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

In the Matter of the Tariff Filing of Union Electric ) Company d/b/a AmerenUE, to Implement a ) General Rate Increase for Retail Electric Service ) Provided to Customers in its Missouri Service ) Area.

Case No. ER-2007-0002 Tariff No. YE-2007-0007

## STAFF'S RESPONSE TO REQUEST FOR FINANCIAL SCENARIO AND IMPACT ON AVERAGE RESIDENTIAL CUSTOMER

**COMES NOW** the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (Staff) and for its response to the Commission's May 15, 2007 Order Requesting Scenarios (Order), states:

1. The Commission's May 15, 2007 Order directs the Staff to file a financial scenario describing the effect on AmerenUE's revenue requirement and resulting rates, in particular, the average residential customer, if the Commission issued a report and order incorporating the positions set out in the Order.

2. Attached is a two page document which shows that the financial scenario in the Commission's May 15, 2007 Order results in a Missouri retail jurisdictional revenue requirement increase for AmerenUE of \$45,480,523. Of this amount \$28,852,201 goes to the residential class, pursuant to the customer class cost of service/rate design stipulation and agreement. This increase amounts to an increase in the monthly bill of the average residential customer of \$2.41 or an increase in the monthly bill of the average residential customer of 3.37%.

3. The Staff notes the number \$233 million for off-system sales which appears in the Commission's May 15, 2007 Order. That number appears in AmerenUE's post-hearing brief in reference to Dr. Michael S. Proctor and the Staff's position on off-system sales. The Staff would

further note that the number \$230 million appears in the Staff's post-hearing brief as the Staff's off-system sales margin proposal, based on the April 19, 2007 revised true-up recommendation.

4. The above is an effort on the part of the Staff to provide the Commission the information the Staff believes the Commission has requested without argument and as concisely as possible.

**WHEREFORE** the Staff submits the information that the Commission requested in its May 15, 2007 Order Requesting Scenarios.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed, hand-delivered, transmitted by facsimile or electronically mailed to all counsel of record this 17th day of May, 2007.

/s/ Steven Dottheim

#### UNION ELECTRIC COMPANY d/b/a AMERENUE MOPSC CASE NO. ER-2007-0002

#### Impact of 5/15/2007 Scenario Rates on Rate Classes

|  | TOTAL                                  | RESIDENTIAL                          | SMALL<br>GEN SERV                   | LARGE<br>GEN SERV                   | SMALL<br>PRIMARY                    | LARGE<br>PRIMARY                    | LARGE<br>TRANSMISSION                | LIGHTING &<br>OTHER              |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| True Up Revenue<br>Scenario Revenue Requirement Increase | \$2,015,626,284<br><u>\$45,480,523</u> | \$855,465,244<br><u>\$28,852,201</u> | \$230,284,507<br><u>\$6,690,125</u> | \$425,281,208<br><u>\$5,885,273</u> | \$181,098,048<br><u>\$5,874,720</u> | \$160,594,741<br><u>\$4,665,528</u> | \$135,652,313<br><u>-\$7,102,196</u> | \$27,250,223<br><u>\$614,873</u> |
| Scenario Revenues  | \$2,061,106,807                        | \$884,317,445                        | \$236,974,632                       | \$431,166,481                       | \$186,972,768                       | \$165,260,269                       | \$128,550,117                        | \$27,865,096                     |
| Percentage Increase                                      | 2.26%                                  | 3.37%                                | 2.91%                               | 1.38%                               | 3.24%                               | 2.91%                               | -5.24%                               | 2.26%                            |

#### Impact of 5/15/2007 Scenario Rates on an Average Residential Customer

| Billing              | Current Rates | Scenario Rates | Amount Increase | Percent Increase | _ |
|----------------------|---------------|----------------|-----------------|------------------|---|
| Average Annual Bill  | \$856.26      | \$885.14       | \$28.88         | 3.37%            |   |
| Average Monthly Bill | \$71.36       | \$73.76        | \$2.41          | 3.37%            |   |

## UNION ELECTRIC COMPANY d/b/a AMERENUE MOPSC CASE NO. ER-2007-0002 Impact of 5/15/2007 Scenario Rates on an Average Residential Customer

Total Missouri Revenue Requirement Increase: Residential Class Revenue Requirement Increase: \$45,480,523 \$28,852,201

| Average Amount of Increase to Monthly Bill: | \$2.41 |
|---|--------|
| Average Percent Increase to Monthly Bill:   | 3.37%  |

| AVG Cust Billing<br>Units | Current RES Rates                   | Avg Cust Annual<br>Bill   |
|---------------------------|-------------------------------------|---|
| 12                        | \$7.25                              | \$87.00   |
| 4801                      | \$0.0764                            | \$366.82  |
| 5958                      | \$0.0542                            | \$322.95  |
| 2172                      | \$0.0366                            | \$79.50   |
| 12932                     |                                     | \$769.26  |
|                           |                                     | \$856.26<br>\$71.36   |
|                           | Units<br>12<br>4801<br>5958<br>2172 | Units Current RES Rates   12 \$7.25   4801 \$0.0764   5958 \$0.0542   2172 \$0.0366 |

#### Average Customer Bill on Current Rates

#### Average Customer Bill on Scenario Rates

|                               | AVG Cust Billing<br>Units | RES Rates @ \$45.48<br>Million | AVG Cust Annual<br>Bill |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Customer Charge:<br>Std Bills | 12                        | \$7.25                         | \$87.00                 |
| Energy Charge:                |                           |                                |                         |
| Summer kWh                    | 4801                      | \$0.0793                       | \$380.74                |
| Standard kWh                  |                           |                                |                         |
| Winter kWh                    |                           |                                |                         |
| Std First 750 kWh             | 5958                      | \$0.0562                       | \$334.86                |
| Std Over 750 kWh              | 2172                      | \$0.0380                       | \$82.54                 |
|                               | 12932                     |                                | \$798.14                |
| Annual Bill:                  |                           |                                | \$885.14                |
| Monthly Bill:                 |                           |                                | \$73.76                 |
| Percent Change:               |                           |                                | 3.37%                   |