OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

Application of Union Electric Company, d/b/a)	
Ameren Missouri for Approval of Decommissioning)	
Cost Estimate for Callaway Energy Center and)	File No. EO-2012-0070
Funding Level of Nuclear Decommissioning)	
Trust Fund.)	

ORDER DIRECTING STAFF TO FILE A RECOMMENDATION OR FURTHER STATUS REPORT

Issue Date: April 30, 2012 Effective Date: April 30, 2012

Union Electric Company, d/b/a Ameren Missouri, has asked the Commission to accept and approve its 2011 cost study detailing its latest cost estimate for decommissioning the company's Callaway nuclear power plant. On April 27, 2012, the Commission's Staff filed a status report indicating it is involved in discussions with Ameren Missouri and asking that it be allowed until May 11 to file a recommendation. The Commission will direct its Staff to file either a recommendation or an additional status report.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The Commission's Staff shall file either a recommendation or a further status report regarding Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri's Application no later than May 11, 2012.

2. This order shall become effective immediately upon issuance.

BY THE COMMISSION

Steven C. Reed Secretary

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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 30th day of April, 2012