

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In The Matter of The Empire District Electric	)	
Company and a Filing of a Compliance Plan	)	
Concerning Vegetation Management Standards	)	<u>Case No. EO-2009-0003</u>
Pursuant to Missouri Public Service	)	
Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-23.030	)	

NOTICE CLOSING CASE

Issue Date: August 26, 2008

Effective Date: August 26, 2008

In compliance with 4 CSR 240-23.030, the above-referenced electric utility filed its required compliance plan. As this filing is in response to newly-promulgated regulations, the Commission directs its Staff to review the plan and report the results of its review to the Commission. Due to the press of Commission business, the Staff will not be able to conduct such a review for at least four months. As no action may be taken in this matter until the Staff files its report, the case will be administratively closed until that filing is made. Staff's filing in this case will cause the matter to automatically reopen, whereupon the Commission can review the filing and determine whether any additional review or presentation is warranted.

Therefore, this matter shall be administratively closed until the Staff files its report.

BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Colleen M. Dale', written over a horizontal line.

**Colleen M. Dale
Secretary**

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Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 26th day of August, 2008.

Dale, Chief Regulatory Law Judge