BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In re: Union Electric Company's Change to its)	
2011 Utility Resource Filing pursuant to)	Case No. EO-2012-
4 CSR 240 – Chapter 22.)	

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN PREFERRED PLAN

COMES NOW, Union Electric Company, d/b/a Ameren Missouri (Ameren Missouri or Company), and for its *Notice of Change in Preferred Plan*, states as follows:

- 1. Pursuant to 4 CSR 240-22.080(12), Ameren Missouri files this Notice of Change in Preferred Plan.
- 2. On or about 60 days ago, Ameren Missouri determined that its preferred resource plan, as set forth in its most recent Integrated Resource Plan (IRP) filing, was no longer appropriate. Accordingly, the Company makes this filing today to notify the Missouri Public Service Commission (Commission) as required by 4 CSR 240-22.080(12). The Company is not implementing any of the contingency resource plans contained in its February 2011 filing, but rather will implement a revised resource plan as set forth in 4 CSR 240-22.080(12)(B).
- 3. The attached report and supporting documentation explains this change, but in short, the impetus for the change can be found in the Report and Order in the Company's last electric rate case, Case No. ER-2011-0028. In that case, the Company requested the Commission approve a billing unit adjustment to address the throughput disincentive experienced by the Company due to its energy efficiency investment. The Commission's Report and Order acknowledged the impact of the throughput disincentive but also indicated the Company would need to make a filing under its Missouri Energy

Efficiency Investment Act (MEEIA) rules in order to obtain relief. The Company hopes to make that filing during the first quarter of next year, but has also decided it cannot commit to the current 20 year plan which includes energy efficiency investment at \$20 million annually. Additionally, because it cannot know whether any proposed MEEIA filing will be adopted, the Company cannot presume it will be able to maintain the \$20 million level of investment over the 20 year planning horizon. The rest of the preferred plan is unchanged.

4. Attached to this pleading is the information required by the Commission's IRP rules, at 4 CSR 240-22.080(12)(B), including a description of the revised resource plan, an explanation of why none of the contingency resource plans were chosen and a specification of the critical uncertain factors which define the limits within which the new resource plan remains appropriate.

WHEREFORE, Ameren Missouri provides this notice in compliance with 4 CSR 240-22.080(12).

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Notice was served on the following parties via electronic mail (e-mail) on this 25th day of October, 2011.

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