

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

In the Matter of the Consideration of Adoption	)	
of the PURPA Section 111(d)(13) Fossil Fuel	)	<u>Case No. EO-2006-0495</u>
Generation Efficiency Standard as Required by	)	
Section 1251 of the Energy Policy Act of 2005.	)	

**PUBLIC COUNSEL’S RESPONSE TO STAFF’S SUGGESTIONS REGARDING
FUTURE PROCEEDINGS**

COMES NOW the Office of the Public Counsel (“Public Counsel”) and for its Response to Staff’s Suggestions Regarding Future Proceedings states as follows:

Public Counsel does not necessarily agree that a major overhaul of the Chapter 22 rules is necessary. However, it appears that the Commission has decided to embark on a review of those rules independently of the issues raised in this case, and Public Counsel will of course be involved in that review. Since the Commission will be reviewing Chapter 22 anyway, Public Counsel does not object to Staff’s suggestions as to how to proceed with this case.

WHEREFORE, Public Counsel respectfully provides this response pursuant to the Commission’s October 2 Order Establishing Time for Response and states that it does not object to the Commission proceeding as recommended by its Staff.

Respectfully submitted,

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