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**Via e-mail**

Morris. L. Woodruff, Deputy Chief Regulatory Law Judge  
Missouri Public Service Commission  
PO Box 360  
Jefferson City, MO 65102

Re: Case No. EO-2008-0216

Dear Judge Woodruff:

This letter, which I have also filed in the docket in the above-referenced case, seeks clarification respecting the Order Directing Notice and Setting Intervention Date issued on January 3, 2008.

Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-3.161(10) provides as follows: “[a] person or entity granted intervention in a general rate proceeding in which a RAM is approved by the commission, shall be a party to any subsequent related periodic rate adjustment proceeding, annual true-up or prudence review, without the necessity of applying for intervention.”

My client, Union Electric Company d/b/a AmerenUE was an intervenor in the underlying general rate proceeding establishing Aquila, Inc.’s fuel adjustment clause (FAC) (a/k/a its “RAM”).

The purpose of this letter is to confirm that AmerenUE is in fact a party to Case No. EO-2008-0216, without applying for intervention and without a Commission order granting intervention, in accordance with 4 CSR 240-3.161(10). I would suggest that a clarification of the above-referenced January 3 Order for the benefit of all parties to Aquila’s underlying rate case might be helpful.

Thank you for your consideration of this request for clarification.

Sincerely,

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cc: Case File, Case No. EO-2008-0216  
Service List, Case No. ER-2007-0003 (via e-mail)