

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI**

In the Matter of the Application of)	
JERRY WEST and SHARON WEST)	
to Change the Electrical Supplier for)	Case No. EO-2009-0272
Part of their Property)	

**MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND REQUEST TO SET AN EVIDENTIARY
HEARING DATE**

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (Staff), by and through counsel, and for its *Motion for Extension of Time and Request to Set an Evidentiary Hearing Date* states as follows:

1. On November 14, 2008, Jerry and Sharon West (“Applicants”) filed a *Formal Complaint* with the Commission seeking approval to allow Cuivre River Electric Cooperative (“CREC”) to be the permanent electric service provider to their property.

2. On December 19, 2008 Union Electric Company d/b/a AmerenUE (AmerenUE) filed an *Answer* to the *Complaint*.

3. On May 4, 2009, AmerenUE, CREC, Applicants and Staff attended a prehearing conference.

4. On May 6, 2009 the Commission ordered the parties to file a report identifying any remaining issues. The Commission also ordered that the parties file a list of their conflict dates during the month of June.

5. On May 19, 2009, Attorney Jeffrey Wagener filed an *Entry of Appearance* on behalf of the Applicants.

6. On May 19, 2009 WIK, L.L.C filed a *Motion to Intervene* asserting it is the owner of a portion of the property that is the subject of the *Complaint*.

7. Due to conflicts in parties' schedules and a new party intervening, AmerenUE, CREC, Applicants, WIK and Staff have all agreed that an extension is necessary to ensure that an accurate list of issues is identified for the Commission. Additionally, parties are working together to finalize an agreed upon Stipulation of Facts. Therefore, on behalf of all the parties, Staff is requesting the Commission for an extension until Friday May 30, 2009 to file a report identifying remaining issues.

8. AmerenUE, CREC, Applicants, WIK and Staff have conferred and agreed upon proposing the Commission to hold an evidentiary hearing in this case on Monday June 15, 2009 from 10:00 am – 5:00 pm to accommodate travel to Jefferson City.

WHEREFORE, Staff respectfully requests an extension of time until May 30, 2009 for filing of the Status Report. Additionally, Staff, on behalf of all parties, respectfully requests that the Commission schedule the Evidentiary Hearing for Monday, June 15, 2009 commencing at 10:00 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed, hand-delivered, transmitted by facsimile or electronically mailed to all counsel of record this 20th day of May, 2009.

/s/ Jaime N. Ott