BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the First Prudence Review of)	
Costs Subject to the Commission-Approved Fuel)	Case No. EO-2010-0255
Adjustment Clause of Union Electric Company)	
d/b/a AmerenUE.)	

AMERENUE'S REQUEST FOR HEARING

COMES NOW Union Electric Company d/b/a AmerenUE (AmerenUE) and, in compliance with the Commission's September 1, 2010 *Notice Informing The Parties Of The Time In Which They May Request A Hearing*, hereby submits its Request for Hearing, as follows:

- 1. On August 31, 2010, following its first prudence audit of AmerenUE's fuel adjustment clause, the Missouri Public Service Commission Staff (Staff) filed its Prudence Report and Recommendation (Report) in this proceeding, as required by Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-20.090(7)(B). The Staff's recommendation urges the Commission to find that AmerenUE was "imprudent" in not including all costs and revenues associated with certain sales of energy to American Electric Power Operating Companies and Wabash Valley Power Association, Inc. during the review period in determining associated fuel adjustment clause rates. Staff's Report recommends that the Commission order AmerenUE to refund \$24.1 million, plus interest accrued after May 2010, to its customers through an adjustment to its fuel adjustment clause.
- 2. AmerenUE disputes the Staff's claim of imprudence. Consequently, and in compliance with Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-20.090(7)(B), AmerenUE hereby requests a hearing regarding Staff's recommendation. In addition, AmerenUE asks that the Commission promptly set a prehearing conference so that the parties can develop a recommended procedural schedule for this case.

WHEREFORE, AmerenUE respectfully requests a hearing regarding Staff's recommendation and asks that the Commission promptly schedule a prehearing conference so that a procedural schedule may be developed.

Respectfully submitted,

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The undersigned certifies that a true and correct copy of the foregoing document was sent by electronic mail, on September 9, 2010, to all parties of record.

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