STATE OF MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION JEFFERSON CITY October 6, 2000

CASE NO: EE-2000-647

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Enclosed find certified copy of ORDER in the above-numbered case(s).

Sincerely,

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Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

Application of Union Electric Company for)		
Confidential Treatment of Certain Reports)		
Reports Filed with the Missouri Public)	Case No.	EE-2000-647
Service Commission	}		

NOTICE ACKNOWLEDGING WITHDRAWAL OF REQUEST AND CLOSING CASE

On October 5, 2000, Union Electric Company, d/b/a AmerenUE (AmerenUE), filed a notice indicating that it wished to withdraw its request for confidential treatment of certain data contained in FERC form 1. AmerenUE indicates that its request for confidential treatment is now moot because its parallel request for confidential treatment was denied by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC). As a result, the information that AmerenUE asked this Commission to keep confidential is now public information at the FERC.

AmerenUE asks that the Commission dismiss this matter. However, 4 CSR 240-2.116(1) permits an applicant to voluntarily dismiss its application without an order of the Commission at any time before prepared testimony has been filed or oral evidence has been offered. Therefore, the pleading filed by AmerenUE is sufficient by itself to dismiss this matter.

With the withdrawal of AmerenUE's request, no further action by the Commission is required. Therefore, this case may be closed.

BY THE COMMISSION

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Dale Hardy Koberts Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

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Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 6th day of October, 2000.

Woodruff, Senior Regulatory Law Judge

STATE OF MISSOURI

OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

I have compared the preceding copy with the original on file in this office and I do hereby certify the same to be a true copy therefrom and the whole thereof.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the Public Service Commission, at Jefferson City, Missouri, this 6^{th} day of Oct. 2000.

Dale Hardy Roberts

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Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge