

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

In the Matter of the Application of The Empire District)	
Electric Company for Certificates of Convenience and)	Case Nos. EA-2019-0010
Necessity Related to Wind Generation Facilities)	and EA-2019-0118

DISIS NOTICE

COMES NOW The Empire District Electric Company (“Empire” or “Company”), and for its DISIS Notice, respectfully states as follows to the Missouri Public Service Commission (“Commission”):

1. The Commission issued its Report and Order herein on June 19, 2019, effective June 29, 2019. Ordered paragraph 6f of the Report and Order provides as follows:

Empire shall file a copy of the SPP Definitive Interconnection System Impact Studies within 30 days of receipt. In its subsequent quarterly report, Empire shall address any results of the study that are material changes in assumptions or costs related to the Wind Projects. Empire shall also include a discussion of any sensitivity or curtailment issues raised by SPP in the study. Empire shall also include a proposed plan to address any issues related to those changes in assumptions, costs or curtailment . . .

2. Attached hereto are the latest interconnection study results from SPP which were issued on January 14, 2022: the phase 3 results of the interconnection study for Neosho Ridge. The upgrades identified in this report were constructed under the interim generator interconnection agreement for Neosho Ridge and the costs were included in the purchase price paid at closing.

3. Pursuant to ordered paragraph 6f of the Commission’s Report and Order referenced above, Empire will address the below items with a follow-up submission: any results of the study that are material changes in assumptions or costs related to the wind projects, any sensitivity or curtailment issues raised by SPP in the study, and a proposed plan to address any issues related to those changes in assumptions, costs, or curtailment.

4. The studies on Kings Point, North Fork Ridge, and Neosho Ridge are now complete.

WHEREFORE, Empire submits this DISIS Notice and requests such relief as is just and proper under the circumstances.

Respectfully submitted,

THE EMPIRE DISTRICT ELECTRIC COMPANY

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that the above document was filed in EFIS on this 2nd day of February, 2022, with notification of the same being sent to all counsel of record.

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