

STATE OF ILLINOIS



ILLINOIS COMMERCE COMMISSION

May 16, 2007

Ms. Elizabeth A. Rolando  
Chief Clerk  
Illinois Commerce Commission  
527 East Capitol Avenue  
Springfield, IL 62701

**RE: Docket No. 07-0246  
Interstate Power and Light  
Company and ITC Midwest LLC**

Dear Ms. Rolando:

Enclosed for filing on behalf of the Staff of the Illinois Commerce Commission in the above-captioned proceeding is the Answer of the Staff of the Illinois Commerce Commission to Interstate Power and Light Company and ITC Midwest LLC's Verified Joint Petition to Sell Utility Assets and Discontinue Service.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Linda M. Buell".

Linda M. Buell

Counsel for the Staff of the Illinois  
Commerce Commission

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Enclosure

cc: Claudia Sainsot, Administrative Law Judge  
Service List

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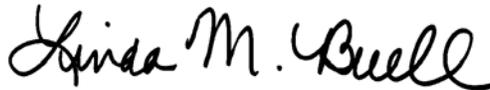
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Interstate Power and Light Company :  
and ITC Midwest LLC :  
 : 07-0246  
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Joint Petition for Approval of Sale of :  
Utility Assets Pursuant to Section 7-102; :  
Transfer of Franchises, Licenses, Permits :  
Or Rights to Own Pursuant to Section :  
7-203; Transfer of Certificates of :  
Convenience and Necessity Pursuant :  
to Section 8-406; Approval of the :  
Discontinuance of Service Pursuant to :  
Section 8-508; and the Granting of All :  
Other Necessary and Appropriate Relief. :

NOTICE OF FILING

TO: Attached Service List

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on May 16, 2007, I have filed with the Chief Clerk of the Illinois Commerce Commission, the Answer of the Staff of the Illinois Commerce Commission to Interstate Power and Light Company and ITC Midwest LLC's Verified Joint Petition to Sell Utility Assets and Discontinue Service, copies of which are hereby served upon you.



Linda M. Buell

Counsel for the Staff of the Illinois  
Commerce Commission

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing Notice of Filing, together with the Answer of the Staff of the Illinois Commerce Commission to Interstate Power and Light Company and ITC Midwest LLC's Verified Joint Petition to Sell Utility Assets and Discontinue Service, were served upon the parties on the attached service list by electronic mail on May 16, 2007.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Linda M. Buell". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "L" and "B".

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