

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

In the Matter of Kansas City Power & Light)
Company's Request for Authority to Implement)
A General Rate Increase for Electric Service) Case No. ER-2014-0370

**AMEREN MISSOURI'S REQUEST TO BE EXCUSED
FROM PORTIONS OF THE EVIDENTIARY HEARING**

COMES NOW Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri, by and through counsel, and respectfully requests to be excused from portions of the evidentiary hearing in this case currently scheduled to begin June 15, 2015, and as reasons for its request states as follows:

1. As reflected in its Position Statement, Ameren Missouri has only taken a position on two issues, Rate Case Expense and the Fuel Adjustment Clause. Those issues are currently scheduled to be taken up June 18 and June 29-30, respectively.

2. Ameren Missouri respectfully requests to be excused from those portions of the evidentiary hearing that it deems to not be material to support its position.

3. Ameren Missouri further respectfully requests that its counsel be excused from entering an appearance until such time as counsel appears for the cross-examination of witnesses on the aforementioned issues. In accordance with the Commission's *Order Regarding Opening Statements at Evidentiary Hearing*, counsel for Ameren Missouri may make an opening statement on one or more of the aforementioned issues.

WHEREFORE, Ameren Missouri requests that the Commission grant the foregoing request to be excused.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: June 12, 2015

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on the 12th day of June, 2015, I served the foregoing on via e-mail on counsel for all parties of record.

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