



customer charges in this proceeding”), OPC does not object to the residential customer charge remaining unchanged.

- Issue 5 (FAC), subparts b, second sentence of d-ii, d-iii, and e. Each of these sub-issues has been resolved pursuant to the terms of the Stipulation.
- Issue 15 (energy efficiency). OPC has withdrawn this issue. As between the Stipulation Signatories, this issue has been resolved pursuant to paragraph 20 of the Stipulation, to which OPC did not object.<sup>2</sup>
- Issue 22b (reliable service). OPC has withdrawn this issue. As between the Stipulation Signatories, this issue has been resolved pursuant to paragraph 10 of the Stipulation, to which OPC did not object.
- Issue 23 (estimated bills). This issue has been resolved pursuant to paragraph 9 of the Stipulation, to which OPC did not object.
- Issue 45(retirement). These issues have been resolved pursuant to paragraphs 27-29 of the Stipulation, to which OPC did not object.

**WHEREFORE,** The Empire District Electric Company submits this Response to Commission Order.

Respectfully submitted,

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<sup>2</sup> “The Office of the Public Counsel does not object to only the following terms of the *Global Stipulation and Agreement*: The changes to Empire’s FAC set out in subparagraphs c., d., f., and g. of paragraph 6; paragraph 7; paragraph 9 (including all of subparagraphs a. to k.); paragraphs 10 to 23; and paragraphs 27 to 29 . . .”

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that the above document was filed in EFIS on this 11<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2020, with notification of the same being sent to all counsel of record.

/s/ Diana C. Carter