

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

In the Matter of Union Electric Company d/b/a)	
AmerenUE' for an Accounting Authority Order)	
Regarding Accounting for Extraordinary Costs)	Case No. EU-2008-0141
Relating to Damage from the January 2007)	
Ice Storm)	

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF EX PARTE CONTACT

COMES NOW Union Electric Company d/b/a AmerenUE and in response to the Notice of Ex Parte Contact ("Notice") filed by Chairman Jeff Davis in this proceeding on December 11, 2007, states as follows:

1. In the Notice, Chairman Davis stated that Ameren's outage map indicated there were approximately 150,000 AmerenUE customers out of power on December 9, 2007 due to the effects of a recent ice storm.
2. However, AmerenUE's records indicate that only approximately 45,000 customers were out of power at the peak of the outages from that storm.
3. AmerenUE is filing this Response simply to ensure that accurate information is reflected in the record in this case.

Respectfully submitted,

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d/b/a AmerenUE

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Response was served on the following parties via electronic mail (e-mail) on this 20th day of December, 2007.

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