

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

In the Matter of The Empire District Gas Company's)
Purchased Gas Adjustment (PGA) Tariff Filing) **File No. GR-2009-0397**

ORDER DIRECTING FILING

Issue Date: April 4, 2011

Effective Date: April 4, 2011

On March 25, 2011, the Staff of the Commission filed its Status Report regarding The Empire District Gas Company's 2008-2009 Actual Cost Adjustment filings for each of its three districts. Staff reported that the only issue remaining in dispute is the property tax issue. The Commission will set a date for a response from Empire to Staff's Status Report.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. No later than April 11, 2011, The Empire District Electric Company shall file a response to the Staff of the Commission's Status Report.
2. This order shall become effective upon issuance.

BY THE COMMISSION



Steven C. Reed
Secretary

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Nancy Dippell, Deputy Chief Regulatory
Law Judge, by delegation of authority
pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 4th day of April, 2011.