

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

In the Matter of the Application of The Empire )  
District Gas Company d/b/a Liberty for a Certificate )  
of Convenience and Necessity to Construct, Install, )  
Own, Operate, Maintain, and Otherwise Control and ) **File No. GA-2023-0110**  
Manage a Natural Gas Distribution System in and )  
Around Platte County, Missouri as an Expansion of )  
its Existing Certified Areas )

**ORDER DIRECTING FILING**

Issue Date: January 27, 2023

Effective Date: January 27, 2023

On September 21, 2022, The Empire District Gas Company (EDG) d/b/a Liberty filed the above-referenced application. The Commission granted the application (order) on January 25, 2023.

On January 26, 2023, EDG filed a tariff sheet to implement the order. That tariff bears an effective date of February 25, 2023.

The Commission will order a Staff Recommendation.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. The Commission's Staff shall file a Recommendation no later than February 3, 2023.
2. Any responses to the Staff Recommendation shall be filed no later than February 7, 2023.
3. This order shall be effective when issued.



**BY THE COMMISSION**

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Morris L. Woodruff".

Morris L. Woodruff  
Secretary

Ronald D. Pridgin, Regulatory Law Judge,  
By delegation of authority pursuant  
To Section 388.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on the 27<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2023.

**STATE OF MISSOURI**

**OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

I have compared the preceding copy with the original on file in this office and I do hereby certify the same to be a true copy therefrom and the whole thereof.

**WITNESS** my hand and seal of the Public Service Commission,  
at Jefferson City, Missouri, this 27<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2023.



  
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**Morris L. Woodruff**  
**Secretary**

**MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

**January 27, 2023**

**File/Case No. GA-2023-0110**

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**Enclosed find a certified copy of an Order or Notice issued in the above-referenced matter(s).**

**Sincerely,**



**Morris L. Woodruff  
Secretary**

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