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CASE NO: EM-2001-233

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Enclosed find certified copy of an ORDER in the above-numbered case(s).

Sincerely,

Dale Hardy Roberts

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Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

#### OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Union Electric Company, d/b/a AmerenUE, for an Order ) Authorizing the Sale, Transfer and Assignment of Certain Assets, Real Estate Leased Property, ) Case No. EM-2001-233 Easements and Contractual Agreements to Central Illinois Public Service Company, d/b/a ) AmerenCIPS, and, in Connection Therewith, Certain Other Related Transactions.

## ORDER DIRECTING FILING

A prehearing conference was held on December 20, 2000. January 16, 2001, the parties to this case, including Union Electric Company, d/b/a AmerenUE (AmerenUE), filed a Unanimous Stipulation and Agreement regarding the proposed procedural schedule for this matter. In response to that agreement, the Commission set the procedural schedule as requested.

On February 6, 2001, AmerenUE filed a motion requesting that the procedural schedule be held in abeyance until AmerenUE had a chance to complete forecasts that are necessary in developing its supplemental testimony. AmerenUE indicated that all the dates in the procedural schedule were dependent upon its filing the supplemental testimony. AmerenUE stated that it could give the Commission a status report with projected dates for filing of the supplemental testimony by February 20, 2001.

The Commission granted the request to hold the procedural schedule in abeyance on February 26, 2001. AmerenUE was directed to



file its supplemental testimony or a status report regarding the filing no later than March 15, 2001. AmerenUE filed a status report on March 15, 2001, stating that it was not yet prepared to file additional testimony and stating that it would respond to the Commission further by April 15, 2001. Therefore, the Commission will direct that AmerenUE file either its supplemental testimony and a proposed procedural schedule, or a further status report as directed below.

#### IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

- 1. That Union Electric Company, d/b/a AmerenUE, shall file no later than April 16, 2001, its supplemental direct testimony or a report regarding the status of that testimony, and a proposed revised procedural schedule.
  - 2. That this order shall become effective on April 7, 2001.

BY THE COMMISSION

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Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

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Nancy Dippell, Senior Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 28th day of March, 2001.

# **STATE OF MISSOURI**

# OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

I have compared the preceding copy with the original on file in this office and I do hereby certify the same to be a true copy therefrom and the whole thereof.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the Public Service Commission, at Jefferson City,

Missouri, this 28th day of March 2001.

Dale Hardy Roberts

Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge