STATE OF MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

At a session of the Public Service Commission held at its office in Jefferson City on the 19th day of October, 2006.

In the Matter of a Proposed Rule Regarding Electric Utility Fuel and Purchased Power Cost Recovery Mechanisms.

Case No. EX-2006-0472

ORDER DENYING APPLICATION FOR REHEARING

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Issue Date: October 19, 2006

Effective Date: October 19, 2006

On September 21, 2006, the Commission issued two Final Orders of Rulemaking regarding electric utility fuel and purchased power cost recovery mechanisms. On September 29, 2006, the Office of the Public Counsel filed an Application for Rehearing. On October 10, 2006, Union Electric Company d/b/a AmerenUE filed its Response in Opposition to Public Counsel's Application for Rehearing.

Section 386.500.1, RSMo 2000, provides that the Commission shall grant an application for rehearing if "in its judgment sufficient reason therefore shall be made to appear." The Commission finds that the Office of the Public Counsel has failed to establish sufficient reason to grant its application. The Commission will deny the application.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. The Office of the Public Counsel's Application for Rehearing is denied.

2. This order shall become effective on October 19, 2006.

BY THE COMMISSION

Colleen M. Dale Secretary

(SEAL)

Davis, Chm., Murray and Appling, CC., concur. Gaw and Clayton, CC., dissent.

Dale, Chief Regulatory Law Judge