





Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure

On October 19, 2010, American Electric Power Company, Inc. issued a press release in connection with its presentation at a financial analyst meeting on October 19, 2010. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits

Exhibit 99.1 Press Release dated October 19, 2010

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SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

AMERICAN ELECTRIC POWER COMPANY, INC.

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| By:    | /s/ Thomas G. Berkemeyer |
| Name:  | Thomas G. Berkemeyer     |
| Title: | Assistant Secretary      |

October 19, 2010

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