

**STATE OF MISSOURI  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

At a session of the Public Service Commission held at its office in Jefferson City on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2014.

Noranda Aluminum, Inc., et al.,	)	
	)	
Complainants,	)	
	)	
v.	)	<b><u>File No. EC-2014-0223</u></b>
	)	
Union Electric Company, d/b/a	)	
Ameren Missouri	)	
	)	
Respondent.	)	

**ORDER MODIFYING PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE**

Issue Date: June 11, 2014

Effective Date: June 11, 2014

The procedural schedule the Commission established for this complaint case requires that rebuttal testimony be filed on June 6, 2014. Surrebuttal testimony is to be filed on June 27, 2014, with an evidentiary hearing following on July 28. On May 29, Noranda Aluminum and the other complainants filed a motion asking the Commission to modify the procedural schedule to delay the filing of surrebuttal testimony until July 14. The motion proposes that the hearing dates remain unchanged.

The motion explains that the complainants anticipate the rebuttal testimony filed by Ameren Missouri will be extensive and suggest they will need more time to prepare their responsive surrebuttal testimony. Consumers Council of Missouri, the Office of Public Counsel and the Missouri Retailers Association filed suggestions in support of the

Complainant's motion on June 3. Staff filed a response on June 5, also supporting Complainant's motion. Ameren Missouri responded on June 5, opposing the motion.

The Commission initially established a procedural schedule to hear this complaint on April 16. That initial schedule required rebuttal testimony to be filed on May 14, with surrebuttal testimony following 30 days later on June 13. The hearing was originally set to begin on June 23. One week later, on April 23, the Commission modified that schedule on its own motion. The new procedural schedule moved the hearing back to July 28 and indicated the other aspects of the procedural schedule would be adjusted accordingly. However, the modified procedural schedule allowed only 21 days between the filing of rebuttal and surrebuttal testimony.

The Commission finds it appropriate to adjust the modified procedural schedule to more closely match the 30 days allowed between the filing of rebuttal and surrebuttal testimony in the original schedule. Therefore, the procedural schedule will be modified to make surrebuttal testimony due on July 3, 2014. All other aspects of the procedural schedule will remain unchanged.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. The modified procedural schedule is:

<b>Surrebuttal/Cross Surrebuttal Testimony</b>	-	<b>July 3, 2014</b>
<b>List of Issues, Order of Witnesses, etc.</b>	-	<b>July 17, 2014</b>
<b>Statements of Position</b>	-	<b>July 22, 2014</b>
<b>Hearing</b>	-	<b>July 28 through August 1, 2014, beginning each day at 8:30 a.m.</b>
<b>Initial Briefs</b>	-	<b>August 15, 2014</b>

**Reply Briefs** - **August 29, 2014**

**Anticipated Decision** - **September 26, 2014**

2. This order shall become effective when issued.

**BY THE COMMISSION**



A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Morris L. Woodruff".

Morris L. Woodruff  
Secretary

R. Kenney, Chm., Stoll, W. Kenney,  
Hall, and Rupp, CC., concur.

Woodruff, Chief Regulatory Law Judge