

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI**

Brian L. White,)	
)	
Complainant,)	
)	
v.)	<u>File No. EC-2010-0276</u>
)	
Union Electric Company,)	
d/b/a AmerenUE,)	
)	
Respondent.)	

**ORDER SUSPENDING REQUIREMENT TO FILE PROPOSED
PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE AND ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE**

Issue Date: July 20, 2010

Effective Date: July 20, 2010

Brian L. White ("Mr. White") filed a formal complaint against Union Electric Company, d/b/a AmerenUE ("AmerenUE"), on April 6.¹ AmerenUE filed its Answer on May 10. The Staff of the Commission ("Staff") filed its report on May 25.

On June 1, the Commission scheduled a prehearing conference for June 22. The Commission convened that conference on June 22. Mr. White failed to appear.

On June 24, AmerenUE filed a Motion for Order to Show Cause and to Modify Order to Jointly File Proposed Procedural Schedule. AmerenUE stated that the parties are unable to file a proposed procedural schedule due to Mr. White's failure to appear at the prehearing conference. AmerenUE asks the Commission to postpone the date on which the proposed procedural schedule is due. AmerenUE further asks the Commission to order Mr. White to show cause why her complaint should not be dismissed due to his failure to

¹ Calendar references are to 2010 unless otherwise noted.

appear at the prehearing conference. Finally, AmerenUE represents that Staff consents to the relief AmerenUE requests.

Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-2.080(15) allows parties ten days to respond to motions, unless a different time is ordered. The Commission ordered no other time to respond, and the ten days to respond to AmerenUE's motion have passed.

The Commission finds AmerenUE's requests reasonable, and will grant them. If Mr. White fails to respond to this Order to Show Cause, the complaint could be dismissed.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. Respondent's Motion for Order to Show Cause and to Suspend the Time for Filing File Proposed Procedural Schedule is granted.
2. Brian White shall show cause why his complaint should not be dismissed no later than July 30, 2010.
3. The parties' requirement to file a proposed procedural schedule is suspended indefinitely.
4. This order shall become effective immediately on issuance.

(S E A L)

BY THE COMMISSION



Steven C. Reed
Secretary

Ronald D. Pridgin, Senior Regulatory Law
Judge, by delegation of authority under
Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 20th day of July, 2010.