BEFORE THE PUBL IC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of Union Electric Company, d/b/a Ameren Missouri's Tariff to Increase Its Revenues for Electric Service

File No. ER-2014-0258

ORDER GRANTING REQUEST TO FILE STANDBY TARIFF IN NEXT RATE CASE

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Issue Date: February 9, 2016

Effective Date: February 19, 2016

In a stipulation and agreement approved in Union Electric Company, d/b/a Ameren Missouri's most recent rate case, Ameren Missouri was required to file a Standby Tariff no later than December 31, 2015, unless the signatories to the stipulation and agreement collectively agreed that more time is necessary. On December 28, Ameren Missouri filed a motion explaining that the signatories were collaborating in drafting the Standby Tariff, but agreed they needed an extra month to complete and file the tariff. The Commission granted that motion and extended the time to file the tariff until January 31, 2016.

On January 29, Ameren Missouri filed a motion explaining that the signatories have been unable to reach complete agreement on the rates that should be charged for the various components of Standby Service. Ameren Missouri notes that it has filed its 60-day notice of intent to file its next rate case, and suggests that it file its Standby Tariff as part of its next rate case.¹ The motion represents that Staff, MIEC, and the Division of Energy do

¹ Ameren Missouri's rate case has been assigned File No. ER-2016-0179.

not object to the request. Furthermore, more than ten days have passed since Ameren Missouri filed its motion and no party has responded to that motion.²

The Commission finds that Ameren Missouri's request for permission to file its Standby Tariff in its next rate case is reasonable and will grant that motion.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. Union Electric Company, d/b/a Ameren Missouri's Request for Permission to

File Standby Tariff in Ameren Missouri's Next Rate Case is granted.

- 2. This order shall be effective on February 19, 2016
- 3. This file shall be closed on February 20, 2016.



BY THE COMMISSION

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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

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 9th day of February, 2016.

² Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-2.080(13) allows parties ten days in which to respond to any filing, unless some other time for response is set by the Commission.