

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

In the Matter of the Eighth Prudence Review of)
Costs Subject to the Commission-Approved)
Fuel Adjustment Clause of Union Electric)
Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri)

Case No. EO-2021-0060

STAFF'S EIGHTH PRUDENCE REVIEW REPORT

COMES NOW Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission and submits Staff's Eighth Prudence Review Report (incorporated by reference) of costs related to the Fuel Adjustment Clause ("FAC") for the electric operations of Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri ("Ameren Missouri" or "Company"). In support thereof, Staff states as follows:

1. On September 3, 2020, Staff filed *Staff's Notice of Start of Eighth FAC Prudence Review* ("Notice") informing the Commission that it had begun its review of the costs and revenues subject to Ameren Missouri's FAC.

2. The Notice described Staff's plan to conduct a prudence review of the costs and revenues associated with Ameren Missouri's FAC for the period October 1, 2018 through May 31, 2020. This Review Period corresponds to the 30th through 34th accumulation periods (each accumulation period is four-months) of Ameren Missouri's FAC.

3. Staff has completed its prudence review and provides a detailed discussion of its findings in Staff's *Eighth Prudence Review of Costs Related To The Fuel Adjustment Clause For The Electric Operations Of Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri* ("Prudence Review Report") submitted concurrently herewith. As a result of its prudence review, and as more fully explained in the Prudence Review Report, Staff found no

evidence of imprudence for the items it examined for the period of October 1, 2018 through May 31, 2020.

WHEREFORE, Staff requests the Commission accept its Prudence Review Report of Ameren Missouri's FAC and that the Commission issue such further orders herein as the Commission deems proper.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed, hand-delivered, or transmitted by facsimile or electronic mail to counsel of record as reflected on the certified service list maintained by the Commission in its Electronic Filing Information System this 26th day of February, 2021.

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