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DIRECT TESTIMONY

OF

BARBARA A. MEISENHEIMER

Submitted on Behalf of the Office of the Public Counsel

AQUILA, INC.

CASE NO. EO-2002-384

September 19, 2005

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

In the Matter of an Examination of Class Cost of)
Service and Rate Design in the Missouri)
Jurisdictional Electric Service Operations of)
Aquila, Inc., Formerly Known as UtiliCorp United)
Inc.)
Case No. EO-2002-384

AFFIDAVIT OF BARBARA A. MEISENHEIMER

STATE OF MISSOURI)
) ss
COUNTY OF COLE)

Barbara A. Meisenheimer, of lawful age and being first duly sworn, deposes and states:

1. My name is Barbara A. Meisenheimer. I am Chief Utility Economist for the Office of the Public Counsel.
2. Attached hereto and made a part hereof for all purposes is my direct testimony consisting of pages 1 through 16 and schedules.
3. I hereby swear and affirm that my statements contained in the attached testimony are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Barbara A. Meisenheimer

Subscribed and sworn to me this 19th day of September 2005.

Jerene A. Buckman
Notary Public

My Commission expires August 10, 2009.