

**STATE OF MISSOURI  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

At a session of the Public Service Commission held at its Office in Jefferson City on the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of August, 2023.

In the Matter of Union Electric Company            )  
d/b/a Ameren Missouri’s Filing of the                )  
Renewable Energy Standard Compliance            )  
Plan for 2023-2025                                        )  
**File No. EO-2023-0359**

**ORDER REGARDING 2022 RES COMPLIANCE REPORTS AND  
2023-2025 RES COMPLIANCE PLANS**

Issue Date: August 23, 2023

Effective date: September 22, 2023

On April 14, 2023, Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri filed its Renewable Energy Standard (RES) Compliance Reports (Reports) for 2022 and Plans (Plans) for 2023-2025 as required by Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-20.100(8). The Commission’s rule requires the Staff of the Commission to review the utility’s compliance Reports and Plans and to file a report about its review within 45 days.<sup>1</sup> Staff asked for and received additional time to file its report. Staff filed its report on the Reports and Plans on June 29, 2023.

In File No. EE-2023-0409, Ameren Missouri requested a variance of Commission Rules 20 CSR 4240-20.100(8)(A)1.I, and (8)(A)1.J. Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-20.100(8)(A)1.I requires identification of details regarding renewable energy resources not owned by the electric utility, and Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-20.100(8)(A)1.J requires identification of details regarding customer-owned systems. The Commission issued its *Order Regarding Variances*, dated July 20, 2023,

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<sup>1</sup> 20 CSR 4240-20.100(8)(D).

granting Ameren Missouri's request for a variance in 20 CSR 4240-20.100(8)(A)1.I, and denying Ameren Missouri's request for variance in 20 CSR 4240-20.100(8)(A)1.J. That order became effective on August 19, 2023.

Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-20.100(8)(B) establishes fundamental standards for RES Compliance Plans. In its report, Staff concluded that Ameren Missouri's Compliance Plan for 2023 through 2025 complies with those standards.

The Commission's regulation does not specify what, if any, action the Commission is to take regarding Ameren Missouri's Reports and Plans, and any alleged deficiencies therein, except to allow the Commission to direct the utility to provide additional information or to address any concerns or deficiencies identified in the comments.<sup>2</sup>

Comments by the Office of the Public Counsel and other interested persons or entities were due no later than May 30, 2023. No comments were received by the Commission. Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-2.080(13) provides that parties shall be allowed ten days from the date of filing in which to respond to any pleading unless otherwise ordered by the Commission. On July 11, 2023, Ameren Missouri filed a response to Staff's report along with a request for acceptance out of time. In its response, Ameren Missouri states that it agrees that the variance for Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-20.100(8)(A)1J is not needed. The Commission will grant Ameren Missouri's request for acceptance out of time.

More than ten days have passed since Staff filed its report and no other comments or responses were received by the Commission. Thus, the Commission concludes that no further order from the Commission is appropriate at this time.

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<sup>2</sup> 20 CSR 4240-20.100(8)(F).

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. Ameren Missouri's request for acceptance of its response to Staff's response out of time is granted.
2. Ameren Missouri will not be required to provide additional information or to address any concerns or deficiencies.
3. This order shall be effective on September 22, 2023.
4. This file shall be closed on September 23, 2023.



**BY THE COMMISSION**

*Nancy Dippell*

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Secretary

Rupp, Chm., Coleman, Holsman, Kolkmeier  
and Hahn CC., concur.

Keeling, Regulatory Law Judge

**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 23<sup>rd</sup> day of August, 2023.**



*Nancy Dippell*  
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**Nancy Dippell**  
**Secretary**

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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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