

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of Union Electric Company d/b/a)	
AmerenUE's Tariffs Increasing Rates for Electric)	<u>Case No. ER-2007-0002</u>
Service Provided to Customers in the Company's)	Tariff No. YE-2007-0007
Missouri Service Area)	

ORDER ESTABLISHING TIME TO RESPOND TO ISSUE RAISED
IN PUBLIC COUNSEL'S BRIEF

Issue Date: May 4, 2007

Effective Date: May 4, 2007

In its Post-Hearing Brief, filed on April 21, 2007, the Office of the Public Counsel raised for the first time an issue relating to Taum Sauk Regulatory Capacity. Public Counsel proposes a \$10,320,000 downward adjustment to AmerenUE's revenue requirement based on testimony at the hearing indicating that AmerenUE's hold harmless commitment with respect to the Taum Sauk plant fails to account for regulatory capacity that is already being sold and will continue to be sold.

Since Public Counsel did not raise this issue until it filed its brief, and because the Commission did not ask the parties for reply briefs, AmerenUE and the other parties have not had an opportunity to respond to Public Counsel's newly described issue. Therefore, the Commission will allow the parties an opportunity to offer additional argument regarding this issue.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. Any party wishing to offer additional argument regarding the Taum Sauk Regulatory Capacity issue raised in the Office of the Public Counsel's Post-Hearing Brief shall do no later than 12:00 Noon on May 9, 2007.
2. This order shall become effective on May 4, 2007.

BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Colleen M. Dale', written over a horizontal line.

Colleen M. Dale
Secretary

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Morris L. Woodruff, Deputy Chief Regulatory Law
Judge, by delegation of authority
pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 4th day of May, 2007.