

SCHEDULE 14A INFORMATION
PROXY STATEMENT PURSUANT TO SECTION 14(a) OF THE
SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

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KANSAS CITY POWER & LIGHT COMPANY
(NAME OF REGISTRANT AS SPECIFIED IN ITS CHARTER)

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LARGE TURNOUT EXPECTED
FOR KCPL/UCU SHAREHOLDER MEETING

Kansas City, MO, April 28, 1996 --More than 1,000 area
shareholders of both Kansas City Power & Light Company and
UtiliCorp United are expected to attend a special meeting in
Kansas City at 9:00 a.m. on Monday, April 29, to hear CEOs Drue
Jennings and RickGreen detail the benefits of the proposed

merger of the two companies.

This meeting is not open to the public, however, reporters are welcome to attend and cover the meeting in the Count Basie Ballroom in the Downtown Kansas City Marriott Hotel. There will be an opportunity for media interviews immediately following the session at approximately 10:45 a.m.

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