BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

| In the Matter of the Application of Transource Missouri, |) |
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| LLC for a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity | |
| Authorizing it to Own, Operate, and Maintain the | |
| Switch Station Necessary for the Interconnection of the | File No. EA-2016-0190 |
| Osborn Wind Energy Center with the Sibley-Nebraska |) |
| City Electric Transmission Project | |

ORDER DIRECTING NOTICE AND SETTING INTERVENTION DEADLINE

Issue Date: July 22, 2016 Effective Date: July 22, 2016

On July 22, 2016, Transource Missouri, LLC filed an application with the Missouri Public Service Commission seeking an order declining jurisdiction, or, in the alternative, granting a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity ("CCN") pursuant to section 393.170, RSMo 2000. The CCN would authorize Transource Missouri to own, operate, and maintain a 345 kilovolt ("kV") Interconnection Switch Station in DeKalb County, Missouri that will connect the Osborn Wind Energy Center with Transource Missouri's Sibley-Nebraska City 345 kV electric transmission line project. Transource Missouri's application also seeks a waiver of certain Commission rules and expedited treatment. Transource Missouri requests the Commission grant a CCN or decline jurisdiction within ninety days of the filing of its Application.

The Commission will provide notice of the application to the general public and interested parties and set a deadline for intervention requests. If no proper party is granted intervention, and neither the Commission's Staff nor the Office of the Public Counsel requests a hearing, the Commission may determine that a hearing is not

¹ Transource Missouri requests the Commission waive the reporting requirements of 4 CSR 240-3.175 and 4 CSR 240-3.190.

necessary for a determination of the application.²

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- The Commission's Data Center shall provide a copy of this order to the County Commission of DeKalb County, Missouri.
- 2. The Commission's Public Policy and Outreach Department shall make notice of this order available to the members of the Missouri General Assembly representing DeKalb County, Missouri and to the media serving DeKalb County, Missouri.
- 3. Any person wishing to intervene in this matter shall file an application to intervene no later than August 19, 2016. The application shall be filed in the Commission's Electronic Filing and Information System ("EFIS") or with the Secretary of the Commission.
- 4. The Staff of the Commission shall file a recommendation or a status report on Transource Missouri's application no later than August 23, 2016.
 - 5. This order shall be effective when issued.

BY THE COMMISSION

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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

Morris L. Woodruff, Chief Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 22nd day of July, 2016.

² State ex rel. Deffenderfer v. Public Service Commission, 776 S.W.2d 494, 496 (Mo. App. 1989).