

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

In the Matter of Union Electric Company d/b/a)
Ameren Missouri’s Request for a Variance)
Regarding Triennial IRP Filing Date and) **File No. EE-2025-0202**
Waiver of 60-Day Notice)

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (“Staff”), by and through counsel, and for its *Recommendation*, states as follows:

1. On January 13, 2025, Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri (“Ameren Missouri” or “Company”), filed its *Request for Variance from 20 CSR 4240-22.080(1)(C) and Waiver of 60-Day Notice in 20 CSR 4240-4.017(1)* (“Request”), stating that, while its next triennial compliance filing is due by April 1, 2026, it seeks a variance allowing it to make its next filing on or before October 1, 2026, because the results from its latest Demand Side Management potential study will not be available until early 2026.

2. Ameren Missouri’s Request states that the Company completes an analysis and performs a robust process for the selection of the preferred resource plan and acquisition strategy and allowing the Company until October 1, 2026, will provide sufficient time to conclude the process with the best information possible.

3. On January 14, 2025, the Commission issued an *Order Directing Filing* (“Order”), ordering Staff to file its recommendation or alternative pleading by February 14, 2025.

4. Because the good cause stated by Ameren Missouri in its Request is reasonable, Staff recommends the Commission approve the Request.

WHEREFORE, Staff requests that the Commission will approve Ameren Missouri's Request to delay its required triennial compliance filing to October 1, 2026, and grant such other and further relief as is just in the circumstances.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed, hand-delivered, or transmitted by facsimile or electronic mail to counsel of record as reflected on the certified service list maintained by the Commission in its Electronic Filing Information System on this 31st day of January, 2025.

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