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)	<u>Fil</u>
Manage a Natural Gas Distribution System in and)	<u> </u>
Around Platte County, Missouri as an Expansion of)	
its Existing Certified Areas)	

File No. GA-2023-0110

ORDER DIRECTING FILING

Issue Date: October 11, 2022 Effective Date: October 11, 2022

On September 21, 2020, The Empire District Gas Company d/b/a Liberty filed the above-referenced application. Liberty seeks permission and approval and a certificate of convenience and necessity ("CCN") to construct, install, own, operate, maintain, and otherwise control and manage a natural gas distribution system to provide gas service in Platte County, Missouri, as a further expansion of its existing certificated area.

The Commission directed notice of the application, and set a deadline for interested parties to intervene. The Commission received no intervention requests. Thus, the Commission will now order its Staff to file a Recommendation.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- 1. The Commission's Staff shall file a Recommendation no later than November 10, 2022.
 - 2. This order shall be effective when issued.

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BY THE COMMISSION

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 11th day of October, 2022.

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 11th day of October, 2022.

Secretary

MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION October 11, 2022

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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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