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

In the Matter of Ameren Missouri's	)	
Application for Authorization to	)	File No. ET-2014-0085
Suspend Payment of Solar Rebates	)	

## ORDER DIRECTING STAFF TO RESPOND

Issue Date: December 31, 2013 Effective Date: December 31, 2013

On December 12, 2013, the Commission issued an order that approved a tariff issued by Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri. In the same order, the Commission granted a variance from a Commission rule as requested by Ameren Missouri. The variance was intended to allow the company to implement a reservation-style system for payment of solar rebates. The Commission's order granting that variance included explanatory language recommended by Staff that tends to limit the application of the variance.

On December 20, Ameren Missouri filed a timely application for rehearing. The company explains that the limiting language on the variance is too narrow and fails to grant all the flexibility Ameren Missouri will need to implement its reservation-style system for payment of solar rebates. For that reason, Ameren Missouri asks the Commission to add additional language to its order to expand the reach of the previously granted variance.

The Commission will direct Staff to file a response to Ameren Missouri's motion no later than January 3, 2014.

## THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

The Commission's Staff shall file a response to Union Electric Company d/b/a
 Ameren Missouri's Application for Rehearing no later than January 3, 2014.

2. This order shall become effective upon issuance.



## BY THE COMMISSION

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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

Morris L. Woodruff, Chief Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 31<sup>st</sup> day of December, 2013.