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Mr. Dale Hardy Roberts  
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge  
Missouri Public Service Commission  
P. O. Box 360  
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Re: MPSC Case No. EM-2000-292

Dear Mr. Roberts:

Enclosed for filing on behalf of Union Electric Company, d/b/a AmerenUE, in the above matter, please find an original and eight (8) copies of its **Request to File Statement of Position Out of Time** and its **Statement of Position**.

Kindly acknowledge receipt of these filings by stamping a copy of the enclosed letter and returning it to me in the enclosed self-addressed envelope.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "James J. Cook / dhh".

James J. Cook  
Managing Associate General Counsel

JJC/dhb  
Enclosures

cc: Mr. Morris Woodruff  
Parties on Attached Service List

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

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In the Matter of the Joint Application of )  
UtiliCorp United Inc. and St. Joseph )  
Light & Power Company for Authority to )  
Merge St. Joseph Light & Power Company )  
With and into UtiliCorp United Inc., and, in )  
Connection Therewith, Certain Other )  
Related Transactions. )

Case No. EM-2000-292

**REQUEST TO FILE STATEMENT OF POSITION OUT OF TIME**

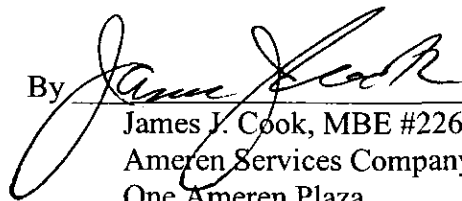
COMES NOW Union Electric Company, d/b/a AmerenUE ("Ameren"), and requests to  
file Statement of Position Out of Time.

Parties to this case were directed to submit their positions on the issues by June 26, 2000.  
Submitted along with this pleading is another pleading informing the Commission and the parties  
that Ameren takes no position at this time on the issues in this case. Moreover, Ameren does not  
plan to take an active part in the hearings. Because of its limited role in this case, Ameren did  
not submit its Position statement. However, in order to insure that the record is complete,  
Ameren hereby requests that its Statement of Position be accepted for filing in this case.

Respectfully submitted,

UNION ELECTRIC COMPANY d/b/a  
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