

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

Vas Construction, LLC,)	
)	
Complainant,)	
)	<u>File No. EC-2021-0295</u>
v.)	
)	
Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren)	
Missouri,)	
)	
Respondent)	

**ORDER GRANTING MOTION FOR EXTENSION
OF TIME TO FILE AN ANSWER**

Issue Date: April 21, 2021

Effective Date: April 21, 2021

On April 21, 2021, Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri, filed a motion requesting the time to file an answer to Vas Construction's complaint be extended to May 7, 2021. Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-2.070(15)(A) requires Ameren Missouri to file an answer within thirty days of the order giving notice of the complaint. Ameren Missouri cites Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-2.050(3), for the proposition that when an act is required by Commission rule or order to be done within a specified time, the Commission may order the period enlarged before the expiration of the period originally prescribed. Ameren Missouri's answer is due on April 21, 2021.

Ameren Missouri requests an extension because the company and Complainant are working to resolve the complaint. Ameren Missouri represents that the Complainant's counsel consents to its request for an extension. Therefore, the Commission finds good cause exists to grant the motion for an extension.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. No later than May 7, 2021 Ameren Missouri shall file an answer or notice that the complaint has been satisfied.
2. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

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

Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

John T. Clark, Senior Regulatory Law Judge,
by delegation of authority pursuant to
Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 21st day of April, 2021.