

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

In The Matter of The Empire District	)	
Electric Company of Joplin, Missouri for	)	
Authority to File Tariff Increasing Rates	)	Case No. ER-2008-0093
For Electric Service to Customers in the	)	
Missouri Service Area of the Company	)	

**MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES' POST-HEARING  
BRIEF**

COMES NOW Missouri Department of Natural Resources (MDNR) and, pursuant to the Commission's Procedural Schedule in the above-styled case, states that the issues the Department had in this matter were resolved in the Second and Third Stipulations and Agreements filed in this case and approved by this Commission. For that reason, the Department will not be filing a Post-Hearing Brief.

WHEREFORE, the Missouri Department of Natural Resources respectfully notifies the Commission that it will not be filing a Post-Hearing Brief..

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed, hand-delivered, transmitted by facsimile or e-mailed to all counsel of record this 18th day of June, 2008.

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