

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

In the Matter of the Application of The Empire)	
District Electric Company and White River Valley)	
Electric Cooperative for Approval of a Second)	
Amendment of a Written Territorial Agreement)	<u>Case No. EO-2013-0313</u>
Designating the Boundaries of Exclusive Service)	Tariff No. YE-2013-0399
Areas for Each Applicant within the Missouri Counties)	
of Stone and Taney)	

ORDER APPROVING TARIFF

Issue Date: April 10, 2013

Effective Date: April 19, 2013

On November 29, 2012, The Empire District Electric Company (“Empire”) and White River Valley Electric Cooperative (“White River”) filed a Joint Motion for Approval of a Second Amendment to the Fifth Territorial Agreement. The Commission issued a Report and Order Approving Amendment to Territorial Agreement on January 4, 2013. That Report and Order required Empire to file new tariff sheets to reflect the limitations that the Report and Order places on its service area.

On March 20, 2013, Empire filed such tariff sheets. The tariffs bear an effective date of April 19, 2013.

As ordered, the Staff of the Commission responded on April 9, 2013. Staff states that the sheets comport with the Report and Order. Staff recommends that the Commission approve the tariff sheets.

The Commission has authority to approve tariff sheets pursuant to Sections 393.140(11) and 393.150, RSMo. The Commission has reviewed the tariff sheets

and Staff's recommendation. The Commission finds that the tariff sheets conform to the Commission's Report and Order. Thus, the Commission will approve them.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The tariff filed by The Empire District Electric Company on March 20, 2013, and assigned tariff number YE-2013-0399, is approved to become effective on April 19, 2013. The tariff approved is:

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2. This order shall become effective on April 19, 2013.
3. This case shall be closed on April 20, 2013.

BY THE COMMISSION



Joshua Harden
Secretary

Ronald D. Pridgin, Senior Regulatory
Law Judge, by delegation of authority
pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 10th day of April, 2013.