

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

<b>Application of Union Electric Co.</b>	)	
<b>for Authority to Participate in the</b>	)	
<b>Midwest ISO Through a Contractual</b>	)	<b>Case No.: EO-2003-0271</b>
<b>Relationship with GridAmerica</b>	)	

**RESPONSE OF MIDWEST ISO TO UNION ELECTRIC CO.'S  
UNOPPOSED MOTION TO SCHEDULE ON-THE-RECORD PRESENTATION**

Intervenor Midwest Independent Transmission System Operator, Inc. ("Midwest ISO") states the following in response to AmerenUE's Unopposed Motion to Schedule an On-The-Record Presentation and Motion for Expedited Treatment.

1. As noted in AmerenUE's Motion, Midwest ISO does not oppose and, indeed, supports the expedited scheduling of this on-the-record presentation.

2. Undersigned counsel for Midwest ISO is unable to attend the presentation because of a previously scheduled meeting of the Kansas City Board of Police Commissioners, of which he is a member, and respectfully requests that he be excused from attending the presentation.

3. Midwest ISO supports AmerenUE's request that the Commission communicate in writing with both the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission and the Illinois Commerce Commission with regard to the possibility that Illinois Power Co. may be moved from the Midwest ISO to PJM Interconnection, LLC if Illinois Power merges with and into Exelon Corporation and/or its subsidiary Commonwealth Edison Co. The Midwest ISO's reliability concerns raised by this possibility were expressed by its Chief Executive Officer, Mr. James P. Torgerson, in his comments to FERC on September 30, 2003. Those comments are contained in Exhibit 2 to the AmerenUE Status Report filed with this Commission on October 30, 2003.

WHEREFORE, Midwest ISO respectfully requests that its counsel be excused from the on-the-record presentation of Friday, November 14, 2003, and concurs with the request of AmerenUE that this Commission communicate its concerns with regard to the possibility of Illinois Power Co.'s not being a part of the Midwest ISO to both the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission and the Illinois Commerce Commission.

Respectfully submitted,

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