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March 17, 2010

Mr. Steven Reed, Secretary  
Missouri Public Service Commission  
P. O. Box 360  
Jefferson City, MO 65102

**RE: The Empire District Gas Company  
Commission Case No. GR-2009-0434**

Dear Mr. Reed:

Enclosed for filing with the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission") on behalf of The Empire District Gas Company ("EDG"), please find in electronic format certain revised tariff sheets. These tariff sheets are being filed to comply with the following Commission orders issued in Case No. GR-2009-0434: (1) *Report and Order on DSM Funding*, issued February 24, 2010, effective March 9, 2010; and (2) *Order Approving Partial Stipulation and Agreement and Partial Stipulation and Agreement on Transportation Tariff Issues*, issued January 20, 2010, effective January 30, 2010.

The revised tariff sheets are designed to produce overall Missouri jurisdictional gross annual non-gas revenues, exclusive of any applicable license, occupation, franchise, gross receipts taxes, or similar fees or taxes, in the amount of \$22,189,218 annually, an increase of \$2,600,000.

Each revised tariff sheet bears an issue date of March 17, 2010. Pursuant to the Commission-approved stipulation and agreement of the parties, the *Order Approving Partial Stipulation and Agreement and Partial Stipulation and Agreement on Transportation Tariff Issues*, and RSMo. §393.140(11), each revised tariff sheet bears an effective date of April 1, 2010, and EDG does not intend to file any additional motion or other pleading regarding these tariff sheets. These tariffs sheets were discussed in advance with all counsel and parties to Case No. GR-2009-0434, and a copy of this tariff filing will be furnished to all counsel of record.

Please bring this filing to the attention of the Commissioners and the appropriate Commission personnel, and please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions or concerns.

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Sincerely,

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