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PSC Case No. EO-2002-178

Dear Judge Roberts:

For filing in the above matter please find enclosed original and 8 copies of the Amended Verified Application of Employees of Gascosage Electric Cooperative to intervene in the above

We have hand delivered or mailed a copy to all parties of record. Thank you for your attention.

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION STATE OF MISSOURI

In the matter of the Joint Application of Union
Electric Company and Gascosage Electric
Cooperative for an order approving a change in
electric supplier for certain Union Electric
Company customers for reasons in the public
interest; authorizing the sale, transfer, and
assignment of certain electric distribution facilities,)
substations, and easements from Union Electric
Company to Gascosage Electric Cooperative; and
approving t he First Amendment to the Existing
Territorial Agreement between Union Electric
Company and Gascosage Electric Cooperative
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Service Commission

Case No. EO-2002-178

AMENDED VERIFIED APPLICATION OF THE EMPLOYEES OF GASCOSAGE ELECTRI COOPERATIVE TO INTERVENE

Comes now the employees of Gascosage Electric Cooperative (hereinafter referred to as "Employees"), by and through their Carl Brandt as representative of the employees and counsel, Victor S. Scott and respectfully applies to this Commission for permission to intervene in this proceeding pursuant to 4 CSR 240-2.075. In support of this application Employees state:

1. This matter involves an application submitted to this Commission by Union Electric Company, d/b/a AmerenUE ("Union Electric"), and Gascosage Electric Cooperative ("Gascosage") for approval to: (1) change the electric supplier for certain Union Electric customers in and around the Cities of Brumley and Ulman from Union Electric to Gascosage; (2) authorize the sale, transfer, and assignment of certain electric distribution facilities, easements and substations from Union Electric to Gascosage; and (3) amend an existing territorial agreement that was approved by the Public Service Commission by Report and Order in Case No. EO-98-279.

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2. The employees of Gascosage Electric Cooperative are:.

Karl Brandt Deborah Alexander Georgia Alexander Wilford Alexander Ethel M. Allen Mike Allen James Clark Debbie Doyle Kim Doyle Robert Fox Aaron George Carmen Hartwell Robert Hathaway Travis Hauck

Beverly Hueston Dwight Humphrey Donna Irvin Dawn Keeth Shawn Lipscomb Tony Martin Travis Martin Wilbert Medlen Billy Null Larry Prater Janet Rigsby Craig Rivera JR Scott

Brent Holtsclaw

Ray Howser

Robbie Yoakum Gayle Prater

The employees of Gascosage, will be directly affected by the proposed transaction.

- 3. Gascosage Electric Cooperative, is a rural electric cooperative, organized and existing under the laws of the State of Missouri, and is the employer of the Employees described herein. The employees are not organized and therefore do not have any evidence of registration.
- 4. The principal place of business of the Employees is Gascosage Electric Cooperative. Correspondence, orders and decisions of the Commission should be sent to:

Employees of Gascosage Electric Cooperative c/o Gascosage Electric Cooperative P. O. Drawer G Dixon, MO 65459 573-659-7146 FAX 573-759-6020

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- 5. Employees do not have any pending actions for final unsatisfied judgment or decisions against them as contemplated by 4 CSR 240-2.060(1)(K). Employees do not have to file any report with this Commission or have any assessment fees which are overdue.
- 6. Employees seek permission to intervene in this matter pursuant to 4 CSR240-2.075.
- 7. Employees of Gascosage Electric Cooperative have interests in this proceeding which are clearly different from those of the general public. Where the public's interests here are concentrated in the dependable delivery of electric service and related products and services at a reasonable cost, Employees are concerned with the impact the proposed transactions could have on jobs and other terms and conditions of employment. These separate interests could be adversely affected by a final order arising from this case.
- 8. Employees support the requested sale of facilities and transfer of customer from AmerenUE to Gascosage Electric Cooperative.
- 9. No other party in this proceeding can adequately represent the additional, legitimate concerns of the Employees of Gascosage Electric Cooperative.
- 10. Whereas, this Amended Application is being filed to clarify and to conform to the Commission's Rules pursuant to the direction give by Judge Dippell at the November 28th, 2001, Prehearing Conference.

WHEREFORE, the Employees of Gascosage Electric Cooperative respectfully asks the Commission to grant this application and to permit them to intervene herein.

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Certificate of Service

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed or hand-delivered to all counsel of record as shown on the attached service list this 74 day of December 2001.

VERIFICATION

STATE OF MISSOURI)
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COUNTY OF COLE)

On the 14 day of Lecember, 2001, before me appeared Victor S. Scott, to me personally known, who being by me first duly sworn, states that he is the attorney for the Employees of Gascosage Electric Cooperative and is authorized to file this application to intervene with the Missouri Public Service Commission and to execute the Application and this Verification on behalf of the Employees of Gascosage Electric Cooperative, and acknowledged that he has read the Application to Intervene and that the facts stated therein are true and correct to the best of his knowledge, information and belief.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal on the date first written above.

ORNA MICKELIS Notary Public - Notary Seal STATE OF MISSOURI Calleway County

My Commission Expires: Apr. 16, 2003

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VERIFICATION

STATE OF MISSOURI)
) SS
COUNTY OF PULASKI)

On the _____ day of ______, 2001, before me appeared the following individuals, as listed below. to me personally known, who being by me first duly sworn, states that he/she is an Employee of Gascosage Electric Cooperative and is authorized to execute this Verification, and each acknowledges that he/she has read the Application to Intervene and that the facts stated therein are true and correct to the best of his/her knowledge, information and belief.

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Georgia alexander	Georgia Alexander
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Shown Lipscomb	Shawn Lipscomb
Tony L. Martin	Tony Martin
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Bill Medlen	Bill Medlen
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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal on the date first written above. Una Mukelii Notary Public

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