

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

**STAFF RESPONSE TO ORDER DIRECTING  
THE PARTIES TO ANSWER CERTAIN QUESTIONS**

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (“Staff”), by and through Staff Counsel’s Office, and files the Staff Response To Order Directing The Parties To Answer Certain Questions. In support thereof, the Staff states as follows:

1. On June 1, 2011, the Commission issued an Order Directing The Parties To Answer Certain Questions. The Commission did not indicate in said Order whether it desired or would accept responses to the parties’ filings. The Staff suggests that the Commission may want to consider issuing another Order offering the parties the opportunity to respond to each other’s filings within two weeks of such Commission Order.

2. Also, the Commission should consider whether it wants to issue an Order asking any of the questions that any of the parties may have suggested in their June 16, 2011 responses.

**WHEREFORE**, the Staff hereby files its Staff Response To Order Directing The Parties To Answer Certain Questions.

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that the foregoing filing of Staff Response To Order Directing The Parties To Answer Certain Questions was served via e-mail on counsel for all parties of record on this 16th day of June, 2011.

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