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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

In the Matter of

CERTIFICATE

AMEREN CORPORATION

OF

File No. 70-9133

NOTIFICATION

(Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935)

This Certificate of Notification is filed by Ameren Corporation, a Missouri corporation, pursuant to Rule 24. Such filing is made pursuant to Ameren's Form U-1 Application-Declaration, as amended (the "Application-Declaration"), and the order of the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission") dated March 13, 1998. This Certificate is filed with respect to transactions consummated during the quarter ended September 30, 2001.

- 1) Ameren common stock New Issue: None
 (Other than pursuant to the plans referred to below under 2))
- 2) Ameren common stock dividend reinvestment plan and employee benefit plans: Ameren purchased 617,492 shares under its dividend reinvestment plan, 0 shares under its Long Term Incentive Plan and 169,686 shares under its employee benefit plans.
- 3) Guarantees issued No performance guarantees. No financial guarantees were issued during the 3rd quarter of 2001.
- 4) Short-term debt issued by Ameren during the 3rd quarter of 2001:
 - A. Commercial paper issued through J. P. Morgan Securities and/or Banc of America Securities during the quarter, ranging from \$345.0 million to \$455.2 million, at an average interest rate of 3.7%.
 - B. Bank loans from Banca Nazionale del Lavoro and Northern Trust:

BNL - \$20 million from 7/9/01 through 7/15/01 at a rate of 4.08% BNL - \$20 million from 7/16/01 through 7/22/01 at a rate of 4.10% Northern Trust - \$10 million from 7/9/01 through 7/15/01 at a rate of 4.15%

Northern Trust - \$10 million from 7/16/01 through 7/22/01 at a rate of 4.35%

Northern Trust - \$10 million from 9/12/01 at a rate of 4.00%

Maximum indebtedness at any one time: \$485.2 million from 7/20/01 through 7/22/01.

5) Financings consummated by any Utility Subsidiary not exempt under Rule 52:

Union Electric Company:

Commercial paper issued through Bank One Capital Markets, Goldman Sachs, and/or A. G. Edwards & Sons, ranging from a low of \$0 to a high of \$178 million, at an average interest rate of 3.8%.

- Financings consummated by any Nonutility Subsidiary, not exempt under Rule 52: None.
- 7) Forms U-6B-2 filed with the Commission:
 Quarterly report filed on November 27, 2001 by Ameren Corporation and various subsidiaries.
- 8) Balance Sheets:
 The consolidated and stand-alone balance sheets of Ameren Corporation,
 Central Illinois Public Service Company and Union Electric Company are
 attached as Exhibit A.
- 9) Registration Statements: None.

SIGNATURE

The undersigned registered holding company has duly caused this quarterly report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned officer thereunto duly authorized pursuant to the requirements of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935.

Ameren Corporation

By /s/ Steven R. Sullivan

Steven R. Sullivan

Vice President, General Counsel

and Secretary

November 27, 2001

AMEREN CORPORATION CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET UNAUDITED

(Thousands of Dollars, Except Shares)

ASSETS	September 30, 2001
Property and plant, at original cost:	
Electric	\$13,316,855
Gas	527,071
Other	104,495
	13,948,421
Less accumulated depreciation and amortization	6,454,929
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Construction work in progress:	
Nuclear fuel in process	87,171
Other	644,734
Total property and plant, net	8,225,397
Investments and other assets:	
Investments	40,187
Nuclear decommissioning trust fund	174,478
Other	99,367
Total investments and other assets	314,032
Current assets:	
Cash and cash equivalents	112,112
Accounts receivable - trade (less allowance for doubtful	
accounts of \$8,786 and \$8,028, respectively)	514,105
Other accounts and notes receivable	45,081
Materials and supplies, at average cost -	
Fossil fuel	155,955
Other	120,676
Other current assets	35 , 152
Total current assets	983,081
Regulatory assets:	
Deferred income taxes	602,414
Other	153,012
Total regulatory assets	755 , 426
Total Assets	\$10,277,936
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CAPITAL AND LIABILITIES

Capitalization:	
Common stock, \$.01 par value, 400,000,000 shares authorized -	
137,539,177 shares outstanding	\$ 1,375
Other paid-in capital, principally premium on	
common stock	1,593,098
Retained earnings	1,772,113
Accumulated other comprehensive income	(4,755)
Other	(5,117)
Total common stockholders' equity	3,356,714
Preferred stock not subject to mandatory redemption	235,197
Long-term debt	2,811,148
Total capitalization	6,403,059
Minority interest in consolidated subsidiaries	3,534
Current liabilities:	
Current maturity of long-term debt	47,444
Short-term debt	459,091
Accounts and wages payable	287,060
Accumulated deferred income taxes	46,139
Taxes accrued	390,464
Other	256,331
Total current liabilities	1,486,529
Accumulated deferred income taxes	1,562,689
Accumulated deferred investment tax credits	160,101
Regulatory liability	175 , 573
Other deferred credits and liabilities	486,451
Total Capital and Liabilities	\$10,277,936
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UNION ELECTRIC COMPANY BALANCE SHEET UNAUDITED

(Thousands of Dollars, Except Shares)

September 30, 2001
\$ 9 , 672 , 334
250,034 37,169

Less accumulated depreciation and amortization	9,959,537 4,747,725
	5,211,812
Construction work in progress: Nuclear fuel in process Other	87,171 292,651
Total property and plant, net	5,591,634
Investments and other assets:	174 470
Nuclear decommissioning trust fund Other	174,478 71,948
Total investments and other assets	246,426
Current assets:	
Cash and cash equivalents Accounts receivable - trade (less allowance for doubtful	58,336
accounts of \$7,315 and \$6,251, respectively)	342,195
Other accounts and notes receivable	45,141
Intercompany notes receivable	90,860
Materials and supplies, at average cost - Fossil fuel	76,016
Other	85,167
Other	15,266
Total current assets	712,981
Regulatory assets:	
Deferred income taxes Other	602,353
Other	137,190
Total regulatory assets	739,543
Total Assets	\$ 7,290,584 =======
CAPITAL AND LIABILITIES	
Capitalization:	
Common stock, \$5 par value, 150,000,000 shares authorized -	
102,123,834 shares outstanding Other paid-in capital, principally premium on	\$ 510,619
common stock	701,896
Retained earnings	1,392,277
Accumulated other comprehensive income	(1,428)
Total common stockholder's equity	2,603,364
Preferred stock not subject to mandatory redemption	155,197
Long-term debt	1,710,526
Total capitalization	4,469,087
Current liabilities:	
Accounts and wages payable	281,043
Accumulated deferred income taxes Taxes accrued	27,751 312,044
Other	146,518
Total gurment lightlities	767 256
Total current liabilities	767 , 356

Accumulated deferred income taxes	1,342,214
Accumulated deferred investment tax credits	130,731
Regulatory liability	140,232
Other deferred credits and liabilities	440,964
Total Capital and Liabilities	\$ 7,290,584
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CENTRAL ILLINOIS PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY BALANCE SHEET UNAUDITED

(Thousands of Dollars, Except Shares)

ASSETS	September 30, 2001
Property and plant, at original cost:	
Electric	\$ 1,208,590
Gas	281,933
	1,490,523
Less accumulated depreciation and amortization	683,632
	806,891
Construction work in progress	10,759
Total property and plant, net	817,650
Investments and other assets:	
Intercompany notes receivable	468,981
Intercompany tax receivable	184,004
Other assets	17,996
Total investments and other assets	670,981
Current assets:	
Cash and cash equivalents	25 , 393
Accounts receivable - trade (less allowance for doubtful	
accounts of \$1,470 and \$1,777, respectively)	133,509
Other accounts and notes receivable	41,166
Intercompany notes receivable	42,720
Intercompany tax receivable	14,927
Materials and supplies, at average cost -	
Fossil fuel	36,049
Other	10,256
Other	5,707
Total current assets	309,727

Regulatory assets	15,328
Total Assets	\$ 1,813,686
CAPITAL AND LIABILITIES	
Capitalization:	
Common stock, no par value, 45,000,000 shares authorized -	
25,452,373 shares outstanding	\$ 120,033
Retained earnings	445,453
Total common stockholder's equity	565,486
Preferred stock not subject to mandatory redemption	80,000
Long-term debt	579,015
Total capitalization	1,224,501
Current liabilities:	
Current maturity of long-term debt	33,000
Intercompany notes payable	29,255
Accounts and wages payable	106,973
Accumulated deferred income taxes	19,657
Taxes accrued	36,164
Other	35,886
Total current liabilities	260,935
Accumulated deferred income taxes	258,452
Accumulated deferred investment tax credits	12,170
Regulatory liability	35,341
Other deferred credits and liabilities	22 , 287
Total Capital and Liabilities	\$ 1,813,686
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