

**STATE OF MISSOURI
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

At a session of the Public Service
Commission held at its office in
Jefferson City on the 28th day of
November, 2018.

In the Matter of Ameren Missouri's Request for)
a Variance from the Triennial Filing Date)
Requirement Found in 4 CSR 240-22.080 and)
the Annual Update Requirement Found in)
4 CSR 240-22.080(3))

File No. EE-2019-0104

ORDER GRANTING VARIANCE

Issue Date: November 28, 2018

Effective Date: December 28, 2018

Under Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-22.080(1)(C), Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri ("Ameren Missouri") is required to file its triennial Integrated Resource Plan with the Commission on April 1, 2020. On October 16, 2018, Ameren Missouri requested a variance from the rule allowing the company to instead make its filing no later than October 1, 2020. Ameren Missouri also asks for a waiver of Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-4.017(1), which requires a filing party to provide 60 days' notice of filing a case. The Commission issued notice of the request and there were no applications to intervene.

In its request, Ameren Missouri explains that Chapter 22 rules are closely linked to the process of gaining Commission approval for demand-side management programs under Chapter 20 for implementation of the requirements of the Missouri Energy Efficiency Investment Act. Ameren Missouri explains in detail how approval of its request for a

variance will result in up-to-date, accurate and consistent results and allow the company to avoid redundant analysis and effort while satisfying both Commission rules.

On November 14, 2018, Staff filed a response stating that it has no objection to Ameren Missouri's request. No other party has responded.

Under 4 CSR 240-22.080(13), the Commission may grant a variance for good cause shown. The Commission finds that Ameren has presented good cause for the variance and will grant the requested relief. The Commission further finds that Ameren Missouri has not communicated with the Office of the Commission about this case for more than 150 days prior to filing it. Thus, Ameren Missouri is eligible for waiver of Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-4.017(1), and the Commission will waive it.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri's request for variance is granted.
2. Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-4.017(1) is waived.
3. This order shall become effective on December 28, 2018.
4. This file shall be closed on December 29, 2018.



BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in dark ink, reading "Morris L. Woodruff".

Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

Silvey, Chm., Kenney, Hall, Rupp, and
Coleman, CC., concur.

Pridgin, Deputy Chief Regulatory Law Judge

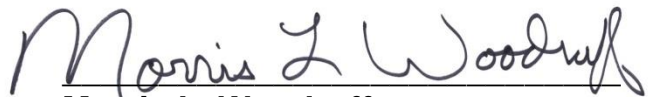
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OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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 28th day of November 2018.




Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

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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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