

**STATE OF MISSOURI
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CASE NO: EO-2001-684

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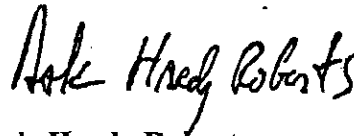
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Enclosed find certified copy of an ORDER in the above-numbered case(s).

Sincerely,



**Dale Hardy Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge**

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

In the Matter of the Application of Union)
Electric Company (d/b/a AmerenUE) for an)
Order Authorizing it to Withdraw from the)
Midwest ISO to Participate in the Alliance RTO)

Case No. EO-2001-684

ORDER GRANTING MOTION TO SUSPEND AND DIRECTING FILING

Recent actions by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, particularly decisions issued on December 19, 2001, may affect the issues to be decided and the timing of the decision in this case. In a pleading filed on December 28, AmerenUE asked the Commission to suspend action in this case until March 1, 2002, while it determines how it will respond to the FERC's order. AmerenUE suggests that its response to the FERC may make the issues raised in this case moot.

In order to allow AmerenUE time to respond to the FERC, and to see if pleadings filed with, or orders issued by, the FERC will have other effects on this case, the Commission will not act until after March 1, 2002. The Commission will direct the parties to file, jointly or separately, an update or synopsis of relevant activity at the FERC. Copies of decisions or filings may be included as attachments.


IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That the Motion to Suspend filed by Union Electric Company (d/b/a AmerenUE) on December 28, 2001, is granted.

2. That the parties shall file an update or synopsis as discussed herein no later than March 1, 2002.

3. That this order shall become effective on February 11, 2002.

BY THE COMMISSION



Dale Hardy Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

(S E A L)

Lewis Mills, Deputy Chief Regulatory Law
Judge, by delegation of authority
pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 1st day of February, 2002.

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 1st day of Feb. 2002 .

Dale Hardy Roberts

Dale Hardy Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

