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BEFORE THE ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

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IN THE MATTER OF:	
SITE-SPECIFIC RULE FOR THE	
CLOSURE OF AMEREN ENERGY	
RESOURCES ASH PONDS:	
PROPOSED NEW 35 ILL. ADM.	
CODE 840, SUBPART B	

R13-19 (Rulemaking – Land)

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To: ALL PARTIES ON THE ATTACHED SERVICE LIST

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that I have today electronically filed with the Office of the Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board the **QUARTERLY STATUS UPDATE**, copies of which are herewith served upon you.

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Dated: October 28, 2013

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QUARTERLY STATUS UPDATE

NOW COMES, Ameren Energy Resources, LLC, on behalf of Ameren Energy Resources Generating, AmerenEnergy Generating Company, and Electric Energy, Inc. ("AER" or "the Company"), by and through its attorneys, Schiff Hardin LLP, and pursuant to 35 Ill. Adm. Code 102.400 and 101.Subpart C. On July 25, 2013, the Illinois Pollution Control Board ("Board") granted AER's request for a stay of this site-specific rulemaking during the development and pendency of a separate rulemaking proposal to be filed by the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency ("IEPA"). In that order, the Board directed the Company to file a status report every three months during the one-year term of the stay, describing AER's continued need for stay.

IEPA has drafted a generally-applicable rule regarding groundwater monitoring, corrective action, and the closure of coal combustion waste surface impoundments at power generating facilities and has conducted outreach regarding the draft language. AER recently contacted IEPA regarding the status of the draft proposal, and IEPA indicated that it expects to file the proposal imminently. IEPA's filing of the generally-applicable rulemaking proposal which may address AER's facilities supports AER's continued need for stay of this docket.

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Respectfully submitted,

AMEREN ENERGY RESOURCES, LLC

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