

**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) **File No. EO-2011-0128**
Transmission System to the Midwest)
Independent Transmission System Operator, Inc.)

UNANIMOUS PROPOSED PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

COMES NOW, the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (“Staff”), Union Electric Company, d/b/a Ameren Missouri (“Ameren Missouri” or “Company”), the Office of the Public Counsel (“OPC”), the Missouri Industrial Energy Consumers¹ (“MIEC”), the Midwest Independent Transmission System Operator, Inc. (“Midwest ISO”), the Southwest Power Pool, Inc. (“SPP”), the Missouri Joint Municipal Electric Utility Commission (“MJMEUC”), and The Empire District Electric Company (“Empire”), (collectively, “the Parties”), as directed by the May 17, 2011 *Order* of the Commission, having reached in essence a unanimous stipulation and agreement on a procedural schedule. The Parties respectfully request that the Commission establish in this matter the following proposed procedural schedule and procedural items. In support of these requests, the Parties state the following:

1. On November 1, 2010, Ameren Missouri filed a pleading asking the Commission to extend its authority to continue the transfer of functional control of its electric transmission system to the Midwest ISO through December 31, 2013.

¹ Anheuser-Busch Companies, Inc., BioKyowa, Inc., The Boeing Company, Doe Run, Enbridge, General Motors Corporation, GKN Aerospace, Hussmann Corporation, JW Aluminum, MEMC Electronic Materials, Monsanto, Precoat Metals, Procter & Gamble Company, Nestlé Purina PetCare, Noranda Aluminum, Saint Gobain, Solutia and U.S. Silica Company.

2. On May 17, 2011, the Commission ordered the Parties (“*Order*”) by June 30, 2011 to either file a stipulation and agreement resolving this case, or a proposed procedural schedule to resolve this case through a contested hearing. This pleading is intended to comply with the *Order*.

3. The Parties to this case have made a good faith effort to reach a settlement in this case but have thus far been unable to do so. Therefore, the Parties propose the following procedural schedule, and related procedural items for the Commission’s consideration.

4. The agreed upon Proposed Procedural Schedule is as follows:

Company Direct Testimony	July 29, 2011
Non-Company Parties Rebuttal Testimony	September 14, 2011
Company Surrebuttal/Non-Company Cross-Surrebuttal	November 1, 2011
Issues List	November 14, 2011
Position Statements	November 17, 2011
Evidentiary Hearing	November 21-22, 2011
Initial Briefs	December 13, 2011
Reply Briefs	December 23, 2011

5. The Parties also have agreed to the following procedures and request that these agreed to procedures be included in the Commission’s Order setting the procedural schedule for this case:

- a. The response time for all data requests is 10 business days to provide the requested information, and 5 business days to object or notify that more than 10 business days will be needed to provide the requested information.
- b. Copies of briefs shall be served on counsel for the other Parties via e-mail simultaneously with their filing with the Commission.

WHEREFORE, the Staff, Ameren Missouri, OPC, MIEC, Midwest ISO, SPP, MJMEUC, and Empire file the Unanimous Proposed Procedural Schedule set forth above, and request that the Commission adopt the same and include in its Order its adoption of the procedural items requested by the Parties in paragraph 5 above.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that the foregoing filing of Nonunanimous Proposed Procedural Schedule was served via e-mail on counsel for all parties of record on this 30th day of June, 2011.

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