BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Union Electric) Company for Authority to Continue the Transfer) of Functional Control of Its Transmission System) to the Midwest Independent Transmission System) Operator, Inc.)

File No. EO-2011-0128

ORDER GRANTING COUNSEL'S WITHDRAWAL

Issue Date: February 23, 2012

Effective Date: February 23, 2012

On February 23, 2012, David C. Linton filed a motion asking leave to withdraw as

counsel for Southwest Power Pool, Inc. Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-2.040(6) provides that

having entered an appearance on behalf of a party, an attorney may withdraw from that

representation only by leave of the Commission. The Commission will grant that leave.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. David C. Linton is granted leave to withdraw as counsel for Southwest Power

Pool, Inc.

2. The Commission's Data Center shall note the change of counsel in the Commission's records.

3. This order shall become effective immediately upon issuance.

BY THE COMMISSION

Steven C. Reed Secretary

(SEAL)

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

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 23rd day of February, 2012.