

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

Ralph E. Pridgen, Jr.,	)	
	)	
Complainant,	)	
	)	
v.	)	<b><u>Case No. EC-2008-0021</u></b>
	)	
The Empire Electric District Company,	)	
	)	
Respondent.	)	

**NOTICE CLOSING CASE**

Date Issued: January 13, 2009

On July 16, 2007, Ralph E. Pridgin filed a complaint with the Missouri Public Service Commission against The Empire Electric District Company. On January 7, 2009, Complainant and Respondent filed a Notice of Voluntary Dismissal stating that they have resolved the complaint.

Commission rule 4 CSR 240-2.116(1) allows a complainant to “. . . voluntarily dismiss a complaint without an order of the commission at any time before prepared testimony has been filed or oral evidence has been offered . . . .” No party has filed prepared testimony or offered oral evidence. This case, having been voluntarily dismissed by Complainant, shall therefore be closed.

( S E A L )

**BY THE COMMISSION**



Colleen M. Dale  
Secretary

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 13th day of January, 2009.

Jones, Senior Regulatory Law Judge