

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

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Missouri Public
Service Commission

The Staff of the Missouri Public
Service Commission,

Complainant,

v.

Union Electric Company, d/b/a
AmerenUE,

Respondent.

Case No. EC-2002-1

REQUEST FOR LEAVE TO APPEAR

COMES NOW Union Electric Company d/b/a AmerenUE ("UE"), a Missouri corporation, and pursuant to 4 CSR 240-2.040(3)(c) hereby requests the Commission to grant leave to the law firm of Cooper & Kirk to appear and participate as co-counsel on behalf of UE in this case. In support of its motion, UE states as follows:

1. Mr. Robert J. Cynkar of the law firm Cooper & Kirk is a member in good standing of the bars of the states of Virginia (#23349) and Illinois (#00567140) and of the District of Columbia (#957845).
2. Mr. Victor J. Wolski of the law firm Cooper & Kirk is a member in good standing of the bars of the states of California (#159535), Washington (#23915), and Oregon (#96540) and of the District of Columbia (bar number pending).
3. Mr. Gordon D. Todd of the law firm Cooper & Kirk is a member in good standing of the bar of the state of Virginia (# 45934) and has been admitted to practice in the District of Columbia (oath of admission pending).

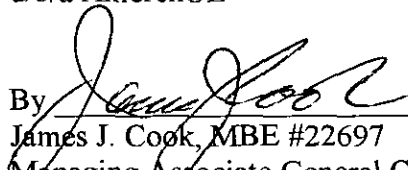
4. None of the aforementioned attorneys or any member of the law firm Cooper & Kirk are disqualified to appear before any of the courts listed above.

5. Mr. James J. Cook is a member in good standing of the Missouri Bar (MBE #22697) and is currently and will continue to appear as an attorney of record for UE in this case. Mr. Cook's address is 1901 Chouteau Avenue, St. Louis, Missouri 63103.

WHEREFORE, for the foregoing reasons, Union Electric Company respectfully requests that the Commission grant permission to Mr. Robert J. Cynkar, Mr. Victor J. Wolski and Mr. Gordon D. Todd to appear and participate in conjunction with Mr. Cook as attorneys of record for Union Electric Company in this case.

Respectfully submitted,

UNION ELECTRIC COMPANY
d/b/a AmerenUE

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Robert J. Cynkar, of lawful age and being first duly sworn, deposes and states:

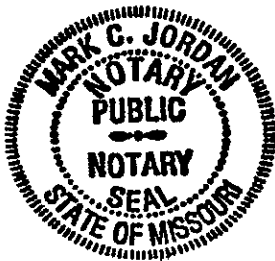
1. My name is Robert J. Cynkar and I am an attorney with the law firm of Cooper & Kirk.
2. I hereby certify that neither I nor any other member of Cooper & Kirk are disqualified to appear in any of the courts in the states of Illinois, Virginia, California, Washington or Oregon, or in the District of Columbia.


Robert J. Cynkar

Subscribed and sworn to me this 27th day of November, 2001.


Notary Public

My Commission Expires:



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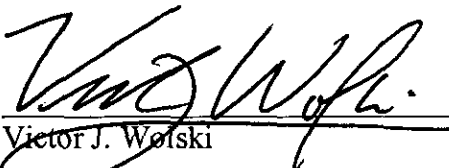
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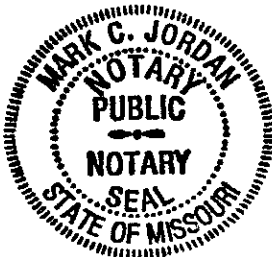
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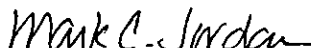


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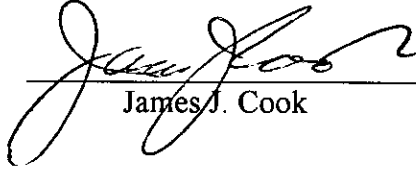


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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing was served via first-class, U.S. mail, postage prepaid, to all parties of record on this 22nd day of November, 2001.



James J. Cook