STATE OF MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

At a session of the Public Service Commission held at its office in Jefferson City on the 2nd day of September, 2009.

In the Matter of Union Electric Company, d/b/a)	File No. ER-2010-0036
AmerenUE's Tariffs to Increase Its Annual)	Tariff Nos. YE-2010-0054
Revenues for Electric Service)	and YE-2010-0055

ORDER GRANTING THE APPLICATION TO INTERVENE OF THE NATURAL RESOURCES DEFENSE COUNCIL

Issue Date: September 2, 2009 Effective Date: September 2, 2009

On July 24, 2009, Union Electric Company, d/b/a AmerenUE, filed a tariff designed to increase its annual revenues for electric service. The Commission suspended that tariff and established August 17 as the deadline for interested parties to apply to intervene.

The Natural Resources Defense Council (NRDC) applied to intervene on August 17. The NRDC is a nonprofit corporation organized under the laws of New York. The NRDC and its members are interested in promoting energy efficiency, peak demand reduction, and renewable energy resources to meet Missouri's energy needs. More than ten days have passed since the NRDC applied to intervene and no party has objected to that application.

The Commission finds that the interest of the NRDC in this case is different from that of the general public, and may be adversely affected by a final order arising from this case. Furthermore, the Commission finds that allowing the NRDC to intervene will serve the public interest. Therefore, in accordance with Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-2.075(4), the Commission will grant the application to intervene.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- 1. The Application to Intervene of the Natural Resources Defense Council is granted.
 - 2. This order shall become effective immediately upon issuance.

BY THE COMMISSION

Steven C. Reed Secretary

(SEAL)

Clayton, Chm., Gunn, and Kenney, CC., concur. Davis, C., concurs, with separate concurring opinion to follow.

Jarrett, C., dissents, with separate dissenting opinion to follow.

Woodruff, Chief Regulatory Law Judge