### STATE OF MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

At a session of the Public Service Commission held at its office in Jefferson City on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2022.

In the Matter of Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri's Electric Service Tariffs Adjustment Relating to MEEIA Rider EEIC

File No. ER-2022-0146

) Tracking No. YE-2022-0171

# ORDER APPROVING RIDER EEIC TARIFF SHEET

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Issue Date: January 12, 2022

Effective Date: February 1, 2022

On December 1, 2021, Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri filed a tariff sheet to adjust the rate of its Missouri Energy Efficiency Investment Act (MEEIA) Rider, Energy Efficiency Investment Charge (Rider EEIC). The terms of Rider EEIC require a filing at least once per calendar year to be effective with the subsequent calendar year's February billing month. Ameren Missouri's annual filing to adjust its Rider EEIC bears a February 1, 2022 effective date.

Ameren Missouri's proposed Rider EEIC adjustment decreases the MEEIA revenue requirement from \$145.3 million to \$91.9 million, with specific rate classes being impacted differently. The proposed tariff sheet decreases the current residential Rider EEIC rate from \$0.005318 per kWh to \$0.003757 per kWh for residential customers. Non-residential customer impacts would be as follows:

Small General Service from \$0.005811 per kWh to \$0.003430; Large General Service from \$0.005592 per kWh to \$0.003262; Small Primary Service from \$0.005503 per kWh to \$0.003227; and Large Primary Service from \$0.005590 per kWh to \$0.002980. An average residential customer using 1,000 kilowatt hours (kWh) per month will experience a decrease of approximately \$1.59 per month. Under the proposed adjustment, Rider EEIC business rates per class vary due to projected costs, incentives, and customer opt outs per class of customer. The projected changes, per 1,000 kWh, would be as follows:

Small General Service rate will decrease by approximately \$2.38 per month; Large General Service rate will decrease by approximately \$2.33 per month; Small Primary Service rate will decrease by approximately \$2.28 per month; and Large Primary Service rate will decrease by approximately \$2.61 per month.

The Commission issued notice of the filing and directed the Staff of the Commission (Staff) to submit a recommendation. Staff's Tariff and Rate Design Department reviewed the tariff sheet, supporting work papers, and worksheets. Staff noted that the proposed EEIC rates reflect the sum of Ameren Missouri's remaining MEEIA 2016-2018 Energy Efficiency Investment Rate (EEIR) components (MEEIA Cycle 2) and the currently effective MEEIA 2019-2021 EEIR (MEEIA Cycle 3) components, along with a small portion of forecasted program costs and throughput disincentive for the extended MEEIA Cycle 3 programs approved in File No. EO-2018-0211. The MEEIA Cycle 1 programs ended on December 31, 2015, and have been fully recovered. Staff recommended the Commission approve Ameren Missouri's Rider EEIC tariff sheet. No other responses to either Ameren Missouri's tariff sheet or Staff's recommendation were received.

Having reviewed Ameren Missouri's filing and Staff's recommendation, the Commission will approve the proposed tariff sheet. Since Rider EEIC is unopposed and

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Ameren Missouri seeks to have the revised tariff sheet go into effect at the start of the February billing month, the Commission will make this order effective in less than thirty days.

## THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The following tariff sheet, assigned Tracking No. YE-2022-0171, is approved to become effective on February 1, 2022:

## P.S.C. MO. No. 6

2<sup>nd</sup> Revised Sheet No. 91.23, Cancelling 1<sup>st</sup> Revised Sheet No. 91.23

2. This order shall become effective on February 1, 2022.

3. This file shall close on February 2, 2022.



**BY THE COMMISSION** 

Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

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

Hatcher, Regulatory Law Judge

# STATE OF MISSOURI

## OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

I have compared the preceding copy with the original on file in this office and I do hereby certify the same to be a true copy therefrom and the whole thereof.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the Public Service Commission, at Jefferson City, Missouri, this 12<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2022.



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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

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Enclosed find a certified copy of an Order or Notice issued in the above-referenced matter(s).

Sincerely,

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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

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