BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

Missouri Coalition for Fair Competition and Corey Malone,	
Complainants,))
V.	File No. EC-2023-0037
Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri,	
Respondent.))

ORDER DIRECTING FILING OF JOINT PROPOSED PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

Issue Date: December 13, 2023 Effective Date: December 13, 2023

On October 12, 2023,¹ the Commission ordered the parties in this matter to consult with one another and submit a joint proposed procedural schedule, to be filed by the Staff of the Commission (Staff), no later than November 8.

On November 13, at the request of the parties, the Commission granted an extension of time to December 12 to file a joint proposed procedural schedule or a status report. On December 12, the parties filed a *Joint Status Report*, which stated that a settlement conference scheduled for November 15 had to be rescheduled to December 15 due to illness. The parties now request an extension of time to February 1, 2024, in which to file a proposed procedural schedule or a report on the status of settlement discussions.

¹ Unless otherwise stated, all dates refer to the year 2023.

Due to an anticipated congested hearings calendar in the first half of 2024, the Commission will not grant the extension requested. Instead, the Commission will direct the filing of a joint proposed procedural schedule, leaving the parties free to continue settlement negotiations up to the date of the evidentiary hearing.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- 1. The parties' request for an extension of time in which to file a proposed procedural schedule or status report is denied.
- 2. No later than January 8, 2024, Staff shall file, on behalf of all of the parties, a joint proposed procedural schedule.
 - 3. This order shall be effective when issued.

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BY THE COMMISSION

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Nancy Dippell Secretary

Kenneth J. Seyer, Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority under Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 13th day of December, 2023.

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 13th day of December 2023.

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Nancy Dippell Secretary

MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION December 13, 2023

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

Sincerely.

Nancy Dippel Secretary

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