BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In Re Union Electric Company's 2008 Utility)	
Resource Filing pursuant to 4 CSR 240 –)	Case No. EE-2010-0243
Chapter 22.)	

ORDER PROVIDING NOTICE, ESTABLISHING INTERVENTION DEADLINE, AND DIRECTING RESPONSE

Issue Date: March 1, 2010 Effective Date: March 1, 2010

On February 24, 2010, Union Electric Company, d/b/a AmerenUE, asked the Commission to grant it variances from certain requirements of the Commission's Integrated Resource Planning Rule, 4 CSR 240-22. The Commission's rule requires AmerenUE to file its Integrated Resource Planning Filing (IRP) in February 2011. The purpose of the IRP filing is to ensure that investor-owned electric utilities, such as AmerenUE, consider all options, including demand side efficiency and energy management measures, to provide safe, reliable, and efficient electric service to the public at reasonable rates, in a manner that serves the public interest.

Since the Commission's decision to grant or deny the requested variances may affect the substance of AmerenUE's IRP filing, the Commission will provide notice to other potential interested parties and the public, and will establish an intervention deadline. The Commission will establish a date for its Staff and other interested parties to offer recommendations regarding AmerenUE's request for variances.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- 1. The Commission's Data Center shall mail a copy of this order to all parties to Union Electric Company's, d/b/a AmerenUE, current rate case, ER-2010-0036, and to all parties in Union Electric Company's, d/b/a AmerenUE, last IRP case, EO-2007-0409.
- 2. The Commission's Public Information Office shall make notice of this order available to the media serving Union Electric Company's, d/b/a AmerenUE, service area and to the members of the General Assembly representing Union Electric Company's, d/b/a AmerenUE, service area.
- 3. Any proper person wishing to intervene in this matter shall file an application to do so no later than March 21, 2010. Such applications shall be filed with:

Secretary Missouri Public Service Commission P.O. Box 360 Jefferson City, Missouri 65102

with a copy served on:

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and:

Office of the Public Counsel P.O. Box 2230 Jefferson City, Missouri 65102

4. Any party wishing to respond to Union Electric Company, d/b/a AmerenUE, shall do so no later than March 31, 2010.

5. This order shall become effective immediately upon issuance.

BY THE COMMISSION

Steven C. Reed

Secretary

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

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 1st day of March, 2010.