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

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In the Matter of The Empire District Electric Company's Application for Approval of a Transportation Electrification Portfolio for Electric Customers in its Missouri Service Area

Case No. ET-2020-0390

## MOTION TO MODIFY PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

COMES NOW The Empire District Electric Company ("Liberty" or "the Company"), and for its Motion to Modify Procedural Schedule, respectfully states as follows to the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission"):

1. Staff, on behalf of all parties, proposed a procedural schedule on February 16,

2021, and the Commission approved the schedule for this proceeding by its *Order Establishing Procedural Schedule and Other Procedural Requirements* issued March 3, 2021.

- 2. Fruitful discussions with all parties have continued, and Liberty believes it would be advantageous to hold an additional technical conference and have additional time to incorporate stakeholder feedback into its Supplemental/Amended Direct Testimony.
- 3. As such, and with the consent of all parties, Liberty seeks modification of the procedural schedule as set forth below.

Event	Current Date	Requested Date
Supplemental/Amended	April 9, 2021	April 23, 2021
Direct Testimony		
Rebuttal Testimony	May 7, 2021	May 19, 2021
Surrebuttal Testimony	May 28, 2021	June 2, 2021
Last Day to Request	June 7, 2021	-
Discovery		
List of Issues, List of	June 7, 2021	-
Witnesses, and Order of		
Cross-Examination		
Position Statements	June 11, 2021	-
Hearing	June 22-23, 2021	-

WHEREFORE, as set forth above, Liberty requests modification of the procedural schedule.

Liberty requests such additional relief as is just and proper under the circumstances.

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that the above document was filed in EFIS on this 30<sup>th</sup> day of March,

2021, and electronically delivered to all counsel of record.

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