

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

In the Matter of the tariff filing of The )  
Empire District Electric Company )  
to implement a general rate increase for )  
retail electric service provided to customers )  
in its Missouri service area )

Case No. ER-2006-0315

**NOTICE**

Comes now The Empire District Electric Company ("Empire"), by counsel, and respectfully states as follows to the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission"):

1. On September 13, 2006, certain parties to this proceeding caused to be filed with the Commission a document entitled "Non-Unanimous Stipulation and Agreement Regarding Rate Design Issues."
2. Empire does not oppose to this nonunanimous stipulation and agreement and does not request a hearing regarding same.

Respectfully submitted,



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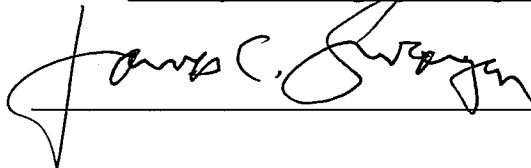
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