Midwest states based on Census Region definitions. Retail customers include residential, commercial, and industrial customers

and Kansas City Power & Light, but not Aquila's pending 22% rate increase request.

\*\*\* In 2007, U.S. rate based on DOE forecast. Other Missouri IOU 2007 rates reflect recently approved rate increases for Empire \*\* Other Missouri IOUs are Aquila, Empire District Electric, and Kansas City Power & Light.













\* U.S. based on 2006 annual DOE data; rest based on rates in effect for twelve months ending October 2006

Source: DOE/EIA.

5.50

2002

2003

2004

2005

2006\*

2007\*\*\*

Other Missouri IOUs\*\*

AmerenUE-MO

6.00

6.50

Cents/kWh

7.50

Non-Restructured States

**Midwest States** 

8.00

8.50

9.00

**Comparison of AmerenUE-Missouri Average Retail Rates** 

(cents per kilowatthour)

U.S.

7.00









## AmerenUE Average Retail Rates with Requested Increase Compared to Other Utilities

Source: DOE/EIA Form 826 AmerenUE Other Missouri IOUs Midwest States Restructured States Non-All U.S. States

\* U.S. based on 2006 annual DOE data; rest based on rates in effect for twelve months ending October 2006

\*\* Rate increases recently approved for Empire District Electric and Kansas City Power & Light

\*\*\* Arrows reflect initially-requested increases by AmerenUE and Aquila in their 2006 filings.

Midwest states based on Census Region definitions. Non-restructured states are those states that have not deregulated the generation of electricity, similar to Missouri

Other Missouri IOUs are Aquila, Empire District Electric, and Kansas City Power & Light

Retail customers include residential, commercial, and industrial customers.

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## 1980-2006 Changes in Electric Rates & Consumer Prices



Sources and Notes:

Consumer energy prices based on BLS average prices. Consumer prices based on Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) CPI indices.

Non-Restructured and Midwest Electricity Rates based on EIA Form 826 and EIA 861

Non-restructured states are those states that have not deregulated the generation of electricity, similar to Missouri.