

**STATE OF MISSOURI  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

At a session of the Public Service  
Commission held at its office in  
Jefferson City on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of  
April, 2010.

In the Matter of Union Electric Company, )  
d/b/a AmerenUE's Fuel and Purchased )  
Power Adjustment Clause True-Up )

**File No. ER-2010-0274**

**ORDER GRANTING MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TRUE-UP FILING**

Issue Date: April 28, 2010

Effective Date: April 30, 2010

**Syllabus:** This order grants the motion of Union Electric Company, d/b/a AmerenUE (hereafter "AmerenUE") to change the timing of its true-up filings for its Rider Fuel Adjustment Clause.

On April 1, 2010<sup>1</sup>, AmerenUE submitted a Motion for Extension of True-Up filing to the Commission. AmerenUE wants to change the timing of its true-up filings for its Rider Fuel Adjustment Clause to occur at least two months after the end of each recovery period.

AmerenUE's Fuel and Purchased Power Adjustment Clause (hereafter "Rider FAC") requires AmerenUE to make its first true-up filing on May 1, to cover the true-up year of March 1, 2009 to February 1, 2010. However, under the Rider FAC, the first 12-month recovery period for changes in net fuel costs runs from October 1, 2009 to September 30, 2010. Thus, a May 1 true-up filing would not properly true up any difference between revenues billed and revenues authorized for collection during the entire recovery period. Therefore, AmerenUE wishes the Commission to order AmerenUE to extend the due date

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<sup>1</sup> All calendar references are to 2010 unless otherwise noted.

of its first true-up filing to December 1, which would coincide with the first rate adjustment filing that will occur at least two months after the end of the first recovery period, which is September 30.

In its motion, AmerenUE referenced that it proposed such a change in its currently pending rate case, File No. ER-2010-0036. In fact, AmerenUE pleads that Staff agrees that such a change should be made, and that the Commission approved a First Nonunanimous Stipulation and Agreement in File No. ER-2010-0036 which would allow such a change.

Thus, on April 5, the Commission ordered that all parties in File No. ER-2010-0036 receive notice of AmerenUE's motion. That notice allowed parties until April 20 to respond to AmerenUE's motion. Only the Staff of the Commission (hereafter "Staff") responded. Staff concurs with AmerenUE's motion, and states that the motion will not cause undue discrimination to any customer or otherwise prejudice anyone.

The Commission finds AmerenUE's motion reasonable, and notes that the Commission already approved AmerenUE's request when it approved the First Nonunanimous Stipulation and Agreement in File No. ER-2010-0036. Thus, the Commission will grant AmerenUE's motion.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. The Motion for Extension of True-Up Filing filed by Union Electric Company, d/b/a/ AmerenUE, is granted.

2. This order shall become effective on April 30, 2010.
3. This file shall be closed on May 1, 2010.

**BY THE COMMISSION**

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Steven C. Reed  
Secretary

( S E A L )

Clayton, Chm., Davis, Jarrett,  
Gunn, and Kenney, CC., concur.

Pridgin, Senior Regulatory Law Judge