

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

In the Matter of Union Electric Company, d/b/a)
AmerenUE's Tariffs to Increase its Annual) Case No. ER-2011-0028
Revenues for Electric Service)

APPLICATION TO INTERVENE

Pursuant to 4 CSR 240-2.075 and 4 CSR 240-2.080, Charter Communications, Inc. ("Charter") hereby applies to the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission") for intervention as a party in the above-captioned proceeding. In support of its Application, Charter states:

1. Charter is a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware. Charter is authorized to conduct business as a foreign corporation within Missouri. In compliance with 4 CSR 240-2.060(1)(C), the Company has attached a copy of its certificate of authority as Exhibit A. Charter engages generally in the provision of communication services over cable and broadband facilities.

2. This case arose when Union Electric Company d/b/a AmerenUE ("AmerenUE") filed its proposed tariff sheets to implement a general rate increase for electrical service. On September 7, 2010, the Commission issued an order directing that interested parties wishing to intervene must do so on or before September 27, 2010. This application is therefore timely.

3. Charter relies on AmerenUE to keep Applicant's cable and broadband networks up and running by means of thousands of AmerenUE-served power supplies across Charter's service territory and at the many network operations centers and cable television headends throughout AmerenUE's service area. Increases in AmerenUE's rates for services supplied to Charter will affect Charter's cost in delivery of important public services. Charter will be directly and substantially affected by the Commission's determinations in this proceeding.

4. Charter agrees to accept service by electronic means and requests that the following be added to the service list:

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3. None of the other parties who have intervened or who are likely to intervene in these proceedings has interests that are identical to the unique interests of Applicant. Applicant's participation in the docket will not unduly delay or prejudice the rights of other parties. At this time, Applicant has formed no position on the relief requested by AmerenUE in this case.

4. Applicant respectfully requests that it be granted leave to intervene in this proceeding as a party for all purposes, including motions practice, presentation of testimony and other evidence, cross-examination, briefing, and oral argument.

WHEREFORE, Applicant respectfully requests that the Commission enter an order allowing Applicant to intervene as a party with all rights and privileges associated therewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing document was sent via email on this 15th day of September, 2010, to:

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