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

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In the Matter of Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri's Tariff Filing to Implement Changes to the Energy Efficient Natural Gas Equipment and Building Shell Measure Rebate Program.

<u>File No. GT-2011-0130</u> Tariff No. JG-2011-0293

## JOINT MOTION TO SUSPEND PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

**COMES NOW** the Office of the Public Counsel ("OPC"), and on behalf of itself, Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri, the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Staff"), and the Missouri Department of Natural Resources (collectively referred to hereinafter as "the Parties"), requests that the Missouri Public Service Commission ("the Commission") suspend the procedural schedule. In support of this motion, Staff states as follows:

1. The Parties have reached an agreement in principle as to a unanimous global settlement of Case No. GR-2010-0363. The Parties hope to have this agreement memorialized in a formal stipulation filed with the Commission in the very near future. Such an agreement will likely render moot the issues raised in this case.

2. A list of the issues to be heard, the witnesses to appear at the hearing, the order in which they will be called, and the order of party cross-examination for each witness, and each party's position statement are due to be filed today, December 28, 2010. Suspending this filing deadline, and canceling the evidentiary hearing now scheduled for December 30, 2010, will permit the Parties to concentrate fully on memorializing and filing a formal stipulation in GR-2010-0363.

WHEREFORE, OPC, on behalf of the Parties, requests that the procedural schedule, including evidentiary hearing, be suspended.

Respectfully submitted,

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