

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI**

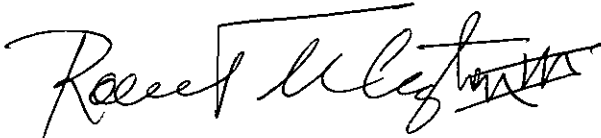
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| In the Matter of Union Electric Company, |) |
| d/b/a AmerenUE's Tariffs to Increase Its Annual |) Case No. ER-2010-0036 |
| Revenues for Electric Service |) |

NOTICE REGARDING EXTERNAL COMMUNICATION

Issue Date: July 31, 2009

On July 31, 2009, I received the attached letter from Joseph A. Roegger. A copy of my response to Mr. Roegger is also attached for the record.

Respectfully Submitted,



Robert M. Clayton III
Chairman

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
On this 31st day of July, 2009.

JOSEPH A. ROEGER
85 Comanche Road
Lake Ozark, Missouri 65049

July 24, 2009

Mr. Warner Baxter
One Ameren Plaza
PO Box 66149
St. Louis, Mo 63166-6149.

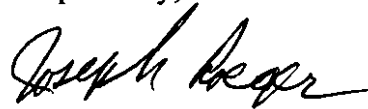
Re: electric rates

Dear Mr. Baxter:

Thank you for your recent undated letter in which you informed me that your company intends to seek a rate increase from the Missouri Public Service Commission.

Please send me the timing and magnitude of the last electric rate increase at my home, the address of which is shown in the above letterhead.

Respectfully,



Joseph A. Roeger

Cc: Robert M. Clayton, Missouri Public Service Commission

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August 4, 2009

Joseph A. Roeger
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Dear Mr. Roeger:

Thank you very much for your letter of July 24, 2009, relating to the recent general rate case proceeding filed by AmerenUE.

I wanted to let you know that your letter has been duly filed in the rate case and has been made part of the record. The Commissioners appreciate receiving your input and will consider your concerns in the final decision. You and your fellow rate payers will have additional opportunities to provide public comment on the rate increase request in the coming months through the standard local public hearings to be scheduled in the AmerenUE service territory. These will be scheduled in the near future and will be publicized through the local media as well as through bill inserts sent directly to customers.

Although I cannot provide a specific response to your inquiry, I wanted to pass along some basics of the rate making process. AmerenUE has filed their case through its initial filing with written direct testimony and supporting work papers, which starts the process. The Commission will eventually approve a procedural schedule that will include the timing for filing of rebuttal, surrebuttal and cross-surrebuttal testimony. Discovery will be conducted, including a complete, comprehensive audit by the PSC staff. Local public hearings will be set in the AmerenUE territory and an evidentiary, trial type hearing will be held sometime next spring. A decision by the Commission is required no later than June 21, 2010. All case documents can be found in our Electronic Filing and Information System (EFIS) at www.psc.mo.gov, and you should refer to Case No. ER-2010-0036.

Thank you again for your letter. If you require additional assistance, please do not hesitate to call.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Robert M. Clayton III". The signature is written in a cursive style with a prominent horizontal line extending from the end of the name.

Robert M. Clayton III
Chairman

cc: EFIS Case No. ER-2010-0036
Commissioners
Wess Henderson, Executive Director
Warner Baxter