

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

In the matter of Union Electric)	
Company's d/b/a AmerenUE Purchased)	
Gas Adjustment Factors to be Audited)	Case No. GR-2008-0366
in its 2007-2008 Actual Cost)	
Adjustment.)	

**STAFF'S STATUS REPORT CONCERNING A
PETITION FILED IN COLE COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT**

COMES NOW the Staff of the Commission in the above-captioned matter and, pursuant to the Commission's August 16, 2010 *Order Directing Filing of Status Reports*, submits its Status Report concerning AmerenUE's (n/k/a Ameren Missouri) 2007-2008 Actual Cost Adjustment (ACA) filing. Staff continues to recommend the Commission leave this case open as Ameren Missouri pursues recovery of overpayments made to Missouri Pipeline Company (MPC) and Missouri Gas Company (MGC) (n/k/a MoGas) for transportation of natural gas during this ACA period. In support of this recommendation, Staff states:

1. In its recommendation in this case, Staff suggested this case remain open pending resolution of a Circuit Court case in which Ameren Missouri is pursuing refunds of overpayments made to MPC and MGC (n/k/a MoGas Pipeline) for transportation of natural gas.

2. The ACA period, reviewed in Staff's Purchased Gas Adjustment (PGA) recommendation, includes charges for gas transportation costs which are higher than the maximum rate. The Commission issued its Order concerning the maximum transportation rates in its October 11, 2007 *Revised Report and Order* in Case No. GC-2006-0491.

3. Staff recommends this case remain open as Ameren Missouri pursues a refund of overcharges paid to MPC and MGC.

4. Staff will continue to monitor the status of this case, 09AC-CC00398, through the Missouri Courts Case.net system and, as necessary, will make further ACA/PGA recommendations in this or other cases regarding MPC/MGC overcharges. Staff notes Case.net shows a docket entry that a Motion Hearing is Scheduled for August 9.

5. Staff will continue to file status reports until otherwise ordered by the Commission.

WHEREFORE, Staff recommends the Commission order this case remain open so that Staff can monitor Ameren Missouri's lawsuit in Circuit Court and make further recommendations as necessary.

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 5th day of September, 2012.

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