

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Union)
Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri)
for Authority to Defer Net Energy Cost) **File No. EU-2022-0030**
Impacts of Research and Development)
Project to a Regulatory Liability.)

ORDER DIRECTING FILING

Issue Date: September 8, 2021

Effective Date: September 8, 2021

On August 6, 2021, Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri filed a verified application requesting the Commission authorize Ameren Missouri to defer and record to FERC Account 254, Other Regulatory Liabilities, the impact on Actual Net Energy Cost arising from the research and development project involving the use of data centers. The Commission directed notice and set a deadline for a Staff recommendation or a statement stating when it expected to file a recommendation no later than August 27, 2021.

On August 27, 2021, Staff filed a status update and request for a Commission order setting a deadline for Staff's next status report. In its filing, Staff reported it had been in discussions with Ameren Missouri in an attempt to resolve the novel Bitcoin mining research and development issue in this case and in related fuel adjustment clause cases, File Nos. ER-2022-0026 and EO-2022-0027.

More than ten days have passed since the motion was filed and no one has responded. The Commission will grant Staff's request.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. No later than September 30, 2021, the Staff of the Commission shall file either a recommendation or a status report indicating when it expects to file a recommendation.
2. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Morris L. Woodruff".

Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

Nancy Dippell, Deputy Chief Regulatory Law Judge,
by delegation of authority pursuant to
Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 8th day of September, 2021.

STATE OF MISSOURI

OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

I have compared the preceding copy with the original on file in this office and I do hereby certify the same to be a true copy therefrom and the whole thereof.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the Public Service Commission, at Jefferson City, Missouri, this 8th day of September, 2021.




Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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Enclosed find a certified copy of an Order or Notice issued in the above-referenced matter(s).

Sincerely,



**Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary**

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