



3. As outlined in Exhibit A, the Company has reviewed its accounting practices and operational procedures relating to electric distribution poles. The Company has also received bids from vendors for different options for disposing of poles that are removed from service in order to compare the cost-effectiveness of its current practices to other potential options.

4. Based on these reviews, it was clear that the Company's current practices are the most cost-effective means for disposing of poles that are removed from service and, as a result of the investigation, Ameren Missouri plans to continue with its current practices. The Staff had no input to the contrary and indicated that upon the filing of this report, it was the Staff's view that the Company will have complied with the Order.

WHEREFORE, the Company respectfully requests that the Commission accept this report in compliance with the Order.

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned hereby certifies that a true and correct copy of the foregoing document was served on all parties of record via electronic mail (e-mail) on this 28th day of December, 2015.

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**EXHIBIT A**  
**HAS BEEN MARKED**  
**HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL**  
**IN ITS ENTIRETY**