

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

In the Matter of an Application of Union Electric)
Company, d/b/a AmerenUE, for an Order)
Authorizing the Sale and Transfer of Certain)
Assets of AmerenUE to St. James Municipal)
Utilities and Rolla Municipal Utilities)

File No. EO-2010-0263

ORDER DENYING MOTIONS FOR RECONSIDERATION

Issue Date: September 7, 2010

Effective Date: September 7, 2010

On September 1, 2010, the Commission dismissed Donna Hawley from this case because of her failure to comply with a Commission order, issued on July 30, that required her to file a list of issues, order of witnesses, order of cross-examination, opening and closing. On September 2, the Office of the Public Counsel filed a motion asking the Commission to reconsider its order dismissing Ms. Hawley from the case. On September 3, Ms. Hawley filed a Motion to Request Extention (sic) to File Reconsideration (sic), and on September 7, she filed a Motion to Request Reconsideration of Commission's Order of Dismissal.

The Commission has considered Public Counsel's and Ms. Hawley's arguments, but is not persuaded by them. The Commission will deny their motions for reconsideration.

Public Counsel's motion for reconsideration was accompanied by a motion for expedited treatment requesting a prompt ruling from the Commission because the hearing on the underlying case is set to begin on September 8. The Commission agrees that a prompt ruling is appropriate, but the Commission will not have an agenda meeting before the beginning of the hearing. Therefore, the Commission delegates authority to issue this order to its Chief Regulatory Law Judge.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. Public Counsel's Motion for Reconsideration is denied.
2. Donna Hawley's Motion to Request Reconsideration of Commission's Order of Dismissal is denied.
3. This order shall become effective upon issuance.

BY THE COMMISSION



Steven C. Reed
Secretary

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Ronald D. Pridgin, Senior Regulatory Law
Judge, by delegation of authority under
Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 7th day of September, 2010.