# SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C.

FORM U-3A-2

For Year Ended 1994

Statement by Holding Company Claiming Exemption Under Rule U-3A-2 from the Provisions of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935

Kansas City Power & Light Company ("KCPL") hereby files with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC"), pursuant to Rule 2, its statement claiming exemption as a holding company from the provisions of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935; however, pursuant to an application currently on file with the SEC seeking reclassification of its subsidiary Wolf Creek Nuclear Operating Corporation ("WCNOC"), KCPL hereby reserves the right to assert that WCNOC is not a Public Utility for purposes of the Act, and that KCPL is not, by virtue of its ownership interest in WCNOC, required to seek or file an exemption under the Act as a public utility holding company. KCPL makes this filing at this time in order to preserve all rights it may have under the Act.

1. KCPL is a Missouri corporation whose principal executive offices are located at 1201 Walnut, Kansas City, Missouri 64106. KCPL's principal business consists of the generation, transmission, distribution and sale of electricity. KCPL provides retail electric service to over 424,000 customers in a 4,700 square mile area located in all or portions of 23 counties in western Missouri and eastern Kansas and sells electricity at wholesale to twelve customers.

KCPL has three subsidiaries. WCNOC, a Delaware corporation, incorporated on April 14, 1986 to operate and maintain the Wolf Creek Generating Station ("Wolf Creek") for the benefit of the station owners. Wolf Creek and WCNOC are each owned by KCPL and two non-affiliated electric utilities, Kansas Gas and Electric Company ("KG&E"), a wholly-owned subsidiary of Western Resources, and Kansas Electric Power Cooperative ("KEPCO") (collectively, the "Wolf Creek Owners") in the following percentages: KCPL, 47%, KG&E, 47%, and KEPCo, 6%. WYMO Fuels, Inc., a wholly-owned Missouri corporation, was organized on August 5, 1976, for the acquisition and development of coal properties. KLT Inc., a wholly-owned Missouri corporation, was organized on November 3, 1992, to invest through several KLT companies in non-regulated, energy-related enterprises.

2. The electric generating stations of KCPL and their locations are as follows:

		Estimated 1995	
	Year	Megawatt(mw)	1
Unit	Completed	Capacity	Fuel
Existing Units			
Base LoadWolf Creek	1985	548(a)	Nuclear
Iatan	1980	469(a)	Coal
LaCygne 2	1977	331(a)	Coal
LaCygne 1	1973	341(a)	Coal
Hawthorn 5	1969	457	Coal/Gas
Montrose 3	1964	161	Coal
Montrose 2	1960	152	Coal
Montrose 1	1958	150	Coal
Peak LoadNortheast 13 and 14(b)	1976	112	0il
Northeast 17 and 18(b)	1977	108	0il
Northeast 15 and 16(b)	1975	111	0il
Northeast 11 and 12(b)	1972	99	0il
Grand Avenue (two units)	1929 & 1948	64	Gas

<sup>(</sup>a) Company's share of jointly-owned unit.

KCPL owns the Hawthorn (Jackson County, Missouri), Montrose (Henry County, Missouri), and Northeast (Jackson County, Missouri) generating stations; 50% of LaCygne 1 and LaCygne 2 Units (Linn County, Kansas); 70% of the Iatan Unit (Platte County, Missouri); and 47% of the Wolf Creek Station (Coffey County, Kansas). KCPL also owns two Grand Avenue turbine-generators (Jackson County, Missouri).

KCPL owns transmission and distribution facilities used in the sale of electric energy to customers through its service territory. Its transmission system is interconnected with systems of other utilities to permit direct interchange transactions with other power suppliers in Kansas, Missouri, Iowa, Nebraska and Minnesota. KCPL is a member of the MOKAN Power Pool, which is a contractual arrangement among eleven utilities in Western Missouri and Kansas which interchange energy, share reserve capacity and provide emergency and standby services to each other.

KCPL owns approximately 1,700 overhead pole miles of transmission lines and approximately 8,900 overhead pole miles and 2,900 underground trench miles of distribution lines. Approximately 800 overhead pole miles of such transmission lines, 4,200 pole miles of overhead distribution lines and 1,500 trench miles of underground distribution lines are located in the State of Kansas. KCPL has all franchises necessary to operate within the territory from which substantially all of its gross operating revenue is derived.

Subsidiaries:

None of the subsidiaries own the type of property required by Item 2. 3. (a)-(d)

### Claimant:

Electric Energy Sold During 1994

	Missouri	Kansas	Total
	(Mwh)	(Mwh)	(Mwh)
Retail	7,581,352	3,978,628	11,559,980
Wholesale	34,312	53,022	87,334

During 1994, KCPL purchased 524,690 Mwh of electric energy from outside the State of Missouri, and had bulk power sales of 1,038,524 Mwh outside the State of Missouri.

#### Subsidiaries:

None of the subsidiaries has sales or purchases of electric energy.

4. (a)-(e)

None.

<sup>(</sup>b) Combustion turbines.

#### SIGNATURE

The above-named claimant has caused this statement to be duly executed on its behalf by its authorized officer on this 27th day of February, 1995.

KANSAS CITY POWER & LIGHT COMPANY (Name of claimant)

\s\Jeanie Sell Latz Jeanie Sell Latz Vice President-Law

Corporate Seal

Attest:

\s\Mark C. Sholander Assistant Corporate Secretary

> Jeanie Sell Latz Vice President Kansas City Power & Light Company 1201 Walnut Kansas City, Missouri 64106

Attached is a copy of the 1994 Consolidated Statements of Income, Consolidated Balance Sheets, and Consolidated Statements of Retained Earnings for KCPL and its subsidiaries with WCNOC, WYMO Fuels. Inc., and KLT Inc., handled as follows:

- Fuels, Inc., and KLT Inc. handled as follows:

  1) WCNOC is the operating agent for Wolf Creek and is owned 47% by KCPL. KCPL's \$47 investment in WCNOC is carried in Investments and Non-utility Property on the consolidated balance sheet. All of Wolf Creek assets are owned by KCPL, KG&E and KEPCO ("Owners"). Since WCNOC is operating solely as an agent of the Owners, KCPL classifies, in its consolidated financial statements, the payables, expenses and receipts (if any) incurred by WCNOC as if such items had been incurred by KCPL. WCNOC has no revenue or income. Payment for expenses is made from checking accounts owned and funded by the Owners.
- 2) WYMO Fuels, Inc. is an inactive corporation. KCPL's Balance Sheet Account Investments and Non-utility Property includes \$792,511 representing the remaining investment in WYMO Fuels, Inc. Such investment represents the tax benefits applicable to the cost of fixed assets written off for book purposes but not for tax purposes. This investment is carried on an equity basis and is considered immaterial for consolidation purposes when compared to KCPL's \$2.8 billion balance sheet.
- 3) KLT Inc. is included in the financial statements on a consolidated basis. KLT Inc.'s revenues and expenses are classified under Other Income and Deductions and Interest Charges in the Consolidated Statements of Income because it is not an electric utility. KLT Inc.'s assets and results of operations represent less than 5% of consolidated assets and net income. Because neither KLT Inc. nor any of its subsidiaries generate, transmit or distribute energy, consolidating financial statements are not included.

## KANSAS CITY POWER & LIGHT COMPANY CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME

	1994 (T	1993 housands)	1992
ELECTRIC OPERATING REVENUES	\$868,272	\$857,450	\$802,668
OPERATING EXPENSES			
Operation	105 100	400 447	400 000
Fuel	135,106	130,117	130,032
Purchased power	33,929	31,403	21,868
Other	202,304	184,633	175,937
Maintenance	72,468	78,550	81,163
Depreciation	94,361	91,110	88,768
Taxes	70.040	60 500	F4 CO4
Income	70,949	69,502	51,691
General	96,362	95,659	92,461
Amortization of:	0	7 070	7 070
MPSC rate phase-in plan	0	7,072	7,072
Deferred Wolf Creek costs	13,102	13,102	13,102
Total	718,581	701,148	662,094
OPERATING INCOME	149,691	156,302	140,574
OTHER INCOME AND DEDUCTIONS			
Allowance for equity funds			
used during construction	2,087	2,846	1,073
Miscellaneous	(4,159)	(2,486)	2,595
Income taxes	4,572	1,549	(505)
Total	2,500	1,909	3,163
INCOME BEFORE INTEREST CHARGES	152,191	158,211	143,737
INTEREST CHARGES			
Long-term debt	43,962	50,118	54,266
Short-term notes	1,170	750	2,749
Miscellaneous	4,128	4,113	2,173
Allowance for borrowed funds			

Year Ended December 31

used during construction Total	(1,844) 47,416	(2,542) 52,439	(1,785) 57,403
YEARLY RESULTS			
Net income Preferred stock	104,775	105,772	86,334
dividend requirements Earnings available for	3,457	3,153	3,062
common stock	101,318	102,619	83,272
Average number of common			
shares outstanding	61,903,437	61,908,726	61,908,726
Earnings per common share	\$1.64	\$1.66	\$1.35
Cash dividends per			
common share	\$1.50	\$1.46	\$1.43

The accompanying Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements are an integral part of these statements.

	December 31 1994	December 31 1993
ASSETS	(Thousa	
UTILITY PLANT, at original cost Electric Less-Accumulated depreciation Net utility plant in service Construction work in progress Nuclear fuel, net of amortization of \$66,773,000 and \$76,722,000 Total	\$3,330,478 1,092,436 2,238,042 57,294 40,806 2,336,142	\$3,240,384 1,019,714 2,220,670 67,766 29,862 2,318,298
REGULATORY ASSET - DEFERRED WOLF CREEK COSTS	18,752	29,118
REGULATORY ASSET - RECOVERABLE TAXES	120,000	122,000
INVESTMENTS AND NONUTILITY PROPERTY	98,429	28,454
CURRENT ASSETS Cash and cash equivalents Special deposits Receivables Customer accounts receivable Other receivables Fuel inventories, at average cost Materials and supplies, at average cost Prepayments Deferred income taxes Total	20,217 0 24,513 22,604 16,570 44,953 5,138 1,444 135,439	1,539 60,118 29,320 19,340 14,550 44,157 4,686 3,648 177,358
DEFERRED CHARGES Regulatory Assets Settlement of fuel contracts KCC Wolf Creek carrying costs Other Other deferred charges Total	16,625 6,839 27,909 10,262 61,635	20,634 9,575 31,899 17,732 79,840
Total	\$2,770,397	\$2,755,068

## LIABILITIES

CAPITALIZATION  Common stock-authorized 150,000,000 shares without par value-61,908,726 shares issued - stated value Retained earnings Capital stock premium and expense Common stock equity Cumulative preferred stock Cumulative redeemable preferred stock Long-term debt Total	\$449,697 426,738 (1,736) 874,699 89,000 1,596 798,470 1,763,765	\$449,697 418,201 (1,747) 866,151 89,000 1,756 733,664 1,690,571
CURRENT LIABILITIES Notes payable to banks Commercial paper Current maturities of long-term debt Accounts payable Dividends payable Accrued taxes Accrued interest Accrued payroll and vacations Accrued refueling outage costs Other Total	1,000 31,000 33,419 73,486 423 24,684 12,209 19,594 2,120 7,221 205,156	4,000 25,000 134,488 59,421 423 27,800 15,575 20,127 7,262 8,531 302,627
DEFERRED CREDITS AND OTHER LIABILITIES Deferred income taxes Deferred investment tax credits Other Total  COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES	644,139 82,840 74,497 801,476	627,819 87,185 46,866 761,870
Total	\$2,770,397	\$2,755,068

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	1994	Ended Decembe 1993 (thousands)	r 31 1992
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES Net income Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating	\$104,775	\$105,772	\$86,334
activities: Depreciation Amortization of:	94,361	91,110	88,768
Nuclear fuel Deferred Wolf Creek costs	10,136 13,102		9,583 13,102
MPSC rate phase-in plan Other Deferred income taxes (net)	0 9,608 20,524	7,072 8,234 25,502	7,072 5,921 23,979
Deferred investment tax credits (net) Allowance for equity funds used	(4,345)	(4,345)	(4,521)
during construction Cash flows affected by changes in: Receivables	(2,087) 1,543	(2,846) (10,245)	(1,073) 2,848
Fuel inventories Materials and supplies	(2,020) (796)	6,075 1,106	(859) 654
Accounts payable Accrued taxes Accrued interest	14,065 (3,116) (3,366)	7,936	4,838 2,404 488
Wolf Creek refueling outage accrual Pension and postretirement benefit	(5,142)		12,600
obligations Other operating activities	32,203 (2,860)	1,905 4,514	(2,753) 4,352
Net cash provided by operating activites	276,585	243,144	253,737
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES Construction expenditures Allowance for borrowed funds used	(124,965)	(129,199)	(129,559)
during construction Purchases of investments Other investing activities	(1,844) (67,560) 5,624	(7,351)	(1,785) (2,396) (2,193)
Net cash used in investing activities	(188,745)		
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES Issuance of long-term debt	133,793 0	324,846 0	134,750
Issuance of preferred stock Retirement of long-term debt Retirement of preferred stock Special deposit for the	(170,170) 0	(271,480) 0	50,000 (143,230) (13,000)
retirement of debt Premium on reacquired stock and	60,118	(60,118)	0
long-term debt Increase (decrease) in short-term borrowings	0 3,000	(4,077) (4,000)	(2,321) (53,000)
Dividends paid Other financing activities Net cash used in financing	(96, 238) 335	(93,556) (1,913)	(91,277) 274
activities	(69,162)	(110,298)	(117,804)
NET INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	18,678	1,411	0
AT BEGINNING OF YEAR CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	1,539	128 \$1 530	128 \$128
AT END OF YEAR  CASH PAID DURING THE YEAR FOR:	\$20,217	\$1,539	Φ170
Interest, net of amount capitalized Income taxes	\$48,246 \$53,720	\$47,361 \$40,141	\$55,223 \$32,995

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## CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF PREFERRED STOCK AND LONG-TERM DEBT

	Decembe	r 31
	1994	1993
CUMULATIVE PREFERRED STOCK \$100 Par	(thousan	ds)
3.80% - 100,000 shares issued	\$10,000	\$10,000
4.50% - 100,000 shares issued	10,000	10,000
4.20% - 70,000 shares issued	7,000	7,000
4.35% - 120,000 shares issued No Par	12,000	12,000
4.80%* - 500,000 shares issued	50,000	50,000
Total	\$89,000	\$89,000
CUMULATIVE REDEEMABLE PREFERRED STOCK \$100 Par		
4.00% - 15,957 and 17,557 shares issued	\$1,596	\$1,756
LONG-TERM DEBT (EXCLUDING CURRENT MATURITIES)		
First Mortgage Bonds	40	404 040
5.875% series due 2007	\$0	\$21,940
General Mortgage Bonds Medium-Term Notes due 1996-2008, 6.82% and		
6.78% weighted average rate at December 31	395,500	378,750
5.25%* Environmental Improvement Revenue	450 500	100 010
Refunding Bonds due 2012-23 Guaranty of Pollution Control Bonds	158,768	122,846
5.75% series due 2003	0	13,742
4.31%* due 2015-17	196,500	196,500
Subsidiary Obligations Notes due 2000-04, 8.38% weighted average		
rate at December 31	47,702	0
Unamortized Discount	97,702	(114)
Total	\$798,470	,
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<sup>\*</sup> Variable rate securities, weighted average rate as of December 31, 1994

### CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF RETAINED EARNINGS

	Year Er	nded December	31
	1994	1993	1992
	(	(thousands)	
Beginning Balance	\$418,201	\$405,985	\$411,161
Net Income	104,775	105,772	86,334
	522,976	511,757	497,495
Premium on Reacquired Preferred Stock Dividends Declared:	0	0	233
Preferred Stock, at required rates Common Stock - \$1.50, \$1.46 and \$1.43	3,384	3,169	2,747
per share	92,854	90,387	88,530
Ending Balance	\$426,738	\$418,201	\$405,985

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[PERIOD-TYPE]	YEAR
[FISCAL-YEAR-END]	DEC-31-1994
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[BOOK-VALUE]	PER-BOOK
[TOTAL-ASSETS]	2,770,397
[TOTAL-OPERATING-REVENUES]	868,272
[NET-INCOME]	104,775

Not applicable.