

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-2015-0145**
345,000-volt Electric Transmission Line in Marion)
County, Missouri, and an Associated Switching Station)
Near Palmyra, Missouri.)

ORDER DIRECTING FILING

Issue Date: April 7, 2015

Effective Date: April 7, 2015

On February 20, 2015¹, Ameren Transmission Company of Illinois (“ATXI”) asked the Commission to either find that it does not have jurisdiction over this project or, in the alternative, to grant ATXI a certificate of convenience and necessity to build it. The Commission provided notice and set a deadline for applications to intervene. The Commission received timely intervention requests from United for Missouri, Inc., and Missouri Industrial Energy Consumers, which the Commission granted.

The Commission noted that ATXI requests that the Commission rule on this application no later than April 30. Thus, the Commission ordered its Staff to file a recommendation or an alternative pleading on how it believes the Commission should proceed.

Staff responded as ordered on April 6. Staff stated that it requests until April 20 to file a recommendation. Staff further commented that it had contacted ATXI, and that ATXI does not object to Staff’s request.

¹ Calendar references are to 2015.

The Commission finds Staff's request reasonable, and will grant it.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The Staff of the Commission shall file a Recommendation no later than April 20, 2015.
2. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Morris L. Woodruff".

Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

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 7th day of April, 2015.