

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Tariffs of Aquila, Inc., d/b/a)
Aquila Networks – MPS and Aquila Networks – L&P)
Increasing Electric Rates for the Services Provided)
to Customers in the Aquila Networks-MPS and)
Aquila Networks – L&P Service Areas)

Case No. ER-2007-0004

Tariff No. YE-2007-0001

ORDER GRANTING APPLICATIONS TO INTERVENE

Issue Date: August 2, 2006

Effective Date: August 2, 2006

On July 3, 2006, Aquila, Inc., submitted proposed tariff sheets designed to implement a general rate increase for retail electric service provided by Aquila to customers in its Aquila Networks – MPS and Aquila Networks – L&P service areas. The Commission issued notice of that filing on July 5, and established July 25 as the deadline for submission of requests to intervene. Union Electric Company, d/b/a AmerenUE, and the Missouri Department of Natural Resources filed separate applications to intervene on July 19. More than ten days have passed since these applications to intervene were filed and no party has objected to them.

The Commission finds that each of these applicants has an interest that is different than that of the general public and that its interest may be adversely affected by a final order arising from this case. Furthermore, the Commission finds that allowing these applicants to intervene will serve the public interest. Therefore, in accordance with 4 CSR 240-2.075(4), the Commission will grant the applications to intervene.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. Union Electric Company, d/b/a AmerenUE's Application to Intervene is granted.
2. The Missouri Department of Natural Resources' Application to Intervene is granted.
3. This order shall become effective on August 2, 2006.

BY THE COMMISSION



Colleen M. Dale
Secretary

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Morris L. Woodruff, Deputy Chief Regulatory
Law Judge, by delegation of authority
pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 2nd day of August, 2006.