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**STATE OF MISSOURI
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

At a Session of the Public Service
Commission held at its office
in Jefferson City on the 10th
day of September, 1997.

In the Matter of the Missouri Public)	
Service, a Division of UtiliCorp)	
United Inc.'s Proposed Tariffs to)	<u>Case No. ER-93-37</u>
Increase Rates for Electric Service)	
Provided to Customers in the Missouri)	
Service Area of the Company.)	

ORDER DENYING APPLICATIONS FOR RECONSIDERATION OR REHEARING

On April 4, 1997, the Commission issued its Report and Order on Remand in this case. On April 14, Missouri Public Service, a division of UtiliCorp United Inc., (MoPub or Company) filed its Application for Reconsideration or Alternatively for Rehearing. On April 14, the Office of the Public Counsel (Public Counsel) filed its Application for Rehearing.

The Commission has reviewed MoPub's Application for Reconsideration or Alternatively for Rehearing and finds that sufficient cause to grant rehearing or reconsideration does not appear. The Commission has also reviewed Public Counsel's Application for Rehearing and finds that sufficient cause to grant a rehearing does not appear. Therefore, the Commission will deny MoPub's Application for Reconsideration or Alternatively for Rehearing, and the Commission will deny Public Counsel's Application for Rehearing.

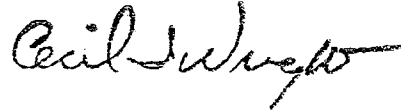
IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That the Application for Reconsideration or Alternatively for Rehearing filed by Missouri Public Service, a division of UtiliCorp United Inc., on April 14, 1997, is hereby denied.

2. That the Application for Rehearing filed by the Office of the Public Counsel on April 14, 1997, is hereby denied.

3. That this order shall become effective on September 10, 1997.

BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Cecil I. Wright", with a stylized flourish at the end.

**Cecil I. Wright
Executive Secretary**

(S E A L)

Lumpe, Ch., Murray, and Drainer, CC., concur.
Crumpton, C., absent.

ALJ: George