

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

In the Matter of Union Electric Company)
d/b/a Ameren Missouri’s Tariffs to Adjust)
its Revenues for Natural Gas Service) **Case No. GR-2021-0241**

STAFF RECOMMENDATION TO APPROVE TARIFFS

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (“Staff”), by and through the undersigned counsel, and files its *Staff Recommendation to Approve Tariff Sheets* and states as follows:

1. On January 28, 2022, Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri (“Ameren Missouri”) filed tariffs in Tariff Tracking No. YG-2022-0215 that Ameren Missouri stated in its accompanying tariff filing letter were intended to reflect the Commission’s *Order Approving Stipulations and Agreements* issued on December 22, 2021.

2. Ameren Missouri substituted tariff sheets on February 2, 2022, and on that same day, withdrew tariff sheets, in Tariff Tracking No. YG-2022-0215. Ameren Missouri further substituted a tariff sheet in Tariff Tracking No. YG-2022-0215 on February 8, 2022.

3. As noted in the attached Staff Memorandum, and incorporated herein, Staff has reviewed the tariff sheets filed in Tariff Tracking No. YG-2022-0215, and as substituted on February 2, 2022 and February 8, 2022, and recommends the Commission approve them or allow them to go into effect for service on and after February 28, 2022.

WHEREFORE, for the reasons stated above and in Staff’s attached Memorandum, Staff recommends the Commission either issue an order approving the tariff sheets filed in this matter, and as substituted on February 2, 2022 and February 8, 2022, in Tariff

Tracking No. YG-2022-0215 or allow the same tariff sheets to go into effect by operation of law for service on and after February 28, 2022.

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 parties and/or their counsel of record this 10th day of February, 2022.

/s/ Jamie S. Myers

MEMORANDUM

TO: Missouri Public Service Commission Official Case File
File No. GR-2021-0241, Tariff Tracking No. YG-2022-0215
Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri

FROM: Michelle A. Bocklage, Sr. Research/Data Analyst, Tariff/Rate Design Department

<u>/s/ Michelle Bocklage</u>	<u>2/10/2022</u>	<u>/s/ Jamie S. Myers</u>	<u>2/10/2022</u>
Tariff/Rate Design	/ Date	Staff Counsel Division	/ Date

SUBJECT: Staff Recommendation to **Approve** the Tariff Sheets Filed by Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri to Implement a General Rate Increase for Natural Gas Service Provided in the Company's Missouri Service Areas to go into effect on February 28, 2022.

DATE: February 10, 2022

On March 31, 2021, Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri (“Ameren Missouri” or “Company”) filed tariff sheets to adjust its retail rates and other tariff provisions with an effective date of February 28, 2022. The Commission suspended those tariff sheets, filed under Tariff Tracking No. YG-2021-0176, on April 7, 2021 until February 28, 2022. On February 2, 2022, Ameren Missouri filed to withdraw tariff Sheet Nos. 31.1 and 31.2 and also filed a substitute to tariff Sheet No. 32 to correct definitions of the Weather Normalization Adjustment Rider (WNAR). Ameren Missouri also filed substitute tariff Sheet No. 16 to correct a formatting error.

Parties to the case filed a *Stipulation and Agreement Regarding MSBA Issues and Unanimous Stipulation and Agreement* on December 3, 2021.

On December 22, 2021, the Commission issued its *Order Approving Stipulations and Agreements*. On January 19, 2021, the Commission issued its *Order Rejecting Tariff and Directing Filings* which, among other provisions, rejected the tariff sheets filed under Tariff Tracking No. YG-2021-0176.

Ameren Missouri filed tariff sheets in Tariff Tracking No. YG-2022-0215 on January 28, 2022, substitute tariff sheets on February 2, 2022, withdrawal of tariff sheets on February 2, 2022, and additional substitutes of tariff sheets on February 8, 2022. On January 31, 2022, the Commission issued its *Order Directing Staff to File Recommendation and Establishing Time for Any Other Party to File a Recommendation* in which it directed Staff to file its recommendation no later than February 10, 2022.

APPENDIX A

MO PSC File No. GR-2021-0241,
 Tariff Tracking No. YG-2022-0215
 Official Case File Memorandum
 February 10, 2022
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Staff Recommendation

Staff has reviewed the following tariff sheets filed and substituted in Tariff Tracking No. YG-2022-0215 and recommends approval of the following tariff sheets, to go into effect for service on and after February 28, 2022, the requested effective date:

<u>Filed- P.S.C. Mo. No. 2</u>	<u>Cancelling- P.S.C. Mo. No. 2</u>
9th Revised Sheet No. 5	8th Revised Sheet No. 5
2nd Revised Sheet No. 5.1	1st Revised Sheet No. 5.1
8th Revised Sheet No. 6	7th Revised Sheet No. 6
8th Revised Sheet No. 7	7th Revised Sheet No. 7
5th Revised Sheet No. 9	4th Revised Sheet No. 9
11th Revised Sheet No. 10	10th Revised Sheet No. 10
10th Revised Sheet No. 12	9th Revised Sheet No. 12
9th Revised Sheet No. 16	8th Revised Sheet No. 16
5th Revised Sheet No. 16.1	4th Revised Sheet No. 16.1
3rd Revised Sheet No. 16.2	2nd Revised Sheet No. 16.2
4th Revised Sheet No. 19	3rd Revised Sheet No. 19
4th Revised Sheet No. 20	3rd Revised Sheet No. 20
3rd Revised Sheet No. 20.1	2nd Revised Sheet No. 20.1
108th Revised Sheet No. 31	107th Revised Sheet No. 31
1st Revised Sheet No. 31.1	Original Sheet No. 31.1
1st Revised Sheet No. 31.2	Original Sheet No. 31.2
102nd Revised Sheet No. 32	101st Revised Sheet No. 32
Original Sheet No. 32.1	—
Original Sheet No. 32.2	
8th Revised Sheet No. 37	7th Revised Sheet No. 37
9th Revised Sheet No. 38	8th Revised Sheet No. 38
Original Sheet No. 55.2	
4th Revised Sheet No. 56	3rd Revised Sheet No. 56
3rd Revised Sheet No. 58.1	2nd Revised Sheet No. 58.1
4th Revised Sheet No. 60	3rd Revised Sheet No. 60
1st Revised Sheet No. 71	Original Sheet No. 71
4th Revised Sheet No. 72	3rd Revised Sheet No. 72
4th Revised Sheet No. 73	3rd Revised Sheet No. 73
4th Revised Sheet No. 74	3rd Revised Sheet No. 74
2nd Revised Sheet No. 74.1	1st Revised Sheet No. 74.1
2nd Revised Sheet No. 74.2	1st Revised Sheet No. 74.2
2nd Revised Sheet No. 74.3	1st Revised Sheet No. 74.3
1st Revised Sheet No. 74.4	Original Sheet No. 74.4

3rd Revised Sheet No. 75	2nd Revised Sheet No. 75
3rd Revised Sheet No. 76	2nd Revised Sheet No. 76
Original Sheet No. 76.1	
Original Sheet No. 76.2	–
Original Sheet No. 76.3	–
Original Sheet No. 76.4	–
Original Sheet No. 76.5	–
15th Revised Sheet No. 78	14th Revised Sheet No. 78
13th Revised Sheet No. 79	12th Revised Sheet No. 79
13th Revised Sheet No. 80	12th Revised Sheet No. 80
14th Revised Sheet No. 81	13th Revised Sheet No. 81
6th Revised Sheet No. 81.1	5th Revised Sheet No. 81.1
4th Revised Sheet No. 81.2	3rd Revised Sheet No. 81.2
12th Revised Sheet No. 82	11th Revised Sheet No. 82
10th Revised Sheet No. 83	9th Revised Sheet No. 83
6th Revised Sheet No. 84	5th Revised Sheet No. 84
1st Revised Sheet No. 84.1	Original Sheet No. 84.1

Staff has verified that Ameren Missouri is not delinquent on any assessment and has filed its Annual Report. Staff is not aware of any other matter pending before the Commission that affects or is affected by this tariff filing.

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AFFIDAVIT OF MICHELLE A. BOCKLAGE

STATE OF MISSOURI)
) ss.
COUNTY OF COLE)

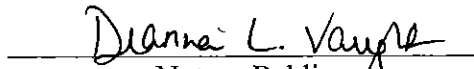
COMES NOW MICHELLE A. BOCKLAGE and on her oath declares that she is of sound mind and lawful age; that she contributed to the foregoing *Staff Recommendation in memorandum form*; and that the same is true and correct according to her best knowledge and belief.

Further the Affiant sayeth not.


MICHELLE A. BOCKLAGE

JURAT

Subscribed and sworn before me, a duly constituted and authorized Notary Public, in and for the County of Cole, State of Missouri, at my office in Jefferson City, on this 9th day of February, 2022.


Notary Public

DIANNA L. VAUGHT
Notary Public - Notary Seal
State of Missouri
Commissioned for Cole County
My Commission Expires: July 18, 2023
Commission Number: 15207377