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Ms. Colleen M. Dale, Secretary
Missouri Public Service Commission
P. O. Box 360
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Re: PSC Case No. EO-2008-0031

Dear Ms. Dale:

Enclosed for filing in the above matter please find original and 8 copies of Cuivre River Electric Cooperative's Motion to File Response After Expiration of Deadline.

Thank you for your attention.

Sincerely,



Andrew J. Sporleder

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of)
Wasatch Investments, LC, for Change)
Of Electric Supplier.) Case No. EO-2008-0031

CUIVRE RIVER ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE INC.'S MOTION
TO FILE RESPONSE AFTER EXPIRATION OF DEADLINE

COMES NOW Cuivre River Electric Cooperative Inc., by and through its attorneys of record Andereck, Evans, Milne, Widger, and Johnson, L.L.C., pursuant to 4 CSR 240-2.050, and for its Motion to File Response After Expiration of Deadline, states as follows:

1. On August 1, 2007, Wasatch Investments, LC, (Wasatch) filed a verified application for change of electric supplier from Union Electric Company, d/b/a AmerenUE, to Cuivre River Electric Cooperative, Inc. (Cuivre)
2. On August 2, 2007, the Commission issued and made effective its Notice of Request for Change of Electric Supplier, Order Adding Parties, and Order Directing Filings. Therein, the Commission ordered that Cuivre be added as a party to this case, that a copy of such notice be sent to Cuivre, that any responses be filed no later than September 4, 2007 and that Staff file a recommendation or a status report no later than September 14, 2007.
3. That Cuivre has not filed a Response to the verified application but desires to file a Response.
4. That Cuivre's failure to act within the time prescribed for the filing of a response was a result of excusable neglect and that good cause exists for the Commission to allow Cuivre to file its response in the form of the Response of Cuivre (attached hereto as "Exhibit A") out of time.

5. That Cuivre's counsel failed to comply with the Commission's deadline to file its response in a timely fashion due to its failure to receive the Commission's August 2, 2007 Notice of Request for Change of Electric Supplier, Order Adding Parties, and Order Directing Filings until after the deadline for responses to the application had passed.

6. That this failure to receive the Notice of Request for Change of Electric Supplier, Order Adding Parties, and Order Directing Filings constitutes "excusable neglect" on the part of Cuivre in that the failure to file a response to the verified application was unavoidable.

7. No party will be harmed by the granting of this motion.

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RESPONSE OF CUIVRE RIVER ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE INC.

COMES NOW Cuivre River Electric Cooperative Inc., by and through its attorneys of record Andereck, Evans, Milne, Widger, and Johnson, L.L.C., and for its Response TO Wasatch Investments, LC Application for Change of Electric Supplier, states as follows:

1. On August 1, 2007, Wasatch Investments, LC, (Wasatch) filed a verified application for change of electric supplier from Union Electric Company, d/b/a AmerenUE, to Cuivre River Electric Cooperative, Inc. (Cuivre).
2. Cuivre agrees that the property in question is within the certified service territory of AmerenUE and that AmerenUE is the proper provider of electric service at this location.
3. Nevertheless, Cuivre concurs with the request for provider of electric service so as to allow Cuivre to serve Wasatch.
4. Cuivre already has in place the necessary distribution lines running through this location thereby making the extension of service to Wasatch possible on a much faster schedule than AmerenUE can provide at this location.
5. Grant of the application will reduce wasteful duplication of electric distribution facilities by AmerenUE as Cuivre already has in place the necessary distribution lines and poles necessary to extend service to Wasatch.

"EXHIBIT A"

WHEREFORE, Cuivre respectfully requests that the Commission grant

Wasatch's Application for Change of Electric Service Provider.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE


The undersigned does hereby certify that a true and accurate copy of the foregoing was mailed, via U.S. Mail, postage prepaid, this 7th day of September, 2007 to:

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