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## Via Federal Express

Ms. Erika Durr  
Clerk of the Board  
Environmental Appeals Board  
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency  
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Washington, D.C. 20005

Re: Prairie State Generating Station  
Permit Number 189808AAB  
PSD Permit Appeal No. PSD 05-05

Dear Ms. Durr:

Enclosed for filing is one original and three copies of Response of Intervenor Prairie State Generating Company, LLC to Motion of Public Power Participants for Leave to File a Brief as *Amici Curiae*.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter. If you have any questions, please feel free to call me.

Sincerely,



Kevin J. Finto

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BEFORE THE ENVIRONMENTAL APPEALS BOARD  
UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY  
WASHINGTON, D.C.

IN THE MATTER OF: )  
PRAIRIE STATE )  
GENERATING STATION ) APPEAL NUMBER: PSD 05-05  
APPLICATION NUMBER: 01100065 )  
PSD PERMIT NUMBER: 189808AAB )

**RESPONSE OF INTERVENOR PRAIRIE STATE  
GENERATING CO., LLC, TO MOTION OF PUBLIC POWER  
PARTICIPANTS FOR LEAVE TO FILE A BRIEF AS *AMICI CURIAE***

Intervenor Prairie State Generating Co., LLC ("PSGC"), by counsel, responds as follows to the Motion for Leave to File a Brief as *Amici Curiae* by the Indiana Municipal Power Agency, the Missouri Joint Municipal Electric Utility Commission, the Northern Illinois Municipal Power Agency, Soyland Power Cooperative, Inc., Wolverine Power Supply Cooperative, Inc., and the Kentucky Municipal Power Agency (the "Public Power Participants").

PSGC supports the Public Power Participants' Motion. PGSC also concurs with the position of the Public Power Participants, as expressed in their proposed *amici curiae* brief, regarding an expeditious resolution of this proceeding.

Respectfully submitted,



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Dated this 3rd day of August, 2005.

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on the 3rd day of August, 2005, copies of the foregoing **RESPONSE OF INTERVENOR PRAIRIE STATE GENERATING CO., LLC, TO MOTION OF PUBLIC POWER PARTICIPANTS FOR LEAVE TO FILE A BRIEF AS AMICI CURIAE** were served by first class mail, postage prepaid to:

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