

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

Craig Mershon,)	
)	
Complainant,)	
)	
vs.)	File No. EC-2013-0521
)	
Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri)	
)	
Respondent.)	

**NOTICE OF HEARING, ORDER RE-SETTING PROCEDURAL
SCHEDULE, AND ORDER TO FILE RESPONSE**

Issue Date: January 16, 2014

Effective Date: January 16, 2014

The Missouri Public Service Commission is giving notice of an evidentiary hearing, re-setting the procedural schedule in accordance with *Ameren's Third Proposed Procedural Schedule*¹ ("motion") subject to Craig Mershon's response, and directing Mr. Mershon to file a response to this order.

Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri ("Ameren") filed the motion on January 13, citing the *Order Cancelling Hearing*,² and alleging that Mr. Mershon has yet to serve discovery on Ameren. Ameren's proposals include the following:

<i>Event</i>	<i>Date</i>
Deadline to Serve Discovery	January 20
Deadline to Respond or Object to Discovery Served	January 24
Final Pre-Hearing Conference to Address Discovery Disputes or other Pre-Hearing Matters	January 28
Evidentiary Hearing beginning at 10:30 a.m.	February 27
Deadline to File Post-Hearing Briefs	March 13

¹ Electronic Filing and Information System ("EFIS") No. 73 filed on January 13. All dates are in 2014.

² EFIS No. 72 issued on January 10.

That schedule complies with the Commission's regulation providing that this action shall "be processed in the timeliest manner possible [,]"³ sets ample time to prepare for hearing on this matter, and is coordinated with Staff. Staff filed a response to the motion on January 14,⁴ showing its limited availability dates for the hearing that Mr. Mershon seeks. The Commission will also consider a response from Mr. Mershon but, in the interest of administrative efficiency, the Commission will set the procedural schedule as Ameren proposed and Staff agreed. The Commission may change that schedule based on Mr. Mershon's response to this notice and order.

The Commission will also order Mr. Mershon to file a response to this notice and order. Mr. Mershon's response shall set forth either his agreement or disagreement with the procedural schedule as provided in this notice and order. Any response disagreeing with this order shall set forth an alternative schedule. If incomplete discovery is the basis for Mr. Mershon's disagreement, Mr. Mershon shall set forth the discovery that remains incomplete.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The procedural schedule shall be as set forth in the body of this notice and order.
2. The Commission will convene a pre-hearing conference on January 28, 2014, at 10:00 a.m. in Room 305 of the Governor Office Building, 200 Madison Street, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102. Any appearance may be either in person or through counsel, and may be either in the hearing room or by telephone. Any appearance by telephone shall be made by dialing [526-5904](tel:526-5904) or [866-630-9352](tel:866-630-9352) at the pre-hearing conference's start time.

³ 4 CSR 240-2.070(15)(C).

⁴ EFIS No. 74, *Staff Response to Ameren Missouri's Third Proposed Procedural Schedule*.

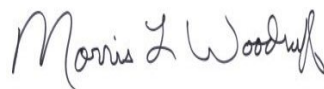
3. The Commission will convene an evidentiary hearing on the merits of the complaint on February 27, 2014, at 10:30 a.m. in City Hall Courtroom at 9641 Bellefontaine Road, St. Louis, Missouri. Any appearance may be either in person or through counsel, and may be either in the hearing room or by telephone. Any appearance by telephone shall be made by dialing [526-5904](tel:526-5904) or [866-630-9352](tel:866-630-9352) at the evidentiary hearing's start time.

3. Each building listed in this order meets accessibility standards required by the Americans with Disabilities Act. Any person who needs additional accommodations to participate in the pre-hearing conference or evidentiary hearing shall contact the Commission not later than the day before such event. Such contact shall be through the Commission's Hotline at 1-800-392-4211 (voice) or Relay Missouri at 711.

4. Mr. Mershon shall file a response to this notice and order. The content of the response shall be as set forth in the body of this notice and order. The Commission must receive the response no later than January 27, 2014.

5. This order is effective immediately upon issuance.

BY THE COMMISSION



Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary



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

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 16th day of January, 2014.