated in the respective motions, the relief sought therein should be granted.

Respectfully submitted,

FINNEGAN, CONRAD & PETERSON, L.C.



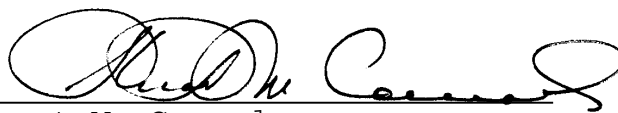
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October 5, 2007

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have this day served the foregoing pleading by e-mail, facsimile or First Class United States Mail to all parties by their attorneys of record as provided by the Secretary of the Commission.



Stuart W. Conrad

Dated: October 5, 2007