

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
BEFORE THE
FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION**

Wisconsin Public Service Corporation)
Upper Peninsula Power Company)
WPS Energy Services, Inc. and)
WPS Power Development, LLC)
Complainants)

v.)

Docket No. EL06-97-000

Midwest Independent Transmission System)
Operator, Inc. and)
PJM Interconnection, L.L.C.)
Respondents)

**NOTICE OF INTERVENTION
OF THE MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

Pursuant to Rule 214(a)(2) of the Commission’s Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 C.F.R. § 385.214(a)(2) (2006), the Michigan Public Service Commission (“MPSC”) hereby submits its Notice of Intervention in the captioned proceeding.

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II. DESCRIPTION OF FILING

On August 16, 2006, Wisconsin Public Service Corporation (“WPSC”), Upper Peninsula Power Company (“UPPCP”), WPS Energy Services, Inc. (“ESI”), and its subsidiary WPS Power Development, LLC (“WPS Power”) (collectively “WPS” or the “WPS Companies”) filed a complaint against PJM Interconnection L.L.C. (“PJM”) and the Midwest Independent Transmission System Operator, Inc. (“MISO”)(collectively “MISO/PJM”), objecting to the June 28, 2006 report filed in Docket Nos. ER04-375-017 and ER04-375-018 by MISO/PJM. The WPS Companies allege that MISO/PJM’s report fails to comply with the Commission’s orders requiring the actual implementation by MISO/PJM of a comprehensive Joint and Common Market (“JCM”). The WPS Companies request that the Commission issue an order, as promptly as reasonably possible, directing MISO/PJM to institute Joint System Dispatch and “certain other initiatives that would complement Joint System Dispatch” and which are, in WPS Companies’ view, needed to facilitate development of the truly functional JCM the Commission has previously ordered.

III. BASIS FOR INTERVENTION

The MPSC is an agency of the State of Michigan, created by 1939 Pub. Acts 3, Mich. Comp. Laws Ann. § 460.1 *et seq.* As the Michigan regulatory agency having jurisdiction and authority to control and regulate rates, charges, and conditions of service for the retail sale of electricity in the State, the MPSC is a “state commission” as defined in 16 U.S.C. § 796(15) and 18 C.F.R. § 1.101(k) (2006). Accordingly, the MPSC hereby provides its notice of intervention pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 385.214(a)(2) (2006).

IV. CONCLUSION

WHEREFORE, the Michigan Public Service Commission hereby provides notice of its intervention.

Respectfully submitted,

**THE MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE
COMMISSION**

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served copy of the foregoing document upon all parties listed on the official service list compiled by the Secretary in this proceeding.

Dated at Washington, D.C. this 5th day of September, 2006.

/s/ Linda M. Nagel
