# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of a Determination of Special	)	
Contemporary Resource Planning Issues to be	)	File No. EE-2018-0040
Addressed by Ameren Missouri in its Next Triennial	)	
Compliance Filing or Next Annual Update Report	)	

# ORDER GRANTING INTERVENTION AND SETTING DATE FOR FILING

Issue Date: August 16, 2017 Effective Date: August 16, 2017

The Commission is granting the applications to intervene, setting a date for responses to the application for waivers, and setting a date for any response to the recommendation of the Commission's staff ("Staff").

On August 2,<sup>1</sup> Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri ("Ameren Missouri") filed the application<sup>2</sup> asking the Commission to waive certain filings related to Ameren Missouri's Integrated Resource Plan ("application for waivers"). The application for waivers also asked the Commission for a ruling on the merits by September 1.

The Commission issued its order<sup>3</sup> shortening the time for filing an application to intervene. <sup>4</sup> The Commission received applications to intervene from the Missouri Industrial Energy Consumers,<sup>5</sup> the Missouri Division of Energy ("DoE"),<sup>6</sup> and Midwest Energy Consumers Group.<sup>7</sup> Ameren Missouri filed a response. <sup>8</sup> DoE filed a reply. <sup>9</sup>

<sup>2</sup> Electronic Filing and Information System ("EFIS") No. 1 (August 2) *Ameren Missouri's Request for Waivers and Request for Expedited Treatment.* 

<sup>5</sup> EFIS No. 3 (August 9). Application to Intervene of Missouri Industrial Energy Consumers.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> All dates are in 2017.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> EFIS No. 2 (August 3), *Notice and Order Directing Filings*, 4 CSR 240-2.075(1).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> 4 CSR 240-2.075(1).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> EFIS No. 5 (August 10) *Missouri Division of Energy's Motion to Intervene.* 

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> EFIS No. 7 (August 10), Application to Intervene of the Midwest Energy Consumers Group.

The standard for intervention is that:

The commission may grant a motion to intervene . . . if—

- (A) The proposed intervenor . . . has an interest which is different from that of the general public and which may be adversely affected by a final order arising from the case; or
- (B) Granting the proposed intervention would serve the public interest. [10]

Each applicant for intervention has met that standard, so the Commission will grant each application to intervene.

The Commission will also set a date for any response to the application for waivers.

#### THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- 1. The following are granted:
  - a. The Application to Intervene of Missouri Industrial Energy

    Consumers;
  - b. The Missouri Division of Energy's Motion to Intervene; and
  - c. The Application to Intervene of the Midwest Energy Consumers

    Group.
- 2. Missouri Industrial Energy Consumers, the Missouri Division of Energy, and the Midwest Energy Consumers Group ("intervenors") shall be parties to this case.
- 3. No later than August 23, 2017, any response from any intervenor or the Office of the Public Counsel to the application for waivers shall be filed.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> EFIS No. 9 (August 11), *Ameren Missouri's Response to Applications to Intervene*.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> EFIS No. 10 (August 14), [DoE]'s Reply to Ameren's Response to Applications to Intervene.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>10</sup> 4 CSR 240-2.075(3).

### 4. This order shall be effective when issued.



## BY THE COMMISSION

Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

Daniel Jordan, Senior Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 16<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2017.

### STATE OF MISSOURI

### OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

I have compared the preceding copy with the original on file in this office and I do hereby certify the same to be a true copy therefrom and the whole thereof.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the Public Service Commission, at Jefferson City, Missouri, this 16<sup>th</sup> day of August 2017.

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Morris L. Woodruff

**Secretary** 

# MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION August 16, 2017

#### File/Case No. EE-2018-0040

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Enclosed find a certified copy of an Order or Notice issued in the above-referenced matter(s).

Sincerely,

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