

AmerenUE's Response to
State of MO - Atty General Data Request
MPSC Case No. ER-2007-0002
AmerenUE's Tariff Filing to Increase Rates for Electric Service
Provided to Customers in the Company's Missouri Service Area

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Service Commission

Requested From: Steven Carver

Data Request No. AG/UTI-094

Ref: Direct Testimony of Michael L. Moehn, page 9, line 22 (Market Values of Peaking Plants)
According to the referenced testimony, the two successful bid prices were at the bottom of the range of recent market sales of peaking plants. It is important to note that only two qualifying bids were received from a pool of 19 potential bidders representing approximately 10,000 MW of capacity. Please provide the following information:

- a. Explain the efforts undertaken by Mr. Moehn or Ameren since January 1, 2003 to track and evaluate the range of recent market sales of peaking plants.
- b. Provide complete copies of all studies, reports, analyses, spreadsheets, workpapers and other documents prepared by or for Mr. Moehn or the Company to track and evaluate the range of recent market sales of peaking plants.
- c. Provide a summary listing of each of the bids received, indicating which were qualifying and which were not qualified, indicating the specific reasons for each non-qualification outcome.
- d. For the pool of 19 potential bidders, please provide all information in the possession of Mr. Moehn or Ameren regarding subsequent sales of peaking plant capacity and the terms of such sales made by each of the bidders in the pool.

Response:

- a. As of January 1, 2003 Ameren had been tracking and evaluating market sales of peaking plants for several months. These efforts consisted of daily review of industry literature for news of sales of any type of power generation plant, with particular emphasis on gas-fired combustion turbine generator plants. Ameren saved relevant articles to a Word file and created an Excel file to track and chart key data regarding proposed and completed plant sales. This effort continued until the fall of 2005, when the RFP process resulted in the purchase of the Audrain, Goose Creek and Raccoon Creek plants.
- b. See the attached Word and Excel files referred to in Response (a) above:
 - AG-UTI-094 - Plant sales articles.doc
 - AG-UTI-094 - Plant Sales.xls
- c. See attached file: AG-UTI-094 - Summary of bids.xls.
- d. Subsequent to the purchase of the NRG and Audrain plants, Ameren did not engage in tracking possible sales of peaking plant capacity by the pool of possible bidders to the AmerenUE RFP.

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Title: VP Corporate Planning

Date: November 9, 2006

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Case No(s). ER-2007-0002
Date 3/23/07 Rptr MV

CTGs

Date May-01
Price \$508

CCs

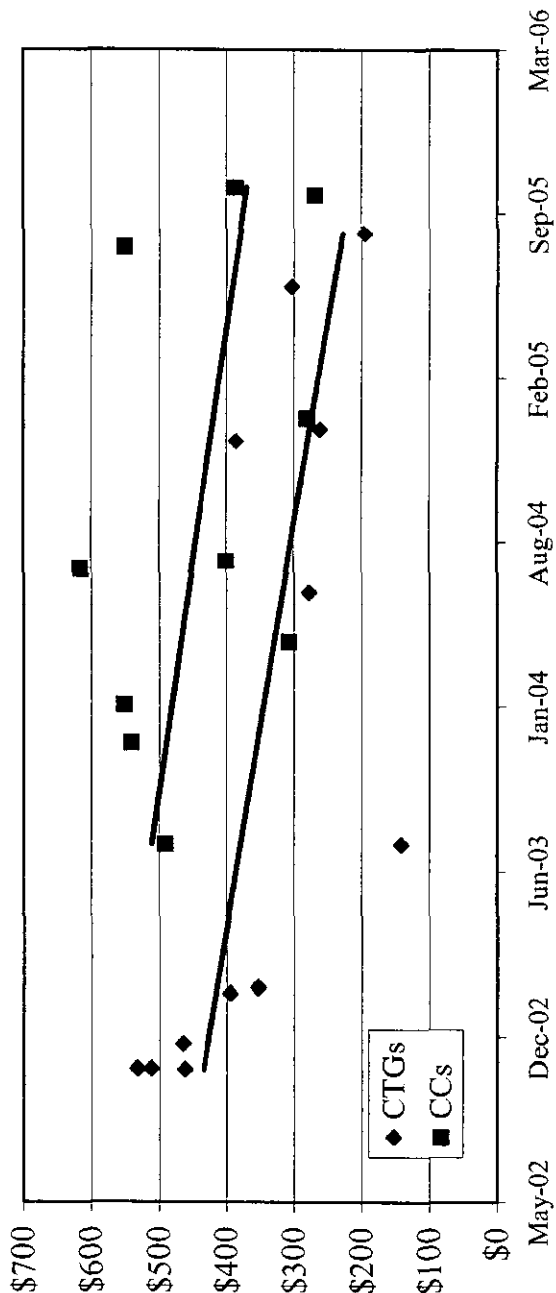
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Date	Price	Date	Price
Nov-02	\$532	Jul-03	\$491
Nov-02	\$512	Dec-03	\$541
Nov-02	\$462	Jan-04	\$550
Dec-02	\$465	Apr-04	\$307
Jan-03	\$394	Jun-04	\$616
Feb-03	\$353	Jul-04	\$400
Jul-03	\$141	Dec-04	\$280
Jun-04	\$278	Jul-05	\$550
Dec-04	\$385	Sep-05	\$268
Dec-04	\$261	Oct-05	\$385
Jun-05	\$303		
Aug-05	\$195		

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