

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

In the Matter of Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren)
Missouri's Tariff Filing to Implement Changes to the) File No. GT-2011-0130
Energy Efficient Natural Gas Equipment and Building) Tariff No. JG-2011-0211
Shell Measure Rebate Program.

**REQUEST OF AMEREN MISSOURI
TO POSTPONE HEARING**

COMES NOW Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri (Ameren Missouri or Company), and for its *Request to Postpone Hearing*, states as follows:

1. On October 21, 2010, Ameren Missouri filed Tariff No. JG-2011-0211.
2. On November 10, 2010, the Missouri Public Service Commission (Commission) suspended the tariff for 120 days and scheduled a hearing on November 29, 2010.
3. Concurrent with this filing and after previously discussing with the Collaborative, Ameren Missouri is withdrawing Tariff No. JG-2011-0211.
4. The natural gas energy efficiency collaborative (Collaborative) will meet next week to discuss this tariff. There is approximately \$100,000 of funding available for the program, which is Ameren Missouri's annual contribution to this program made in May of this year. The Collaborative never revised the tariff to reflect these additional funds. Ameren Missouri hopes the Collaborative can quickly reach agreement on how to revise the tariff to put these funds to use for Ameren Missouri's customers.
5. Additionally, the same parties which make up the Collaborative will be involved in Ameren Missouri's natural gas settlement discussions, which are scheduled to begin on November 30, 2010. Testimony filed by the Missouri Department of Natural

Resources in the rate case raises the issues of the structure and responsibility of the Collaborative as well as the appropriate level of funding for Ameren Missouri's natural gas energy efficiency programs in the future.

6. If the parties to the rate case can come to an agreement regarding these issues, there will be no need for the Commission to hold a hearing.

7. If the parties to the rate case cannot come to an agreement, delaying the hearing by a few weeks does not cause undue harm. Though the Company would like to have new natural gas energy efficiency program tariffs in place by January 1st, a short postponement, in order to resolve these issues, is appropriate.

8. Ameren Missouri asks the Commission to cancel the hearing on November 29, 2010 and reschedule it for mid- to late-December to allow the parties an opportunity to work through the issues brought up in this case.

WHEREFORE, Ameren Missouri asks the Commission to cancel the hearing scheduled for November 29, 2010 and reschedule for sometime in mid- to late-December.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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