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CASE NO: 00-99-44

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Enclosed find certified copy of ORDER in the above-numbered case(s).

Sincerely,

Dale Hardy Roberts

Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

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STATE OF MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

At a Session of the Public Service Commission held at its office in Jefferson City on the 23rd day of September, 1998.

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In the Matter of the Assessment Against the Public Utilities in the State of Missouri for the Expenses of the Commission for the Fiscal Year Commencing July 1, 1998.

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CASE NO. 00-99-44

ORDER GRANTING INTERVENTION

On September 5, 1998, Trigen-Kansas City Energy Corporation (Trigen) filed an Application for Intervention pursuant to 4 CSR 240-2.075. Trigen is a regulated steam heating company and, in fact, is the "sole regulated purely steam heating company in the State of Missouri". As such, Trigen asserts an interest in this proceeding which is different from the general public and which cannot be adequately represented by any other participant in this proceeding.

Trigen states that it acted as expeditiously as possible to submit this request upon becoming aware of this case. Furthermore, Trigen has stated that it will accept the current state of the record in this case and would not intend for its intervention to cause undue delay in the process of this case.

The Commission has reviewed the Application for Intervention of Trigen and has determined it appropriate to grant Trigen's Application. Trigen shall be held to the same filing requirements as previously set out for all applicants and intervenors.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That intervention is granted to Trigen-Kansas City Energy Corporation.

- 2. That Trigen-Kansas City Energy Corporation shall file the following information:
 - a. The exact nature of the stay requested and the remedy sought,
 - b. The nature of any "protest" or "challenge" to the assessment payments and whether the protest goes only to the increased portion of the assessment or to the entirety of the assessment,
 - c. Details setting out the total amount of "Article X" distribution received by each Applicant to date, and
 - d. Legal authority in support of the respective applicant's argument(s) on each issue, e.g. authority in support of the stay, the protest and other legal issues.
 - e. On an ongoing basis, Trigen shall report any and all monies received from the Missouri Department of Revenue pursuant to the Missouri Constitution, Article X, Section 16-24 (the Hancock Amendment) during the pendency of this matter.
 - f. These pleadings shall be filed not later than October 1, 1998.
 - 3. That this order shall become effective on October 5, 1998.

BY THE COMMISSION

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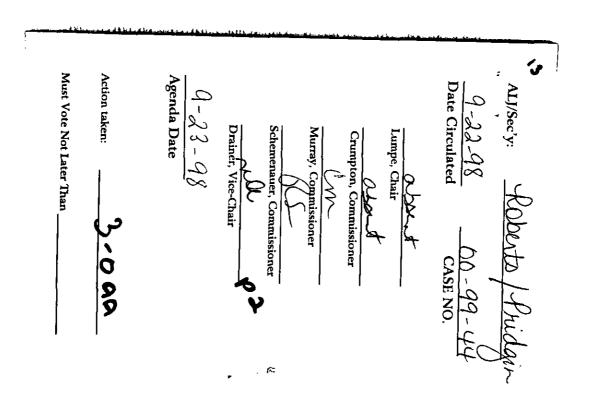
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Murray, Schemenauer, and Drainer, CC., Concur. Lumpe, Ch., Crumpton, C., Absent.

Roberts, Chief Regulatory Law Judge



STATE OF MISSOURI OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

I have compared the preceding copy with the original on file in this office and

I do hereby certify the same to be a true copy therefrom and the whole thereof.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the Public Service Commission, at Jefferson City,

Missouri, this 23rd day of September, 1998.

Dale Hardy Roberts

Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

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