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RE: Case No. EO-2002-178

Dear Mr. Roberts:

Enclosed for filing in the above-captioned case are an original and eight (8) conformed copies of a STAFF RECOMMENDATION.

This filing has been mailed or hand-delivered this date to all counsel of record.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely yours,

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

Missouri Public Service Commission

Company and Gascosage Electric Cooperative for an Order Approving a Change in Electric Service Supplier for Certain Union Electric Company Customers for)	
for Certain Union Electric Company Customers for	
for Certain Official Electric Company Customers for	
Reasons in the Public Interest; Authorizing the Sale,	
Transfer, and Assignment of Certain Electric) Case No. EO-2002-1	78
Distribution Facilities, Substations, and Easements from) File No. 20020067	2
Union Electric Company to Gascosage Electric)	
Cooperative; and Approving the First Amendment to the	
Union Electric Company and Gascosage Electric)	
Cooperative Territorial Agreement.	

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Staff") and for its Recommendation states:

1. In the attached Memorandum, which is labeled Appendix A, the Staff recommends that the Missouri Public Service Commission issue an Order approving the following proposed tariff sheets, as filed on February 20, 2002, and substituted on March 5, 2002, to become effective on March 25, 2002:

MO. P.S.C. SCHEDULE NO. 5 7th Revised SHEET NO. 11 CANCELLING 6th Revised SHEET NO. 11 3rd Revised SHEET NO. 26.5 CANCELLING 2nd Revised SHEET NO. 26.5 1st Revised SHEET NO. 26.6 CANCELLING Original SHEET NO. 26.6

1st Revised SHEET NO. 26.7 CANCELLING

2. The Energy Department Staff has reviewed the filed tariff sheets, and is of the opinion that they were filed in a timely manner and are in compliance with the January 24, 2002, Report and Order issued by the Commission in Case No. EO-2002-178.

Original SHEET NO. 26:7



WHEREFORE, the Staff recommends that the Commission issue an order approving the tariff sheets as filed by Union Electric Company on February 20, 2002, Tariff File No. 200200672, and substituted on March 5, 2002, to become effective on March 25, 2002.

Respectfully submitted,

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Certificate of Service

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed or hand-delivered to all counsel of record as shown on the attached service list this 8th day of March 2002.

MEMORANDUM

TO:

Missouri Public Service Commission Official Case File

Case No. EO-2002-178, File No. 200200672, Union Electric Company, d/b/a AmerenUE

FROM:

Mack McDuffey, Rate & Tariff Examiner II

Tom Imhoff, Rate and Tariff Examination Supervisor

Jim Ketter, Project Coordinator

Project Coordinator/Date

General Counsel's Office/Date

SUBJECT:

Staff Recommendation For Approval of Tariff Sheets Filed To Comply With The

Commission's Report And Order Issued January 24, 2002

DATE:

March 7, 2002

On February 20, 2002, Union Electric Company, d/b/a AmerenUE (UE) filed with the Commission four (4) tariff sheets with a proposed effective date of March 21, 2002 to reflect the changes to its Missouri service area as a result of its Territorial Agreement with Gascosage Electric Cooperative, approved by the Commission in its Report And Order (Order) issued January 24, 2002, effective February 3, 2002. On March 5, 2002, UE filed substitute tariff sheets to correct the effective date to provide at least 30 days notice, making it March 25, 2002, as requested by the Missouri Public Service Commission Energy Department Staff (Staff).

In its Order the Commission directed that UE file revised tariff sheets in compliance with the First Amendment to Territorial Agreement approved in Ordered Paragraph 1. Such filing was to be made by no later than March 5, 2002.

The Staff has reviewed the filed tariff sheets and is of the opinion that they were filed in a timely manner and are in compliance with the Commission's Order and the First Amendment to Territorial Agreement. Staff is not aware of any other matter before the Commission that affects or is affected by this filing. Staff therefore recommends that the Commission issue an order approving the following proposed tariff sheets, as filed on February 20, 2002, and substituted on March 5, 2002, to become effective on March 25, 2002:

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