

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

In The Matter of the Application of Union Electric     )  
Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri and Farmers'         )  
Electric Cooperative, Inc. for Approval of an         )  
Addendum to an Approved Territorial Agreement     )

**File No. EO-2018-0278**

**ORDER GRANTING WAIVER OF 60-DAY NOTICE REQUIREMENT**

Issue Date: April 9, 2018

Effective Date: April 9, 2018

On April 6, 2018, Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri and Farmers' Electric Cooperative, Inc. (Farmers') jointly filed a request for waiver indicating their intent to file a pleading to amend their existing territorial agreement to allow Farmers' to serve a single customer at a location within Ameren Missouri's authorized service area. Ameren Missouri and Farmers' ask the Commission to waive the provision of 4 CSR 240-4.017(1) that would require them to file written notice of their intent to file that pleading sixty days before its filing. Section 4 CSR 240-4.017(4) allows the Commission to waive the 60-day notice requirement for good cause.

Ameren Missouri and Farmers' assert that good cause for their failure to comply with the 60-day notice requirement exists because approval to proceed was given by Farmers' Board of Directors only on March 29, and delaying filing of the pleading would cause harm to the customer who wishes to quickly obtain service from Farmers' to install a three-phase irrigation pump.

The Commission finds that Ameren Missouri and Farmers have demonstrated good cause for their requested waiver. The Commission will grant that request.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. The request for waiver of the 60-day notice requirement of 4 CSR 240-4.017(1) filed by Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri and Farmers' Electric Cooperative, Inc. is granted.
2. This order shall be effective when issued.

**BY THE COMMISSION**



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

Morris L. Woodruff  
Secretary

Morris L. Woodruff, Chief Regulatory  
Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant  
to Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 9<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2018.