

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

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| In the Matter of the Adjustment of Union Electric |) | |
| Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri's Fuel Adjustment |) | <u>File No. ER-2012-0164</u> |
| Clause for the 8 th Accumulation Period |) | Tariff No. YE-20012-0241 |

**ORDER DIRECTING NOTICE AND DIRECTING
STAFF TO FILE A RECOMMENDATION**

Issue Date: November 30, 2011

Effective Date: November 30, 2011

On November 28, 2011 Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri submitted a tariff sheet designed to implement an adjustment to its Fuel and Purchased Power Adjustment Clause for the accumulation period ending September 2011. The tariff sheet bears an effective date of January 26, 2012.

Pursuant to Commission rule 4 CSR 240-20.090(4), the Commission's Staff shall submit a recommendation regarding the proposed adjustment no later than 30 days after the tariff filing. No later than 60 days after receiving the proposed adjustment, the Commission must: (1) enter an interim rate adjustment; (2) approve or reject the tariff as submitted; or (3) allow the tariff to go into effect by operation of law. Consequently, the Commission will issue notice of this tariff filing, set an intervention deadline and direct its Staff to file a recommendation.

Commission rule 4 CSR 240-3.161(10) provides that parties to the rate case in which the Commission approved Ameren Missouri's fuel adjustment clause are automatically parties to this case. The Commission therefore acknowledges that the parties to File No. ER-2011-0028 are parties to this case, and will direct the Data Center to add those parties to the service list.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The Commission's Data Center shall serve a copy of this order upon the county commission in each county in Ameren's Missouri's service area, and upon the corresponding governing body of the city of St. Louis.
2. The Commission's Data Center shall add all of the parties to File No. ER-2011-0028 to the service list for this case.
3. The Commission's Public Information Office shall make notice of this order available to the members of the General Assembly representing constituents in Ameren Missouri's service area and to the news media serving those areas.
4. Requests to intervene shall be file no later than December 15, 2011, with:

Secretary
Missouri Public Service Commission
Post Office Box 360
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102-0360
5. The Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission shall file, no later than December 28, 2011, a recommendation regarding its examination and analysis of Ameren Missouri's tariff filing.
6. This order shall become effective upon issuance.

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Kennard L. Jones, Senior Regulatory
Law Judge, by delegation of authority
pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 30th day of November, 2011.

BY THE COMMISSION



Steven C. Reed
Secretary