

February 7, 2023

## VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Mr. Morris Woodruff, Secretary Missouri Public Service Commission P.O. Box 360 Jefferson City, MO 65102

RE: The Empire District Electric Company d/b/a Liberty - Cogeneration and Net Metering Tracking Nos. JE-2023-0127 and JE-2023-0128 – Case No. ET-2023-0250

Dear Judge Woodruff:

On January 13, 2023, the following revised tariff sheets regarding Liberty's cogeneration and net metering rates were submitted with a requested effective date of February 14, 2023:

PSC Mo No. 6	Section 4	2 <sup>nd</sup> Revised Sheet No. 13; and
PSC Mo No. 6	Section 4	2 <sup>nd</sup> Revised Sheet No. 6.

Subsequently, the Staff of the Commission filed a motion to suspend the tariff sheets to allow sufficient time for Staff to conduct discovery necessary to make an informed recommendation to the Commission. Staff did not state in the motion how long it expects to need to formulate its recommendation. The Commission directed Liberty to respond to Staff's motion by February 8.

To allow Staff additional time to review the tariff submissions and work with the Company to resolve any issues, Liberty is voluntarily extending the requested effective dates of the two tariff sheets by 90 days, to May 8, 2023.

Please bring these voluntarily extensions to the attention of the Commissioners and the appropriate Commission personnel, and please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

Diana Carter

cc: Counsel for the Commission Staff Office of the Public Counsel