

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

In the Matter of the Sixth Prudence Review of	)	
Costs Subject to the Commission-Approved	)	
Fuel Adjustment Clause of The Empire District	)	Case No. EO-2017-0065
Electric Company	)	

MOTION FOR CONTINUANCE BY CONSENT

COMES NOW The Empire District Electric Company (“Empire”), by and through counsel, and for its Motion for Continuance of the hearing currently scheduled for Wednesday, August 23, 2017, at 8:30 a.m. and continuing until Thursday, August 24, 2017 states as follows:

1. Counsel for Empire has developed a medical situation and would benefit from a one-day delay. Also, based on the issues list agreed to by the parties, only one day of hearing should be necessary.
2. Counsel for OPC and Staff have been consulted and do not object to the one-day extension.

WHEREFORE, Empire, prays for an order granting a continuance in the above-referenced case and for any further relief as is prudent under the circumstances.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I undersigned hereby certifies that the above and foregoing was filed in EFIS, with notice of the same being sent to all counsel of record.

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