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

In the Matter of the Second Prudence Review of	)	
Costs Subject to the Commission-Approved Fuel	)	File No. EO-2012-0074
Adjustment Clause of Union Electric Company,	)	
d/b/a Ameren Missouri	)	

## ORDER SCHEDULING PREHEARING CONFERENCE

Issue Date: March 7, 2012 Effective Date: March 7, 2012

On October 28, 2011, the Staff of the Commission filed a prudence report and recommendation regarding its review of costs related to Union Electric Company, d/b/a Ameren Missouri's Fuel Adjustment Clause. Staff recommends the Commission find that Ameren Missouri was imprudent in not including all costs and revenues associated with certain off-system sales of energy in determining associated fuel adjustment clause charges. As a result of this alleged imprudence, Staff recommends the Commission order Ameren Missouri to refund money, plus interest accrued after May 31, 2011, to its customers through an adjustment to its fuel adjustment clause charge. On November 7, 2011, and again on March 7, 2012, Ameren Missouri filed timely requests for hearings.

So that this matter may be promptly resolved, the Commission will schedule a prehearing conference to discuss a procedural schedule.

## THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

 A prehearing conference is scheduled for March 21, 2012, at 1:00 p.m., at the Commission's office at the Governor Office Building, 200 Madison Street, Jefferson City, Missouri, Room 305. This building meets accessibility standards required by the Americans with Disabilities Act. If you need additional accommodations to participate in this conference, please call the Public Service Commission's Hotline at 1-800-392-4211 (voice) or Relay Missouri at 711 before the conference.

2. This order shall become effective immediately upon issuance.

BY THE COMMISSION

Steven C. Reed Secretary

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Ronald D. Pridgin, Senior Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 7<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2012.