

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

Staff of the Missouri Public Service)	
Commission,)	
Complainant,)	
v.)	<u>Case No. EC-2009-0288</u>
)	
The Empire District Electric Company,)	
)	
Respondent.)	

NOTICE OF COMPLAINT

Issue Date: February 10, 2009

Effective Date: February 10, 2009

The Empire District Electric Company
602 South Joplin Avenue
Post Office Box 127
Joplin, Missouri 64802-0127
Certified Mail

On February 6, 2009 the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission filed the enclosed complaint with the Missouri Public Service Commission against The Empire District Electric Company. Pursuant to 4 CSR 240-2.070, the company shall have 30 days from the date of this date notice to either file an answer or a notice that the complaint has been satisfied.

All pleadings shall be mailed to:

Secretary of the Public Service Commission
P.O. Box 360
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102-0360

A copy shall be served upon the complainant at the complaint's address as listed in the complaint.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The Empire District Electric Company shall file no later than March 12, 2009, a response to this complaint.
2. This order shall become effective upon issuance.

BY THE COMMISSION



Colleen M. Dale
Secretary

(S E A L)

Kennard L. Jones, 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 February, 2009.

Copy to: Sarah Kliethermes, Legal Counsel
Missouri Public Service Commission
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Jefferson City, Missouri 65102
ATTORNEY FOR THE STAFF OF THE
MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION