

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

In the Matter of the Application of Union Electric)
Company for Authority to Continue the Transfer)
of Functional Control of Its Transmission System)
to the Midwest Independent Transmission System)
Operator, Inc.)

File No. EO-2011-0128

ORDER DIRECTING THE PARTIES TO SUBMIT A STATUS REPORT

Issue Date: March 21, 2011

Effective Date: March 21, 2011

Union Electric Company, d/b/a Ameren Missouri, has applied to the Commission to extend its authority to continue the transfer of functional control of its electric transmission system to the Midwest Independent Transmission System Operator, Inc. On March 21, 2011, the parties filed a status report indicating they are continuing to discuss Ameren Missouri's application. The parties report they may be able to resolve the application through the filing of a stipulation and agreement and ask that they be allowed until May 16 to file an additional status report regarding the results of their negotiations.

The parties' request is reasonable and the Commission will direct the parties to file their next status report no later than May 16.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The parties shall file a status report regarding their negotiations no later than May 16, 2011.

2. This order shall become effective immediately upon issuance.

BY THE COMMISSION

(S E A L)

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'S. C. Reed', is positioned above the printed name of the Secretary.

Steven C. Reed
Secretary

Morris L. Woodruff, Chief Regulatory
Law Judge, by delegation of authority
pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 21st day of March, 2011.