

**STATE OF MISSOURI  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

At a session of the Public Service Commission held by telephone and internet audio conference on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2020.

In the Matter of the Adjustment of Union )	
Electric d/b/a Ameren Missouri's Fuel )	<b><u>File No. ER-2020-0302</u></b>
Adjustment Clause for the 33rd )	Tariff No. YE-2020-0168
Accumulation Period )	
)	
In the Matter of the True-Up of Union )	
Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri's )	<b><u>File No. ER-2020-0303</u></b>
Fuel Adjustment Clause for the 30th )	
Recovery Period )	

**ORDER RESOLVING ANNUAL FUEL ADJUSTMENT CLAUSE  
TRUE-UP AND TARIFF**

Issue Date: May 13, 2020

Effective Date: May 27, 2020

In File Number ER-2020-0303, Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri (Ameren Missouri) submitted its true-up filing for its Fuel Adjustment Clause (FAC) as provided by Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-20.090(9). Ameren Missouri also submitted an application seeking approval to adjust its Fuel Adjustment Rates (FARs) in File Number ER-2020-0302. Ameren Missouri requests that the Commission authorize these adjustments and allow them to be implemented by its revised FAC tariff sheet, Tracking Number YE-2020-0168. The tariff bears an effective date of May 27, 2020.

In File Number ER-2020-0303, the true-up amount identified is the result of Ameren Missouri's over-collection of \$1,446,580 from its customers during Recovery Period 30 (RP30), which was the billing months of June 2019 through January 2020. The

true-up amount for RP30, plus interest, is included in the Ameren Missouri's proposed changes to its current period fuel adjustment rates for Accumulation Period 33 (AP33) in File Number ER-2020-0302. Staff recommends the Commission approve Ameren Missouri's RP30 true-up filing for inclusion in Ameren Missouri's AP33 adjustment filing in File Number ER-2020-0302.

In File Number ER-2020-0302, the Fuel and Purchased Power Adjustment (FPA) amount is \$(29,411,047) for AP33, the four-month period of October 2019 through January 2020. Ameren Missouri's requested adjustment would result in a monthly Fuel Adjustment Rate (FAR) of \$(0.00196)/kWh. Based on monthly usage of 1,000 kWh, the proposed change with the inclusion of a secondary voltage FAR adjustment would decrease the FAC of a residential customer's monthly bill by \$1.30, from a credit of \$0.77 to a credit of \$2.07 per month. The FPA is effective for the billing months of June 2020 (which starts May 27, 2020) through January 2021.<sup>1</sup>

On April 27, 2020, Staff recommended the Commission issue an interim rate adjustment order to approve Ameren Missouri's tariff sheet to be effective on May 27, 2020, subject to true-up and prudence review. The Commission has received no other responses to Ameren Missouri's application.

The Commission has reviewed Ameren Missouri's true-up filings and Staff's verified recommendation and memorandum and finds that the true-up filing is correct. Further, the Commission has reviewed Ameren Missouri's tariff filings and Staff's verified recommendation and memorandum and finds that the tariff sheet implementing the FAC

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<sup>1</sup> Pursuant to the March 2, 2020, *Corrected Non-Unanimous Stipulation and Agreement* approved by the Commission in File No. ER-2019-0335, Recovery Periods are being converted to match calendar months instead of billing months which will result in the FAR set in this docket remaining in effect to September 30, 2020, and will make the Recovery Period run to January 31, 2021.

rate adjustment is in compliance with the Commission's Order establishing the FAC and with all applicable statutes and regulations. Therefore, the Commission will approve Ameren Missouri's true-up filing and proposed tariff.

To allow the tariff sheet to take effect on May 27, 2020, the Commission will make its order effective in less than 30 days after issuance.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. Ameren Missouri's true-up amount for RP30 is approved.
2. Ameren Missouri's tariff, filed March 27, 2020, and assigned Tariff Tracking Number YE-2020-0168 is approved to be effective May 27, 2020, as an interim rate adjustment, subject to true-up and prudence reviews. The tariff is:

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9<sup>th</sup> Revised Sheet No. 74.13, Canceling 8<sup>th</sup> Revised Sheet No. 74.13

3. This order shall become effective on May 27, 2020.
4. These files shall close on May 28, 2020.



**BY THE COMMISSION**

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Morris L. Woodruff".

Morris L. Woodruff  
Secretary

Silvey, Chm., Rupp, Coleman, and  
Holsman CC., concur.  
Kenney, C., absent

Hatcher, Regulatory Law Judge