BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

Noranda Aluminum, Inc., et al,

Complainants,

v.

Union Electric Company, d/b/a Ameren Missouri File No. EC-2014-0224

Respondent.

ORDER ESTABLISHING TIME TO RESPOND TO NON-UNANIMOUS STIPULATION AND AGREEMENT

Issue Date: February 14, 2014

Effective Date February 14, 2014

On February 12, 2014, Noranda Aluminum, Inc. and 37 other individual customers of Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri filed a complaint with the Missouri Public Service Commission against Ameren Missouri, asking that Ameren Missouri be required to redesign its rate structure to reduce rates for Noranda. The Missouri Industrial Energy Consumers (MIEC) and the Missouri Retailers Association (MRA) applied to intervene on the same day this case was filed.

Thereafter, still on February 12, MIEC and MRA filed a non-unanimous stipulation and agreement indicating their agreement with Noranda's request for a rate redesign. Along with their stipulation and agreement, MIEC and MRA moved the Commission to extend the time allowed for response to their stipulation and agreement until sometime after the close of the intervention period for this case.

MIEC and MRA have applied to intervene in this case, but the Commission has not yet granted those applications. The Commission will not act on either application to intervene until after March 17, when, by previous order, the other parties may respond to those applications. As a result, MIEC and MRA are not yet parties to this case and, under Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-2.115, will have no standing to file a stipulation and agreement unless and until they are allowed to intervene.

Nevertheless, to avoid any confusion about if and when other parties will be required to respond to the non-unanimous stipulation and agreement, the Commission will establish a time for such a response.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. Any party wishing to respond to the non-unanimous stipulation and agreement filed on February 12, 2014, by the Missouri Industrial Energy Consumers and the Missouri Retailers Association shall do so no later than seven calendar days after the Commission issues an order allowing the Missouri Industrial Energy Consumers and the Missouri Retailers Association to intervene. If the Missouri Industrial Energy Consumers and the Missouri Retailers Association are not allowed to intervene then no response to their non-unanimous stipulation and agreement is necessary.

2. This order shall become effective upon issuance.



BY THE COMMISSION

Morris I Woodruf

Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 14th day of February, 2014.

Woodruff, Chief Regulatory Law Judge