

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

In the Matter of the Application of Union Electric)
Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri for the Issuance)
of an Accounting Authority Order Relating to its)
Electrical Operations.)

File No. EU-2012-0027

STAFF REPORT RESPECTING SEPTEMBER 27, 2011 PREHEARING CONFERENCE

Comes now the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (Staff), by and through the Staff Counsel Office, in response to the directive of Regulatory Law Judge Daniel Jordan and submits the following report. In support thereof, the Staff states as follows:

1. On September 27, 2011 at a prehearing conference in the above captioned matter, scheduled by the Missouri Public Service Commission (Commission), Regulatory Law Judge Daniel Jordan directed undersigned Staff counsel to file a report no later than Wednesday morning, September 28, 2011 respecting the progress of the prehearing conference convened on September 27, 2011.

2. All parties to File No. EU-2012-0027 attended the prehearing conference at which a procedural schedule and procedural and some substantive matters were discussed. The parties anticipate that a jointly proposed procedural schedule will be agreed to and filed with the Commission on, or even possibly before, next Tuesday, October 4, 2011.

Wherefore undersigned Staff counsel submits this report pursuant to the September 27, 2011 direction of Regulatory Law Judge Daniel Jordan.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing *Staff Report Respecting September 27, 2011 Prehearing Conference* have been transmitted by electronic mail to all counsel of record this 28th day of September, 2011.

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