

**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-2015-0146**
345,000-volt Electric Transmission Line from Palmyra,)
Missouri, to the Iowa Border and Associated Substation)
Near Kirksville, Missouri.)

**ORDER DENYING REQUEST TO DISMISS APPLICATION
AND ORDER DENYING REQUEST TO STAY PROCEEDINGS**

Issue Date: January 20, 2016

Effective Date: January 20, 2016

On January 19¹, Neighbors United Against Ameren’s Power Line (“Neighbors United”) filed a Motion for Sanctions Against Ameren Transmission Company of Illinois (“ATXI”). This motion stems from a January 15 order the Commission issued which compelled ATXI to supplement its answers to certain Data Requests (“DRs”)

Neighbors United claims ATXI has still failed to fully respond to certain DRs. As a remedy, Neighbors United asks the Commission to dismiss ATXI’s application or, in the alternative, to stay proceedings until it receives complete answers to the DRs in question.

ATXI responded on January 20. ATXI states that it inadvertently omitted some information to answer the DRs in question, and has since fixed the error. In addition, ATXI states that Neighbors United confuses the difference between a complete answer and an answer it would like.

¹ Calendar references are to 2016.

The Commission finds that ATXI has complied with its January 15 order compelling it to supplement its answers to the DRs in question. Neighbors United's requests to dismiss the application and to stay the proceedings are denied.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The request to dismiss the application filed by Neighbors United Against Ameren's Power Line is denied.
2. The request to stay the proceedings filed by Neighbors United Against Ameren's Power Line is denied.
3. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in black ink 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 20th day of January, 2016.