

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

In the Matter of The Empire District Electric)
Company's Submission of its Interim Report)
Regarding Participation in the Southwest) **File No. EO-2012-0269**
Power Pool, Inc.)

ORDER ESTABLISHING TIME TO RESPOND TO MOTION TO MODIFY

Issue Date: February 16, 2017

Effective Date: February 16, 2017

The Empire District Electric Company, the Commission's Staff, and the Office of the Public Counsel filed a motion on February 15, 2017, asking the Commission to modify some of the terms of the stipulation and agreement regarding Empire's participation in the Southwest Power Pool, which the Commission approved in a September 11, 2013 order. Before ruling on the motion the Commission will give the other parties an opportunity to respond.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. Any party wishing to respond to the Joint Motion of The Empire District Electric Company, the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission, and the Office of the Public Counsel to Modify Stipulation and Agreement and Order Granting Motion for Approval of Unanimous Stipulation and Agreement shall do so no later than February 24, 2017.

2. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Morris L. Woodruff". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

Morris L. Woodruff, Chief Regulatory
Law Judge, by delegation of authority
pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 16th day of February, 2017.

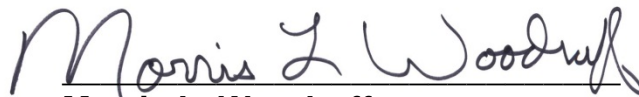
STATE OF MISSOURI

OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

I have compared the preceding copy with the original on file in this office and I do hereby certify the same to be a true copy therefrom and the whole thereof.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the Public Service Commission, at Jefferson City, Missouri, this 16th day of February 2017.




Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

February 16, 2017

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Enclosed find a certified copy of an Order or Notice issued in the above-referenced matter(s).

Sincerely,



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