

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

Patricia Schuba and Dean Todd,	)	
	)	
Complainants	)	
	)	
v.	)	File No. EC-2014-0342
	)	
Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri	)	
Wendy K. Tatro, Corporate Counsel	)	
1901 Chouteau Avenue	)	
P.O. Box 66149, MC 1310	)	
St. Louis, MO 63166-6149	)	
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CERTIFIED MAIL	)	
	)	
Respondent.	)	

NOTICE OF CONTESTED CASE AND ORDER DIRECTING FILINGS

Issue Date: May 15, 2014

Effective Date: May 15, 2014

The Commission is giving notice of a contested case and ordering responses. On May 14, 2014, the Commission received the complaint,¹ which requires the following procedure:

Upon the filing of a complaint in compliance with these rules, the secretary of the commission shall serve by certified mail, postage prepaid, a copy of the complaint upon the person, corporation or public utility against whom the complaint has been filed, which shall be accompanied by a notice that the matter complained of be satisfied or that the complaint be answered by the respondent, unless otherwise ordered, within thirty (30) days of the date of the notice.^{2]}

¹ A copy of the complaint is attached, omitting any highly confidential information, which is accessible to the respondent through the Commission's Electronic Filing and Information System.

² 4 CSR 240-2.070(7).

The filing of a complaint also requires the Commission to set a hearing.³ The requirement of a pre-hearing decision signifies a contested case.⁴ A contested case is a formal hearing procedure, and includes discovery, for which the provisions are set forth at Commission Regulation 4 CSR 240-2.090. Upon a request for mediation, the Commission may suspend the schedule set forth in this order.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The respondent shall file an answer no later than June 16, 2014.
2. The commission's staff shall investigate the complaint and file a report detailing staff's findings and recommendations no later than June 30, 2014.
3. This order is effective immediately upon issuance.

BY THE COMMISSION



A handwritten signature in dark ink that reads "Morris L. Woodruff". The signature is written in a cursive style.

Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

Daniel Jordan, Senior Regulatory Law Judge,
by delegation of authority pursuant
to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 15th day of May, 2014.

³ Section 386.390.5, RSMo 2000.

⁴ Section 536.010(4), RSMo Supp. 2013.