

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

Peter B. Howard,)	
)	
Complainant,)	
)	
vs.)	Case No. EC-2008-0329
)	
Union Electric Company d/b/a AmerenUE,)	
)	
Respondent.)	

**MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO
COMPLETE INVESTIGATION AND FILE REPORT**

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (Staff) and for its Motion for Extension of Time to Complete Investigation and File Report respectfully states as follows:

1. On April 9, 2008, Peter B. Howard filed his Formal Complaint against Union Electric Company d/b/a AmerenUE (AmerenUE).
2. On April 16, 2008, the Commission entered its Notice of Complaint directing AmerenUE to file its answer to Mr. Howard's Complaint no later than May 16, 2008. Also on April 16, 2008, the Commission entered its Order, directing the Staff to investigate and file a report of the results of its investigation no later than two weeks after AmerenUE files its Answer.
3. On May 16, 2008, AmerenUE filed its answer, thus Staff's report of its investigation is due May 30, 2008.
4. In order to complete and verify its investigation, Staff has requested certain documentation from AmerenUE. That documentation is anticipated to arrive this week.

5. Due to an absence from the office, the Staff person who has been investigating Mr. Howard's complaint will be unable to review the documentation and complete her investigation prior to the date on which Staff's Report is due.

6. In order to ascertain that all relevant information and documentation is reviewed and included in Staff's Investigation and its Report, Staff states that it would benefit from additional time to complete its investigation and file its Report there-of.

WHEREFORE, Staff respectfully requests that the Commission extend Staff's deadline to complete its investigation and file its Report in this case to June 11, 2008.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed, hand-delivered, or transmitted by facsimile or electronic mail to all counsel of record this 27th day of May, 2008.

/s/ Sarah Kliethermes