BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of Union Electric Company) d/b/a Ameren Missouri's Tariffs to) Decrease Its Revenues for Electric Service)

Case No ER-2019-0335

MISSOURI INDUSTRIAL ENERGY CONSUMERS' RESPONSE IN SUPPORT OF PUBLIC COUNSEL'S MOTION TO AMEND PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

COMES NOW the Missouri Industrial Energy Consumers ("MIEC") and for its Response in Support of Public Counsel's Motion to Amend Procedural Schedule states as follows:

1. On January 31, the parties¹ filed a motion to amend the procedural schedule, which the Commission granted the same day. Also that same day, the Office of the Public Counsel ("Public Counsel") filed a motion in which it requested that the Commission approve additional short delays to three filings or submissions: Surrebuttal and True-up Testimony; the List of Issues, Order of Witnesses, Order of Cross Examination; and Valuation of Parties' Positions (submitted to Staff rather than filed).

2. On February 4, the Commission issued an order shortening the time for filing responses to Public Counsel's motion, and set a deadline for those responses of 11:00 A.M. on February 6.

3. The MIEC supports Public Counsel's motion. In addition to the reasons Public Counsel outlines (all of which apply to the MIEC as well), the MIEC has agreed to make one of its witnesses available for deposition on February 13, which creates an additional burden on meeting the existing February 14 deadline.

¹ Most of the parties were signatories, and none of the parties objected.

WHEREFORE, the MIEC submits this response in support of Public Counsel's motion to

further amend the procedural schedule.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I do hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing document has been emailed this 5th day of February, 2020, to all parties on the Commission's service list in this case.

/s/ Lewis Mills_____