## STATE OF MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

At a session of the Public Service Commission held by telephone and internet audio conference on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2021.

In the Matter of Union Electric Company	)	
d/b/a Ameren Missouri's Request for	)	File No. ET-2021-0304
Expedited Approval of Its Proposed Keeping	)	Tariff No. YE-2021-0172
Current Tariff Revisions Temporarily Raising	)	
the Federal Poverty Levels Through 2021	)	

## ORDER REGARDING EXPEDITED APPROVAL OF TARIFF

Issue Date: March 24, 2021 Effective Date: April 1, 2021

On March 19, 2021, Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri (Ameren Missouri) filed a tariff that will increase the qualifying federal poverty level associated with its Keeping Current Low Income Pilot Program. The revised tariff would increase the qualifying federal poverty level from 150 percent to 200 percent for the Keeping Current heating program, and from 150 percent to 250 percent for the Keeping Current cooling program. The increases in the qualifying federal poverty level will be effective through December 31, 2021, and then will revert to their previous levels.

Ameren Missouri's tariff carries a 30-day effective date of April 18, 2021, but along with its tariff, Ameren Missouri filed a motion for expedited treatment. The motion asks that the tariff be approved to go into effect on April 1, 2021, so that Ameren Missouri can begin providing assistance to additional customers who have been harmed by the COVID-19 pandemic.

The Commission ordered its Staff to file an expedited recommendation by 1:00 p.m. on March 23, 2021 and allowed any other interested party to respond by that same time. Staff filed its recommendation on March 23, No other party responded.

Staff recommends the Commission approve the submitted tariff to be effective on April 1 as requested. The Commission will do so. Because the tariff will be approved to be effective in less than thirty days, this order will be made effective in less than thirty days.

## THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The tariff revision submitted by Ameren Missouri on March 19, 2021 (Tariff No. YE-2021-0172) is approved to be effective on April 1, 2021. The tariff sheets approved are:

Union Electric Company's MO P.S.C. Schedule 6, Schedule of Rates for Electricity

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- 2. This order shall be effective on April 1, 2021.
- 3. This file shall close April 2, 2021



BY THE COMMISSION

Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

Silvey, Chm., Kenney, Rupp, Coleman, and Holsman CC., concur.

Woodruff, Chief Regulatory Law Judge