BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

Symmetry Energy Solutions, LLC,)
Complainant,))) File No. GC-2022-0062
V.))
The Empire District Gas Company d/b/a Liberty,))
Respondent.))

ORDER DIRECTING STATUS REPORT

Issue Date: May 11, 2022 Effective Date: May 11, 2022

On March 31, 2022,¹ the parties asked the Commission to amend the procedural schedule to allow them time to finalize a settlement agreement. The Commission amended the procedural schedule as requested, and the revised schedule directed Symmetry Energy Solutions (Symmetry) to file its direct testimony by April 29. Symmetry did not file that testimony, and on May 5, the Commission directed Symmetry to file a status report.

Symmetry filed its status report on May 10, explaining that it continues to negotiate a settlement agreement and asking the Commission to direct it to file a further status report by May 16.

The Commission is willing to allow the parties as much time as they need to negotiate a settlement. However, this complaint remains on the Commission calendar for four days of hearing beginning on July 18. If those hearing days will not be needed, the

¹ All dates are in 2022 unless otherwise indicated.

Commission would like to clear them from its calendar. The Commission will direct Symmetry to file a further report regarding the status of this complaint. As part of that status report, Symmetry shall indicate whether the previously established procedural schedule, including the July 18-21 hearing dates, should be cancelled.²

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- 1. Symmetry shall file a report regarding the status of this complaint by May 16, 2022.
 - 2. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

Morris L. Woodruff, Chief Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 11th day of May, 2022.

² If the procedural schedule is cancelled and the parties are not able to finalize a settlement, they may propose a revised procedural schedule.

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 May, 2022.

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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

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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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