## BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of Union Electric Company	)	
d/b/a Ameren Missouri's Tariffs to	)	File No. GR-2021-0241
Increase Its Annual Revenues for	)	
Gas Service.	)	

## NOTICE THAT APPROVED RATE INCREASE WILL NOT EXCEED 7% THRESHOLD IN SECTION 393.275, RSMo.

COMES NOW Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri ("Company" or "Ameren Missouri"), by and through counsel, provides this *Notice that the Approved Rate Increase Will Not Exceed the 7% Threshold in Section 393.275, RSMo.*, and states as follows:

- 1. On December 3, 2021, the parties to the above-captioned matter filed two stipulations and agreements that together resolved all pending issues. In the first stipulation and agreement, the parties agreed for Ameren Missouri to be authorized to increase its annual gas revenues by \$5.0 million, exclusive of any applicable license, occupation, franchise, gross receipts taxes, or similar fees or taxes.<sup>1</sup>
- 2. By order effective January 4, 2022, the Commission approved the two stipulations and agreements.
- 3. Section 393.275, RSMo. (2016), requires the Commission to notify the governing body of each city and county that imposes a business license tax or similar tax of approved utility rate increases that exceed 7%.
- 4. Via order issued January 19, 2022, the Commission directed Ameren Missouri to "file a pleading indicating whether the approved \$5.0 million rate increase will exceed the seven

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> File No. GR-2021-0241, Unanimous Stipulation and Agreement, filed December 3, 2021, at para. 3.

percent threshold established in Section 393.275, RSMo 2016."<sup>2</sup>

5. Ameren Missouri hereby responds to the Commission's Order and confirms that the approved \$5.0 million annual revenue increase equates to a rate increase that will **not** exceed the 7.0%. threshold established in Section 393.275, RSMo.

6. Accordingly, no information required by Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-10.060 is necessary to be provided to the Commission.

WHEREFORE, Ameren Missouri respectfully requests that the Commission accept this Notice, and for any other relief the Commission deems appropriate.

Respectfully submitted,

UNION ELECTRIC COMPANY D/B/A AMEREN MISSOURI

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> File No. GR-2021-0241, Order Rejecting Tariff and Directing Filings, issued January 19, 2022, effective January 29, 2022, at ordering para. 2.

## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned certifies that a true and correct copy of the foregoing document was sent by electronic transmission, facsimile, or email to counsel for parties in this case on this 31st day of January, 2022.

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