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Chief RLJ Morris L. Woodruff, Secretary  
Missouri Public Service Commission  
P. O. Box 360  
Jefferson City, MO 65102

**RE: The Empire District Electric Company (“Empire”)  
2016 Renewable Energy Standard (“RES”) Compliance Report and Plan**

Dear Judge Woodruff:

On behalf of Empire, I am providing herewith for filing with the Missouri Public Service Commission, in electronic form, Empire’s 2016 RES Compliance Report and 2016 RES Compliance Plan, in both HC and public versions.

Empire’s 2016 RES Compliance Report and Plan were prepared in compliance with Commission Rule 240-20.100. Pursuant to the Commission’s Rule, Empire will post the public version of its RES Compliance Report on its website.

Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns regarding these filings.

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