

**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 RESPONSE TO APPLICATION TO INTERVENE OUT OF TIME AND
REQUEST FOR HEARING OF MISSOURI RETAILERS ASSOCIATION**

COMES NOW Union Electric Company d/b/a AmerenUE (AmerenUE) and, in response to the *Application to Intervene Out of Time and Request for Hearing of Missouri Retailers Association*, states as follows:

1. On September 10, 2010, the Missouri Retailers Association (MRA) filed to intervene in this case out of time, indicating that it missed the Missouri Public Service Commission’s (Commission) intervention deadline because it only recently became aware of the case and of the issues raised within the case.

2. AmerenUE does not oppose MRA’s intervention, even though it was filed out of time. AmerenUE is aware the Missouri Public Service Commission has recently been closely scrutinizing intervention applications and rejecting applications which do not meet the standards set forth in the Commission’s rules. AmerenUE is appreciative of those efforts. However, in this case, like other non-residential customer groups that have intervened, MRA has an interest that is different from that of the general public in the outcome of this case.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned certifies that a true and correct copy of the foregoing document was sent by electronic mail, on September 17, 2010, to all parties of record.

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