

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

In the Matter of the Application of Ameren Transmission )  
Company of Illinois for Other Relief or, in the Alternative, )  
a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity )  
Authorizing it to Construct, Install, Own, Operate, )  
Maintain and Otherwise Control and Manage a ) **File No. EA-2015-0146**  
345,000-volt Electric Transmission Line from Palmyra, )  
Missouri, to the Iowa Border and Associated Substation )  
Near Kirksville, Missouri. )

**ORDER GRANTING REQUESTS TO BE EXCUSED  
AND TO PROVIDE TESTIMONY TELEPHONICALLY**

Issue Date: January 19, 2016

Effective Date: January 19, 2016

On January 13<sup>1</sup>, International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers Local Union 1439 (“IBEW 1439”) asked to be excused from the hearing until the time of its testimony. IBEW 1439 also asked for its witness to appear by phone, because he will be out of town during the hearing.

The Commission set a deadline of January 14 to objections. No party responded. Thus, the Commission will take up IBEW 1439’s requests unopposed.

The Commission finds IBEW 1439’s requests reasonable. The Commission will grant those requests.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers Local Union 1439’s requests from its January 13, 2016 pleading are granted.

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<sup>1</sup> Calendar references are to 2016.

2. This order shall be effective when issued.



Ronald D. Pridgin, Deputy Chief  
Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation  
of authority pursuant to Section 386.240,  
RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 19<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2016.

**BY THE COMMISSION**

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Morris L. Woodruff".

Morris L. Woodruff  
Secretary