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To Whom It May Concern:

Here is another pleading for you to file for me. I apologize for sending so many pleadings regarding this case, but I was instructed to do so by Mr. Morris Woodruff, Chief Judge who let me know the fastest way to receive pleadings was to send it to your center. Thank you again for filing this pleading.

Sincerely,



Craig D Mershon

cc: Mr. Morris Woodruff, Chief Judge and Secretary
Missouri Public Service Commission
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Jefferson City, Missouri 65201

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

Craig Mershon
Complainant,

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File No. EC 2013-0521

vs

Ameren Union Electric Company a/b/a Ameren Missouri
Respondent,

**Objection To The Staff Of Missouri Public Service Commission's
And Opposing Attorney's From Ameren Missouri
Date Of The Evidentiary Hearing**

Comes now, Mr. Craig Mershon objecting to the Missouri Public Service Commissions and the Staff proposed by Mr. Jeffrey Keevil, Attorney. As well as the opposing Attorney, Ms. Sarah Giboney. Both attorneys from Ameren Missouri and Missouri Public Service Commission have made this process very difficult for Mr. Mershon including proposing a date for the Evidentiary Hearing. Mr. Mershon explained in his previous pleading Proposed Procedural Schedule he will be unavailable because of the holiday season. In addition he is going to be preparing various motions for documents and sending out interrogatories within the very near future. Mr. Mershon will be with family during the Thanksgiving holidays as well as the Christmas holidays.

He would respectfully request the Regulatory Judge deny the date of December 16, 2013 as the date for the Evidentiary Hearing. Mr. Mershon will not be available on December 16, 2013 for a hearing if the Regulatory Judge honors that date. Mr. Mershon's proposed January 16, 2014 will be better because of the holiday season everyone's schedule will be hectic during the time of the Thanksgiving holidays and the Christmas holidays.

By the time January 16, 2014 comes most of the entire discovery will be completed depending on how swiftly documents will arrive and questions answered. Everyone will be back on a regular schedule where as during the holidays there are a lot of absences due to the holiday season. As stated before, Mr. Mershon will be with family on the Thanksgiving holidays as well as the Christmas holidays.

Wherefore, Mr. Mershon requests the Regulatory Judge deny the request that the hearing be held on December 16, 2013. Due to the reasons stated above which is a normal request it is not unusual. It is also not asking for special favors knowing during this time things will be busy for everyone.

Respectfully submitted,



Craig D Mershon