THE EMPIRE DISTRICT ELECTRIC COMPANY Description of Authorized, Issued and Outstanding First Mortgage Bonds December 31, 2010

Appendix 1

First Mortgage Bonds Authorized Amount for Empire District Electric:	\$	1,000,000,000
5.2% Pollution Control Series, Due November 1, 2013 Amount Authenticated Amount Issued and Outstanding	\$ \$	5,200,000 5,200,000
Interest payable semiannualy on May 1 and November 1		
5.3% Pollution Control Series, Due November 1, 2013		
Amount Authenticated Amount Issued and Outstanding	\$ \$	8,000,000 8,000,000
Interest payable semiannualy on May 1 and November 1		
7.2% Series, Due December 1, 2016		
Amount Authenticated Amount Issued and Outstanding	\$ \$	25,000,000 25,000,000
Interest payable semiannualy on June 1 and December 1	·	, ,
6.375% Series, Due June 1, 2018		
Amount Authenticated	\$	90,000,000
Amount Issued and Outstanding	\$	90,000,000
Interest payable semiannualy on June 1 and December 1		
4.65% Series, Due June 1, 2020		
Amount Authenticated	\$	100,000,000
Amount Issued and Outstanding	\$	100,000,000
Interest payable semiannualy on June 1 and December 1		
7.0% Series, Due April 1, 2024		
Amount Authenticated	\$	75,000,000
Amount Issued and Outstanding	\$	75,000,000
Interest payable monthly		
5.875% Series, Due April 1, 2037		
Amount Authenticated	\$	80,000,000
Amount Issued and Outstanding	\$	80,000,000
Interest payable semiannualy on April 1 and October 1		
5.2% Series, Due September 1, 2040		
Amount Authenticated	\$	50,000,000

Amount Issued and Outstanding	\$	50,000,000
Interest payable semiannualy on March 1 and September 1		
Total Issued and Outstanding	\$	433,200,000
First Mortgage Bonds Authorized Amount for Empire District Gas (subsidiary of Empire District Electric):	\$	300,000,000
6.82% Series, Due June 1, 2036 Amount Authenticated Amount Issued and Outstanding	\$ \$	55,000,000 55,000,000
Interest payable semiannualy on June 1 and December 1		