BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of Kansas City Power & Light Company's Request for Ap- proval to Make Certain Changes in its Charges for Electric Service to Implement its Regulatory Plan))))	File	No.	ER-2012-0174
In the Matter of the Application of KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations Company for Approval of Make Certain changes in its Charges for Electric Service))))	File	No.	ER-2012-0175

OBJECTION TO NON_UNANIMOUS STIPULATION

COME NOW Praxair (in File No. ER-2012-0174) and Midwest Energy Users' Association ("MEUA") (in File No. ER-2012-0175) and with respect to the non-unanimous stipulation that was filed herein respond as follows:

- 1. On October 19, 2012, the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Staff"), Kansas City Power & Light Company ("KCPL") and KCP&L Greater Missouri Operations Company ("GMO") (collectively the "Utilities") filed a non-unanimous stipulation and agreement in these matters.
- 2. Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-2.115, in relevant part, provides:
 - (2) Nonunanimous Stipulations and Agreements.
 - (A) A nonunanimous stipulation and agreement is any stipulation and agreement which is entered into by fewer than all of the parties.

- (B) Each party shall have seven (7) days from the filing of a nonunanimous stipulation and agreement to file an objection to the nonunanimous stipulation and agreement. Failure to file a timely objection shall constitute a full waiver of that party's right to a hearing.
- (C) If no party timely objects to a nonunanimous stipulation and agreement, the commission may treat the nonunanimous stipulation and agreement as a unanimous stipulation and agreement.
- (D) A nonunanimous stipulation and agreement to which a timely objection has been filed shall be considered to be merely a position of the signatory parties to the stipulated position, except that no party shall be bound by it. All issues shall remain for determination after hearing (Emphasis added)
- 3. According to this Rule, a timely objection to the non-unanimous stipulation may be filed within 7 days.
- 4. These parties object to the said non-unanimous stipulation and now timely file their objection to the non-unanimous stipulation and agreement that was filed herein on October 19, 2012 by the parties stated above.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have this day served the foregoing pleading by electronic means, by United States Mail, First Class postage prepaid, or by hand delivery to all known parties in interest upon their respective representatives or attorneys of record as reflected in the records maintained by the Secretary of the Commission through the EFIS system.

Stuart W. Conrad

Dated: October 24, 2012