

**STATE OF MISSOURI  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

At a session of the Public Service  
Commission held at its office in  
Jefferson City on the 4<sup>th</sup> day of  
September, 2012.

In the Matter of the Adjustment of	)	
Union Electric Company d/b/a	)	File No. ER-2013-0030
Ameren Missouri's Fuel Adjustment	)	Tariff No. YE-2013-0057
Clause for the 10 <sup>th</sup> Accumulation Period	)	
In the Matter of the True-Up of	)	
Union Electric Company d/b/a	)	File No. ER-2013-0031
Ameren Missouri's Fuel Adjustment	)	
Clause for the Sixth Recovery Period	)	
In the Matter of the True-Up of	)	
Union Electric Company d/b/a	)	File No. ER-2013-0033
Ameren Missouri's Fuel Adjustment	)	
Clause for the Seventh Recovery Period	)	

**ORDER RESOLVING AMEREN MISSOURI'S FUEL AND PURCHASED  
POWER ADJUSTMENT FILINGS**

Issue Date: September 4, 2012

Effective Date: September 24, 2012

On July 26, 2012, Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri submitted a revised tariff sheet, with accompanying testimony, to modify the company's fuel and purchased power adjustment for the tenth recovery period. That modification includes the amounts to be trued-up for the sixth and seventh recovery periods under the company's Rider FAC. The revised tariff carries a September 24 effective date. Along with its tariff submission, Ameren Missouri submitted true-up filings for its sixth and seventh recovery periods. The filing for Recovery Period 6 was assigned File No. ER-2013-0031, and the filing for Recovery Period 7 was assigned File No. ER-2013-0033.

Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-20.090(5)(D) requires the Commission's Staff to examine and analyze the information Ameren Missouri has submitted and to submit a recommendation to the Commission not later than 30 days after Ameren Missouri made its filing. Under that rule, the Commission must then act to approve, reject, or suspend Ameren Missouri's true-up filing within 60 days unless that timeline is suspended by the Commission.

Staff's recommendation, filed on August 24, indicated its agreement that the true-up amount for Recovery Period 6 (billing months June 2011 through May 2012) is an under recovery of \$610,523, with interest. Staff's recommendation further indicates that the true-up amount for Recovery Period 7 (billing months October 2011 through May 2012) is an over-collection by Ameren Missouri of \$2,128,296, with interest.<sup>1</sup> Staff explains that Ameren Missouri has included those true-up amounts in its Recovery Period 10 rates, currently pending before the Commission in File No. ER-2013-0030.

Ameren Missouri's tariff revision will incorporate the indicated true-up amounts for Recovery Periods 6 and 7, as well as 95 percent of the difference between Ameren Missouri's actual fuel and purchased power costs net of off-system sales revenue and Ameren Missouri's Base Energy Cost during the accumulation period of February 2012 through May 2012. The result of those adjustments will be a decrease in the Fuel Adjustment Charge of an average Ameren Missouri residential customer's bill from \$3.17 to \$2.96, a decrease of \$0.21 per month.

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<sup>1</sup> In Ameren Missouri's last rate case the Commission changed the recovery periods from 12 months to 8 months. Recovery Period 6 is the last 12-month recovery period and Recovery Period 7 is the first 8-month recovery period.

By the terms of the Commission's regulation, all parties to Ameren Missouri's rate case, ER-2011-0028, are automatically parties to this case.<sup>2</sup> In an order issued on July 30, the Commission notified those parties of Ameren Missouri's filing and invited any other interested parties to apply to intervene by August 15. No additional party asked to intervene and no party has responded to Staff's recommendation.

Based on the verified recommendation of its Staff, the Commission will approve Ameren Missouri's true-up filings for Recovery Period 6 and Recovery Period 7. In addition, the Commission will approve Ameren Missouri's tariff filing to implement revised rates for Recovery Period 10.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. The true-up amount for Recovery Period 6 is established as an under-collection by Ameren Missouri of \$610,523 (with interest) from its customers.
2. The true-up amount for Recovery Period 7 is established as an over-collection by Ameren Missouri of \$2,128,296 (with interest) from its customers.
3. The tariff submitted by Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri on July 26, 2012, as Tariff No. YE-2013-0057 to revise its Fuel and Purchased Power Adjustment Rates is approved to be effective on September 24, 2012. The specific tariff sheet approved is:

**MO. P.S.C. Schedule No. 5**

3<sup>rd</sup> Revised Sheet No. 98.21, Cancelling 2<sup>nd</sup> Revised Sheet No. 98.21.

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<sup>2</sup> Commission Rule 4 CSR 20-20.090(5)(D).

4. This order shall become effective on September 24, 2012.

**BY THE COMMISSION**



Steven C. Reed  
Secretary

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Gunn, Chm., Jarrett, Kenney,  
and Stoll, CC., concur.

Woodruff, Chief Regulatory Law Judge