

**STATE OF MISSOURI
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

At a session of the Public Service Commission held at its office in Jefferson City on the 27th day of July, 2022.

In the Matter of Union Electric Company)
d/b/a Ameren Missouri's Request for a) **File No. EE-2022-0329**
Waiver from Tariff Sheets 146 through 150) Tracking No. JE-2022-0274

**ORDER EXTENDING WAIVER
AND ACKNOWLEDGING TARIFF SUSPENSION**

Issue Date: July 27, 2022

Effective Date: July 27, 2022

On June 1, 2022, the Commission issued an order granting Union Electric, d/b/a Ameren Missouri's request for a waiver of a portion of its tariff that sets out an Emergency Energy Conservation Procedure. The waiver was effective through July 23, 2022. The order directed Ameren Missouri to file tariff sheets to revise its tariff on a permanent basis. Ameren Missouri filed the revised tariff sheets on June 9, 2022, with a July 9, 2022 effective date. Ameren Missouri voluntarily extended the effective date to August 9, 2022.

Ameren Missouri filed a substitute tariff sheet on July 8, 2022. On July 11, 2022, the Staff of the Commission filed a recommendation to approve the tariff sheets, as substituted. Other responses were directed to be filed no later than July 21, 2022. On July 14, 2022, Ameren Missouri filed a request to extend the tariff waiver until August 9, 2022, the effective date of the revised tariff sheets. Ameren Missouri also filed a motion for expedited consideration of the extension so that there would not be a gap between the temporary waiver and the effective date of the revised tariff sheets. On July 21, 2022, the Commission granted the waiver extension to August 9, 2022.

The Office of the Public Counsel (OPC) filed a response to the tariff revision on July 21, 2022, and an amendment to that response on July 22, 2022. In its response, OPC recommended the Commission direct Ameren to provide further explanation for part of the proposed tariff language and remove a portion of the proposed language. OPC also expressed some concerns about another portion of the proposed tariff language.

On July 25, 2022, the regulatory law judge discussed the procedural status of this file with counsel for all parties. During those discussions, OPC indicated it would not object to the Commission extending the waiver further, while Ameren Missouri responds to OPC's filings. Additionally, Ameren Missouri agreed it would voluntarily extend the effective date of the tariff sheets for an additional 30 days. On that same date, Ameren Missouri extended the effective date of the proposed tariff sheets, Tracking No. JE-2022-0274, until September 9, 2022.

Ameren Missouri's tariff at Mo. P.S.C. Schedule No. 6, Tariff Sheet No. 105, provides for a waiver of any portion of its tariffs for good cause shown. The Commission previously determined good cause existed to waive and modify Ameren Missouri's Emergency Energy Conservation Procedure as set out in its tariff. After reviewing filings of the parties, including the further extension of the tariff effective date to September 9, 2022, the Commission finds Ameren Missouri has continued to demonstrate good cause for the waiver and it should be extended so that no gap between the waiver and the effective date of revised tariff sheets occurs.

For the same reasons that good cause exists to grant and extend the waiver, the Commission finds it reasonable to make this order effective when issued.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The waiver from and a modification of Mo.P.S.C. Schedule No. 6, Sheet Nos. 146 through 150, Emergency Energy Conservation Procedure, previously granted and extended by the Commission is further extended through September 9, 2022, as follows:

A. The number of days listed in each step of the procedure will be modified as follows:

1. 50 days in Step 1 will become 30 days,
2. 40 days found in Step 2 will become 20 days,
3. 30 days found in Step 3 will become 15 days, and
4. 25 days found in Step 4 will become 10 days.

B. Reaching any of the days listed in the modified procedure will not function as an automatic trigger for taking the associated Step. Instead, Ameren Missouri will inform Staff and Public Counsel if the modified days are reached at any particular Step. If Ameren Missouri does not believe the applicable Step actions should be taken despite having reached the days level that would otherwise trigger taking a particular Step, Ameren Missouri will, within 2 business days after the Step would have otherwise been triggered, file a further variance request to be relieved of taking that Step along with documentation and explanations of the specific circumstances that justify that decision. If such a filing is timely made, the obligation to take that Step shall be suspended until such time as the Commission rules on the variance request.

3. Ameren Missouri shall keep Staff and Public Counsel informed of its generation reliability status by maintaining regular calls and/or emails every two weeks and providing Staff and Public Counsel weekly generation status reports through September 30, 2022. Those status reports shall contain at a minimum:

- A. Projected maximum load;
- B. Projected max/min ambient temperatures;
- C. Projected MISO market prices over the next week;
- D. Projected probability that MISO will call for a curtailment over the next week; and

E. Whether each generating unit is available, derated, or on outage (with estimated restoration date).

4. This order shall become effective on July 27, 2022.



BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Morris L. Woodruff".

Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

Silvey, Chm., Rupp, Coleman, Holsman, and
Kolkmeier CC., concur.

Dippell, Deputy Chief Regulatory Law Judge

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 27th day of July, 2022.





Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

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Enclosed find a certified copy of an Order or Notice issued in the above-referenced matter(s).

Sincerely,



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