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October 1, 2019

***VIA ELECTRONIC FILING***

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

**RE: The Empire District Electric Company, a Liberty Utilities company  
Fuel & Purchase Power Adjustment Clause (“FAC”) – Periodic Change and True-Up**

Dear Judge Woodruff:

In accordance with Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-20-090(8), Liberty-Empire is initiating a new case with an ER designation, and I am providing herewith to the Missouri Public Service Commission for filing, in electronic form, the FAC Direct Testimony of Charlotte T. Emery and the following revised tariff sheet: 7<sup>th</sup> Revised Sheet No. 17ac Replacing 6<sup>th</sup> Revised Sheet No. 17ac. This revised tariff sheet is dated today, with a proposed effective date of December 1, 2019.

During the most recent FAC accumulation period (March 2019 – August 2019), Empire’s actual total energy costs eligible for the FAC were lower than the base energy costs included in the Company’s Missouri rates by approximately \$1,148,900. In accordance with the Company’s Commission-approved FAC tariff, the revised tariff sheet is designed to return 95 percent of the energy cost differences, or approximately \$1,091,455, to its Missouri jurisdictional customers.

In accordance with Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-20-090(9), Liberty-Empire is initiating a new case with an EO designation, and I am providing herewith to the Commission for filing, in electronic form, the FAC True-Up Direct Testimony of Charlotte T. Emery and additional information required by the Commission’s Rule.

As described in Ms. Emery’s true-up testimony, Liberty-Empire seeks to return to customers approximately \$2,140,520 of over-recovered energy costs from the prior recovery period ending May 31, 2019. This results in approximately \$3,161,614 being returned to customers.

Please bring these filings to the attention of the Commissioners and the appropriate Commission personnel, and please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions or concerns you may have regarding these filings.

Sincerely,

*Diana Carter*