

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

Application of Union Electric Company d/b/a)	
Ameren Missouri for Approval of Decommissioning)	<u>File No. EE-2015-0046</u>
Cost Estimate for Callaway Energy Center and)	
Funding Level of Nuclear Decommissioning Trust Fund.)	

**ORDER DIRECTING NOTICE, DIRECTING FILING OF STAFF
RECOMMENDATION AND SETTING DEADLINE TO INTERVENE**

Issue Date: August 15, 2014

Effective Date: August 15, 2014

On August 15, 2014, Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri ("Ameren Missouri") submitted a request for variance from the September 1, 2014 deadline for filing costs estimates for decommissioning the Callaway Energy Center.¹ Ameren Missouri requests a seven month extension to permit the filing of the cost estimate no later than April 1, 2015. Ameren Missouri also requests the Commission issue an order in this matter by August 29, 2014.

Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-3.185(5) permits the granting of the requested variance after notice and upon a showing of good cause. Consequently, the Commission shall issue notice to all parties from Ameren Missouri's last rate case, set an intervention deadline, and direct its Staff to file a recommendation.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The Commission's Data Center shall serve a copy of this order upon all parties to Ameren Missouri's last rate case, ER-2012-0166.

¹ Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-3.185(3) requires all utilities with decommissioning trust funds for nuclear plants to file triennial cost studies of cost estimates for decommissioning nuclear generating units along with appropriate tariffs.

2. Any proper person or entity wishing to intervene shall file an application to intervene no later than August 20, 2014, in the Commission's Electronic Filing Information System ("EFIS") or with the Secretary of the Missouri Public Service Commission

3. No later than August 21, 2014, the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission shall file a recommendation regarding Ameren Missouri's request for variance and expedited treatment.

4. This order shall become effective upon issuance.

BY THE COMMISSION



A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Morris L. Woodruff".

Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

Kim S. Burton, Regulatory
Law Judge, by delegation of authority
pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 15th day of August, 2014.