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Mr. Steven Reed
Secretary/General Counsel
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P.O. Box 360
Jefferson City, MO 65102

**RE: The Empire District Electric Company
MoPSC Case No. ER-2011-0004**

Dear Mr. Reed:

Being filed herewith by The Empire District Electric Company is a graph showing outages due to vegetation in primary distribution lines for the years 2006-2010. This document was available at the public hearings which were held in this case in Joplin and Reeds Spring on March 22-23, 2011.

Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns regarding this filing.

Sincerely,

BRYDON, SWEARENGEN & ENGLAND P.C.

By: 
Diana C. Carter

cc: counsel of record