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

Missouri Coalition for Fair Competition	)
and	))))
Corey Malone, Complainants, v.	))))
Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri,	))))
Respondent.	)

File No. EC-2023-0037

### MOTION TO AMEND PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE AND MOTION FOR EXPIDITED TREATMENT

**COMES NOW** Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri ("Ameren Missouri") and respectfully requests to amend the procedural schedule to move the rebuttal testimony filing date to June 5, 2024, and the surrebuttal filing date to June 24, 2024. In support of its Motion, Ameren Missouri states the following:

1. The Petitioners filed direct testimony on May 9, 2024, and re-filed direct testimony on May 30, 2024, to comply with the requirements under 20 CSR 4240-2.130.

2. The Company, however, needs additional time to read and analyze the direct testimony filed on May 30, 2024, so that it can adequately respond to the direct testimony and properly cite to the testimony in the new question and answer format and new page and line numbering.

3. The schedule in this docket allows for rebuttal to be filed May 31, 2024, and surrebuttal testimony on June 18, 2024. The hearing in this case is scheduled to begin on July 18, 2024. Adjusting the filing of this testimony will not change the remainder of the schedule and not prejudice the parties. The Company proposed the new dates to the parties, and the respective

counsel indicated that moving the filing dates for rebuttal to June 5, 2024, and surrebuttal to June 24, 2024, is acceptable and do not object to the request.

#### **MOTION FOR EXPEDITED TREATMENT**

4. Ameren Missouri respectfully requests the Commission act on the motions made herein no later than May 31, 2024, insofar as the rebuttal testimony in this case is due May 31.

5. The harm that will be avoided includes the impact on the parties' ability to complete rebuttal and surrebuttal testimony. The additional time will also allow the parties to compile an issues list, witness schedule, and position statements for the case, to complete discovery, and to properly prepare for hearing.

6. These motions are being filed as soon as possible after reviewing all the direct testimony filed today, May 30, which was as soon as this pleading could reasonably have been prepared.

**WHEREFORE**, the Ameren Missouri respectfully requests the Commission issue an order in this docket to allow the schedule to be amended in order to allow additional time to file rebuttal testimony and surrebuttal testimony.

Respectfully submitted,

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# **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned hereby certifies that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served on all parties of record in this matter via electronic mail (e-mail) on this 30<sup>th</sup> of May 2024.

<u>/s/ Jennifer S. Moore</u> Jennifer S. Moore