

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

In the Matter of Ameren Missouri's Request for a)
Waiver from Tariff Sheets 146 through 150.) EE-2022-0329

AMEREN MISSOURI'S RESPONSE TO ORDER DIRECTING RESPONSES

COMES NOW, Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri (Ameren Missouri or Company), and for its response to the Commission's July 11, 2022 *Order Directing Responses* states as follows:

1. On May 27, 2022, Ameren Missouri sought a waiver of its existing Emergency Energy Conservation Plan, which is reflected in tariff sheets originally adopted in the 1970s, the focus of which was primarily on coal inventory levels but that did not account for significant changes in the electric industry, including Regional Transmission Organization operations. The Commission approved the waiver through July 23, 2022

2. On June 9, 2022, Ameren Missouri filed a new Emergency Energy Conservation Plan, reflected in the tariff sheets pending in this docket, which bore an effective date of July 9, 2022. The new Plan was updated to reflect current Company and market operations. The Commission ordered the Staff to file a recommendation regarding the tariff sheets by June 21, 2022. At Staff's request, Ameren Missouri extended the effective date of the tariff sheets to August 9, 2022 to give Staff additional time for its review. The Commission then extended the deadline for Staff's recommendation to July 21, 2022.

3. At Staff's request, only July 8, 2022 the Company made one change to the tariff sheets it submitted on June 9 by filing a substitute tariff sheet reflecting the requested change.

4. On July 11, 2022, the Staff filed its recommendation to approve the pending tariff sheets, including the substituted sheet. The Commission ordered Ameren Missouri and the Office of the Public Counsel to respond by 3:00 p.m. July 14, 2022 regarding whether they agreed that the Commission should order the tariff sheets to take effect without further responses from the parties.

5. By this Response, the Company confirms that it agrees with the Staff's recommendation that the pending tariff sheets should become effective on July 24, 2022.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I do hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing document has been hand-delivered, transmitted by e-mail or mailed, First Class, postage prepaid, this 12th day of July, 2022, to Staff and the Office of the Public Counsel.

/s/James B. Lowery