

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

In re: Union Electric Company’s                                     )  
2008 Utility Resource Filing pursuant to                         )         Case No. EO-2007-0409  
4 CSR 240 – Chapter 22.   )

**AMERENUE’S REQUEST FOR  
ADDITIONAL TIME TO FILE COMMENTS IN RESPONSE**

**COMES NOW**, Union Electric Company, d/b/a AmerenUE (AmerenUE or the Company), and for its request to the Missouri Public Service Commission (Commission) for it’s *Request for Additional Time to File Comments in Response*, states as follows:

1. AmerenUE made its IRP filing on February 5, 2008.
2. On or around June 18, 2008, certain parties in this case filed pleadings alleging certain deficiencies with AmerenUE’s IRP filing.
3. On August 12, 2008, AmerenUE, the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (Staff), the Office of the Public Counsel (OPC), the Missouri Department of Natural Resources (DNR), Missouri Industrial Energy Consumers (MIEC), Missouri Energy Group (MEG) and the Sierra Club, Missouri Coalition for the Environment, Mid-Missouri Peaceworks and the Association of Community Organizations for Reform Now (collectively, Sierra Club) filed their *Joint Filing and Partial Stipulation and Agreement* (Partial Stipulation). This filing resolved some, but not all of the alleged deficiencies identified in the pleadings filed on or around June 18, 2008.
4. Commission regulations allows AmerenUE, Staff, OPC and any intervenor to file comments in response to each other. 4 CSR 240-22.080(9). That filing is to occur within sixty days from the date on which Staff, OPC or any intervenor submitted a report or comments on AmerenUE’s Integrated Resource Plan (IRP) filing.

As set forth in the Commission order issued August 13, 2008, the comments in response are due August 18, 2008.

5. There have been several extensions granted in this case and those extensions enabled the parties to reach a Partial Stipulation. However, AmerenUE does not believe it has time to adequately develop its comments in response to the other parties' reports by August 18, 2008, and so requests the Commission grant an extension of that deadline for all parties until September 12, 2008.

6. AmerenUE has consulted with the parties in this case and attorneys for all parties concur in the need for this extension and have indicated that counsel for AmerenUE may inform the Commission of their support for this request.

WHEREFORE, AmerenUE respectfully requests that the Commission extend the deadline for comments in response, as set forth in 4 CSR 240-22.080(9), until September 12, 2008.

Respectfully submitted,

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## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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 14th day of August, 2008.

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