

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

In the Matter of The Empire District Electric)
Company's Application for Variance Concerning) File No. EE-2012-0095
Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-22.080)

NOTICE CLOSING FILE

Issue Date: January 6, 2012

No further action by the Commission is required and this file shall be closed.

BY THE COMMISSION



Steven C. Reed
Secretary

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Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 6th day of January, 2012.

Woodruff, Chief Regulatory Law Judge