BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

)

)

)

)

In the Matter of Union Electric Company d/b/a AmerenUE's Gas Adjustment Factors to be reviewed in its 2003-2004 Actual Cost Adjustment.

Case No. GR-2005-0102

AmerenUE's Supplemental Response to Staff's Reliability Recommendations

COMES NOW Union Electric Company d/b/a AmerenUE ("AmerenUE"), in accordance with the Missouri Public Service Commission's ("Commission") order, and states as follows:

1. On November 9, 2005, the Staff of the Missouri Public Service

Commission ("Staff") filed its Staff Recommendation and accompanying memorandum in this case.

2. On November 22, 2005, the Commission issued an order requiring

AmerenUE to file its written response to Staff's reliability recommendations no later than January 31, 2006.

3. On January 31, 2006, AmerenUE filed its response to Staff's reliability recommendations.

4. Subsequent discussions between AmerenUE and members of Staff have resulted in a need for this supplemental filing to clarify AmerenUE's January 31, 2006 response.

5. A question raised by Staff is the source of the calculation methodology for the required MDCQ under the Missouri School Aggregation Program. The methodology referenced in AmerenUE's previous pleading was determined in the technical conferences held in 2002 between the MPSC Staff, AmerenUE and other interested parties.

6. As stated in its previous filing, AmerenUE had relied solely upon the marketers to provide the MDCQ number. However, AmerenUE will now verify the marketer's calculation to ensure that the Schools are securing the required capacity based on the methodology discussed above.

7. Finally, to address an issue inadvertently omitted from its previous pleading, AmerenUE agrees to provide Staff with documentation on the start-up time necessary for the Cape Girardeau Propane facility prior to winter of 2006/2007.

Respectfully submitted,

UNION ELECTRIC COMPANY, d/b/a AmerenUE

Thomas M. Byrne By:

Thomas M. Byrne, #33340 Managing Associate General Counsel 1901 Chouteau Avenue, MC-1310 P.O. Box 66149, MC-131 St. Louis, Missouri 63101-6149 (314) 554-2514 (Telephone) (314) 554-4014 (Facsimile) tbyrne@ameren.com

Dated: February 8, 2006

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Entry of Appearance was served via electronic filing and electronic mail (e-mail) or via regular mail on this 8th day of February, 2006, to:

Dana K. Joyce Missouri Public Service Commission 200 Madison Street, Suite 800 P.O. Box 360 Jefferson City, MO 65102 <u>GenCounsel@psc.mo.gov</u>

Lera Shemwell Missouri Public Service Commission 200 Madison Street, Suite 800 P.O. Box 360 Jefferson City, MO 65102 Lera.Shemwell@psc.mo.gov Lewis R. Mills Office Of The Public Counsel 200 Madison Street, Suite 650 P.O. Box 2230 Jefferson City, MO 65102 opcservice@ded.mo.gov

Thomas M. Byrne

Thomas M. Byrne