

DECLARATION

The undersigned, being first duly sworn and upon his oath, hereby states that the foregoing *Application* is true and correct to the best of his knowledge, information, and belief.

This request is substantially consistent with the preferred resource plan specified in the most recent triennial compliance filing made by Ameren Missouri. 20 CSR 4240-22.080(18).

The Company has had no communication with the office of the commission within the prior one hundred fifty (150) days regarding any substantive issued likely to be in the case

/S/ Mark C. Birk

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