

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

In the Matter of the Joint Application of Entergy Arkansas,)
Inc., Mid South TransCo LLC, Transmission Company)
Arkansas, LLC and ITC Midsouth LLC for Approval of)
Transfer of Assets and Certificate of Convenience and) **File No. EO-2013-0396**
Necessity, and Merger and, in connection therewith,)
Certain Other Related Transactions)

ORDER GRANTING JOINT APPLICANTS' MOTION FOR LEAVE TO DISMISS

Issue Date: December 24, 2013

Effective Date: December 24, 2013

On December 13, 2013, Entergy Arkansas, Inc., Mid South TransCo LLC, Transmission Company Arkansas, LLC, and ITC Midsouth LLC ("Joint Applicants") filed the above-referenced motion ("motion"). The Joint Applicants state that they wish to dismiss because the proposed transaction is no longer moving forward.

Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-2.116 allows a party to dismiss an application only by leave of the Commission, or by written consent of the adverse parties once prepared testimony has been filed. The Commission notes that prepared testimony has been filed. The adverse parties have not filed written consent. Thus, the Commission must grant leave before the Joint Applicants can dismiss their application.

Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-2.080(13) allows parties ten days to respond to pleadings or motions unless otherwise ordered. The Commission has not issued an order to the contrary, ten days have elapsed, and no party has objected to the motion.

The Commission finds the motion reasonable. The Commission grants leave to the Joint Applicants to dismiss their application.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The Joint Applicants are granted leave to dismiss their application.
2. The application is dismissed.
3. This order shall become effective immediately upon issuance.
4. This file shall be closed on December 26, 2013.



BY THE COMMISSION

Morris L. Woodruff

Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

Ronald D. Pridgin, Deputy Chief Regulatory
Law Judge, by delegation of authority
Under Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 24th day of December, 2013.