

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

In the Matter of Union Electric Company                     )  
d/b/a Ameren Missouri's Tariffs to Increase                 )  
Its Annual Revenues for Electric Service                   )     **Case No. ER-2014-0258**

**REQUEST BY UNITED FOR MISSOURI, INC. TO BE EXCUSED FROM THE  
HEARING FROM TIME TO TIME**

COMES NOW United for Missouri, Inc. ("UFM") and requests to be excused from the hearing scheduled to begin in this matter on February 23, 2015, from time to time. As reflected in its Position Statement, UFM has stated positions on three select issues identified in the joint list of issues, namely: 21. Economic Development Rate Design Mechanisms, 26. Supplemental Service, and 30. Noranda Rate Proposal. As a result, the undersigned counsel will be present to enter an appearance on February 23, 2015, but requests permission to be excused thereafter for such portions of the hearing that it deems not material to its position. Further, UFM believes that an opening statement will not materially advance its position, and, therefore, waives its right to make an opening statement.

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a true copy of the foregoing was sent to all parties of record via electronic transmission this 19th day of February, 2015.

By: /s/ David C. Linton