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Re: In the Matter of: Application of Big Rivers Electric Corporation
for Approval to Transfer Functional Control of Its Transmission
System to Midwest Independent Transmission System Operator, Inc.
PSC Case No. 2010-00043

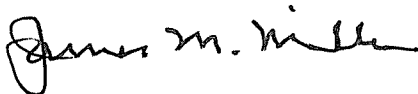
Dear Mr. DeRouen:

By order dated July 19, 2010, the Commission reset the hearing in this matter for Wednesday, September 15, 2010. Based upon the informal conference held in this matter on July 7, 2010, and the number of witnesses in the case, Big Rivers Electric Corporation ("Big Rivers") believes it is likely that the hearing will require more than one day. Big Rivers respectfully requests that the hearing be commenced on Tuesday, September 14, 2010, to allow two days for the hearing. Big Rivers is authorized to state that starting the hearing on September 14 is acceptable to Midwest ISO and KIUC.

Big Rivers has two problems if the hearing commences on September 15, 2010, and continues into Thursday, September 16, 2010. First, Big Rivers' annual meeting of its membership is scheduled for the evening of Thursday, September 16. And second, one of its legal counsel has an unavoidable conflict and cannot be present on September 16.

Please let me know if you have any questions regarding this request.

Sincerely yours,



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