IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE EIGHTH CIRCUIT

SOUTHWESTERN ELECTRIC POWER COMPANY and UTILITY WATER ACT GROUP,	)	
Petitioners,	)	
v.	)	**No. 24-2123**
	)	**(and consolidated cases)**
UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY and MICHAEL S. REGAN, Administrator, United States Environmental Protection Agency,	)	
Respondents,	)	
CLEAN WATER ACTION, SIERRA CLUB, WATERKEEPER ALLIANCE, INC., NATURAL RESOURCES DEFENSE COUNCIL, ENVIRONMENTAL INTEGRITY PROJECT, PENNENVIRONMENT, INC. AND PRAIRIE RIVERS NETWORK	)	
Intervenors.	)	

PETITIONERS' UNOPPOSED MOTION TO EXTEND DEADLINE FOR OPENING BRIEFS

Petitioners in consolidated cases 24-2123, 24-2215, 24-2225, and 24-2494 respectfully request that the deadline for all Petitioners in these consolidated cases to submit opening briefs be extended from October 29, 2024 to November 7, 2024.

Counsel for Moving Petitioners have conferred with counsel for all parties in these consolidated cases, and no party opposes this motion.

In support, Moving Petitioners represent that the short extension of the opening brief deadline is necessary in light of workload congestion over the next several weeks that was not anticipated when the parties agreed to the original briefing schedule.

In the joint motion submitted by the Federal Respondents and Petitioner in Case No. 24-3009 to modify the Briefing Order in light of the newly filed Petition in No. 24-3009, EPA represented that it does not oppose the requested relief. *See* Entry No. 5447402 ¶ 13. Because that submission did not indicate the position of other parties, Moving Petitioners submit this motion to confirm that no party opposes the requested relief.

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