

**STATE OF ILLINOIS
ILLINOIS COMMERCE COMMISSION**

AMEREN TRANSMISSION)	
COMPANY OF ILLINOIS)	
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Petition for a Certificate of Public)	Docket No. 12-0598
Convenience and Necessity, pursuant)	
To Section 8-406.1 of the Illinois Public)	
Utilities Act, and an Order pursuant to)	
Section 8-503 of the Public Utilities Act,)	
To Construct, Operate and Maintain a)	
New High Voltage Electric Service Line)	
And Related Facilities in the Counties)	
of Adams, Brown, Cass, Champaign,)	
Christian, Clark, Coles, Edgar, Fulton,)	
Macon, Montgomery, Morgan, Moultrie)	
Pike, Sangamon, Schuyler, Scott, and)	
Shelby, Illinois)	

VERIFICATION OF K. DOUGLAS BLODGETT

The undersigned, K. Douglas Blodgett, being duly sworn on oath, deposes and states as follows:

1. My name is K. Douglas Blodgett. I am the Director of River Conservation for the Illinois Chapter of The Nature Conservancy.
2. I am a witness for The Nature Conservancy in the instant proceeding.
3. I prepared Direct Testimony for submission on behalf of The Nature Conservancy, filed on ICC e-Docket in this proceeding as TNC Ex. 1.0, with attachment TNC Ex. 1.1 thereto, on March 29, 2013.
4. I prepared Rebuttal Testimony for submission on behalf of The Nature Conservancy, filed on ICC e-Docket in this proceeding as TNC Ex. 4.0, with attachment TNC Ex. 4.1 thereto, on April 12, 2013.
5. Subject to the April 11, 2013 Stipulation between Ameren Transmission Company of Illinois and The Nature Conservancy, if I were verbally asked the same questions at the hearing in this matter as asked in TNC Exs. 1.0 and 4.0, my answers would be the same.

6. Under penalties as provided by law pursuant to Section 1-109 of the Code of Civil Procedure, I certify that the statements set forth in my Direct Testimony and Rebuttal Testimony, and those contained herein are true and correct in all respects.



K. Douglas Blodgett
The Nature Conservancy
Dated: 13 May, 2013