

3. Trigen-KC designated said National Starch Contract as highly confidential and proprietary because it contains material and information relating directly to a specific customer and other market-specific information relating to the service offered in competition with others, and because the customer, National Starch, desires that information related to its supply contracts be maintained as confidential and Trigen-KC's ability to maintain such confidentiality is integral to its relationship with National Starch.

4. Trigen-KC desires to keep the National Starch Contract confidential and, to insure such confidentiality, requests that the access to the National Starch Contract and the information contained therein be restricted to only those who were parties to the above-styled case and be disclosed only in connection with Commission proceedings. In addition, Trigen-KC requests that neither the National Starch Contract nor any information contained therein be disclosed unless a Nondisclosure Agreement in the form of Exhibit "A" attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference is signed by the party requesting such disclosure.

WHEREFORE, Trigen-KC respectfully requests that the Commission issue its Protective Order restricting the disclosure of the National Starch Contract or any information contained therein to parties to the above-styled case and only for the purpose of preparation for and conduct of proceedings before the Commission in connection with above-styled case.

Respectfully submitted,

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COUNTY OF JACKSON) ss.

On this 27th day of April, 1990, before me, the undersigned, a notary public in and for the county and state aforesaid, came GEORGE E. RIDER, attorney for Trigen-Kansas City District Energy Corporation, the corporation duly organized, incorporated and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Delaware, and who is personally known to me to be the same person who executed the instrument within on behalf of said corporation, and such person duly acknowledged the authority to execute the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal the day last above written.

Richard K. Swager

Notary Public

My commission expires:
May 22, 1990