

# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Eighth Prudence Review of )  
Costs Subject to the Commission-Approved ) **File No. EO-2021-0060**  
Fuel Adjustment Clause of Union Electric )  
Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri )

## **ORDER DIRECTING NOTICE, ACKNOWLEDGING AUTOMATIC PARTIES, AND ESTABLISHING DEADLINES FOR INTERVENTION AND REQUESTING A HEARING**

Issue Date: September 21, 2020

Effective Date: September 21, 2020

On September 3, 2020, the Commission's Staff filed notice that on that date, it started its prudence audit of the fuel adjustment clause established for Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri, for the period October 1, 2018, through May 31, 2020. Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-20.090(11)(B) requires Staff to file notice regarding the commencement of an audit. That rule also requires Staff to file its recommendation regarding the prudence review no later than 180 days after it initiates the review. Staff plans to file its recommendation by February 26, 2021. Pursuant to the same rule, other parties to the case have 10 days after Staff files its prudence review recommendation to request a hearing.

The Commission will give notice of the commencement of Staff's prudence review to potentially interested entities and will set a date for the filing of applications to intervene. Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-20.090(17)(A) provides that parties to the most recent general rate proceeding in which the Commission established, modified, or continued the fuel adjustment clause are automatically parties to this prudence review proceeding. The Commission acknowledges the parties to File No. ER-2019-0335 as parties to this case without the need to apply to intervene. The Data Center shall add these parties to the service list.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. The Commission's Data Center shall add the parties from File No. ER-2019-0335 to the certified service list for this file.
2. Applications to intervene shall be filed no later than October 21, 2020.
3. Staff shall file its recommendation no later than February 26, 2021.
4. Any request for a hearing shall be filed no later than ten days after Staff files its recommendation.
5. This order is effective when issued.



**BY THE COMMISSION**

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

Morris L. Woodruff  
Secretary

John T. Clark, Senior Regulatory Law Judge,  
by delegation of authority pursuant to  
Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 21st day of September, 2020.

**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 21<sup>st</sup> day of September, 2020.**



  
**Morris L. Woodruff**  
**Secretary**

**MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

**September 21, 2020**

**File/Case No. EO-2021-0060**

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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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