BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the matter of The Empire Dis-)	
trict Electric Company of Joplin,)	
Missouri for authority to file)	
tariffs increasing rates for elec-)	ER-2008-0093
tric service provided to customers)	
in the Missouri service area of the)	
Company)	

SUPPLEMENT TO PROVISIONAL APPLICATION TO INTERVENE BY PRAXAIR, INC, AND EXPLORER PIPELINE COMPANY

COME NOW PRAXAIR, INC. ("Praxair") and EXPLORER PIPE-LINE COMPANY ("Explorer") (collectively "Industrials") and supplement their **provisional** Application to Intervene filed this date as follows:

- 1. Subsequent to the provision filing, it was pointed out that a similar order had been issued in the prior Empire case, Case No. ER-2006-0315, recognizing the previously-agreed and confirmed interventions of these parties.
- 2. A copy of that order is attached to this pleading as Exhibit A.

WHEREFORE, Industrials continue to request that their bargained-for intervention be recognized.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have this day served the foregoing pleading by electronic means, by United States Mail, First Class postage prepaid, or by hand delivery to all known parties in interest upon their respective representatives or attorneys of record as reflected in the records maintained by the Secretary of the Commission.

Stuart W. Conrad

Dated: October 29, 2007

OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Empire District Electric)	
Company of Joplin, Missouri for Authority)	
to File Tariffs Increasing Rates for Electric)	Case No. ER-2006-0315
Service Provided to Customers in the)	Tracking No. YE-2006-0597
Missouri Service Area of the Company)	-

ORDER GRANTING INTERVENTIONS

Issue Date: March 8, 2006 Effective Date: March 8, 2006

On February 1, 2006, Empire District Electric Company filed a tariff with the Missouri Public Service Commission. Pursuant to the terms of the Stipulation and Agreement the Commission approved in Case No. EO-2005-0263, Praxair, Inc., Explorer Pipeline Company and the Missouri Department of Natural Resources are granted intervention to this case.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

- 1. Praxair, Inc., Explorer Pipeline Company and the Missouri Department of Natural Resources are granted intervention to this case.
 - 2. This order shall become effective on March 8, 2006.

BY THE COMMISSION

Colleen M. Dale Secretary

(SEAL)

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 8th day of March, 2006.

Dale, Chief Regulatory Law Judge