BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In re: Union Electric Company's 2011)	
Utility Resource Filing Pursuant)	Case No. EO-2011-0271
to 4 CSR 240 – Chapter 22)	

MOTION OF THE MISSOURI JOINT MUNICIPAL ELECTRIC UTILITY COMMISSION TO BE EXCUSED FROM PARTICIPATING IN HEARING

COMES NOW, the Missouri Joint Municipal Electric Utility Commission ("MJMEUC"), and files its Motion to be excused from participating in the hearing of this matter scheduled for December 15 and December 16, 2011. In support thereof, MJMEUC states as follows:

- On March 28, 2011, the Commission granted MJMEUC's request to intervene in this proceeding.
- 2. On September 16, 2011, several parties in this case, including MJMEUC, filed a jointly proposed procedural schedule.
- 3. MJMEUC did not file comments in this case, nor did it file any testimony.
- 4. After reviewing the record, counsel for MJMEUC does not intend to cross-examine any of the witnesses at the hearing.
- MJMEUC does not believe its presence at the hearing will provide the Commission with additional substantial evidence to assist the Commission in reaching a final order.

WHEREFORE, MJMEUC prays that this Commission issue an order granting its motion to be excused from participating in this proceeding and for such other orders and relief as may be appropriate in the circumstances.

Respectfully Submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that the foregoing application to intervene out of time was served by e-mailing a copy to all parties on the Commission's Service List this 13th day of December, 2011.

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