Notice of *Ex Parte* Contact

TO: Data Center All Parties in Case No. ER-2011-0028, et al

FROM: Kevin D. Gunn, Chairman Matter Robert M. Clayton III, Vice Chairman Jeff N. Davis, Commissioner Terry M. Jarrett, Commissioner Robert S. Kenney, Commissioner



DATE: February 24, 2011

On Wednesday, February 23, 2011, we received the attached electronic mail message from Energy Future that was signed by Warner Baxter, President and CEO of Ameren Missouri. This case, **ER-2011-0028**, is a contested case. The Commission is bound by its *ex parte* rule, and, we are therefore giving notice to the parties this communication has been received.

Although communications from members of the public and members of the legislature are always welcome, those communications must be made known to all parties to a contested case so that those parties have the opportunity to respond. According to the Commission's rules (4 CSR 240-4.020(8)), when a communication from any person interested in a case (either oral or written) occurs outside the hearing process, any member of the Commission or Regulatory Law Judge who received the communication shall prepare a written report concerning the communication and submit it to each member of the Commission and the parties to the case. The report shall identify the person(s) who participated in the *ex parte* communication, the circumstances which resulted in the communication, the substance of the communication, and the relationship of the communication to a particular matter at issue before the Commission.

Therefore, we submit this report pursuant to the rules cited above. This will ensure that any party to this case will have notice of the attached information and a full and fair opportunity to respond to the comments contained therein.

cc: Executive Director Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge General Counsel

Gregory, Sheryl

From:	Davis, Jeff
Sent:	Wednesday, February 23, 2011 4:36 PM
То:	Gregory, Sheryl
Subject:	FW: Ameren Missouri Plans for Missouri's Energy Future

Please file this in the rate case and consult with Steve Reed and/or Harold about what/how to file it.

From: energyfuture [mailto:energyfuture@ameren.com]
Sent: Wednesday, February 23, 2011 4:23 PM
To: energyfuture
Subject: Ameren Missouri Plans for Missouri's Energy Future

I am writing to share with you a high level summary of Ameren Missouri's Integrated Resource Plan (IRP) along with the accompanying video. The full version of the plan was filed today with the Missouri Public Service Commission and reflects a comprehensive analysis of our customers' future energy needs and how we might meet those needs with future generation resources.

By clicking on the links below, you will be able to view the IRP video and community report.

- <u>Ameren Missouri Integrated Resource Plan Video</u>
- Ameren Missouri Integrated Resource Plan Community Report

My hope is that you will use your influence as a leader in the community to help generate meaningful discussions and needed actions regarding the topics highlighted in the Ameren Missouri IRP. I encourage you to share your thoughts with us via email (<u>energyfuture@ameren.com</u>) or postal mail (Ameren Missouri, Missouri's Energy Future, P.O. Box 6614, MC 1400, St. Louis, MO 63166-6149)

As part of our focus on making sure the energy Missouri needs is there – today and for life, it is our hope that Ameren Missouri's IRP will help generate meaningful discussions and needed actions regarding Missouri's Energy Future.

Sincerely,

Warner L. Baxter President and CEO Ameren Missouri

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