

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

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| In the Matter of the Application of Union |) | |
| Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri for |) | |
| Permission and Approval and a Certificate of |) | Case No. <u>EA-2016-0207</u> |
| Public Convenience and Necessity Authorizing it |) | Tracking No. YE-2018-0110 |
| to Offer a Pilot Subscriber Solar Program and |) | |
| File Associated Tariff |) | |

**THE OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC COUNSEL’S CONCURRENCE IN
STAFF’S RECOMMENDATION TO REJECT APPLICATION**

COMES NOW the Office of the Public Counsel and concurs in Staff’s Recommendation to Reject Application. As Staff relates, Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri’s application for a certificate of convenience and necessity filed on March 7, 2018, does not comply with the Commission’s October 5, 2016, Order Approving Stipulation and Agreement. In its order the Commission directed, “The signatories are ordered to comply with the substantive provisions of the settlement”; however, rather than the agreed¹ upon two separate solar facilities of no more than 500 kW each not to be built before fully subscribed by Ameren Missouri customers, Ameren Missouri’s application is for a certificate to build a single solar facility of 942 kW (AC).

WHEREFORE, the Office of the Public Counsel concurs with Staff that the Commission should dismiss Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri’s March 7, 2018 application for a certificate of convenience and necessity, because the application does not comply with the Commission’s October 5, 2016, Order Approving Stipulation and Agreement.

¹ The Office of the Public Counsel did not join the agreement, but did not object to it.

Respectfully,

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I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed, hand-delivered, transmitted by facsimile or electronically mailed to all counsel of record this 24th day of April 2018.

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