

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

In the Matter of the Tariff Filing of The Empire                     )  
District Electric Company to Implement a General                    )  
Rate Increase for Retail Electric Service Provided                 )  
to Customers in its Missouri Service Area.                         )     **Case No. ER-2004-0570**

**NOTICE CLOSING CASE**

On April 7, 2005, the Commission disposed of various motions and applications filed herein following the issue of its Report and Order on March 10. No further activity is expected in this matter; therefore, it may now be closed.

**BY THE COMMISSION**

**Dale Hardy Roberts**  
**Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge**

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Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 13th day of April, 2005.

Thompson, Deputy Chief Regulatory Law Judge