BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of Evergy Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro's Submission of Its 2019 Renewable Energy Standard Compliance Report

File No. EO-2020-0329

In the Matter of Evergy Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro's Submission of its 2020 Renewable Energy Standard Compliance Plan

File No. EO-2020-0331

STAFF MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Staff"), by and through counsel, and for its *Motion for an Extension of Time* respectfully requests that its report be ordered filed no later than June 12, 2020, and in support states:

1. On April 15, 2020, Evergy Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro ("Evergy Metro") filed its 2019 Renewable Energy Standard ("RES") Compliance Report ("Report") and 2020 Annual RES Compliance Plan ("Plan") as required by Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-20.100(8). Staff was ordered to file its report no later than June 1, 2020.

2. On May 26, 2020, following discussions with Staff, Evergy Metro filed a revised Report and Plan.

3. Staff is currently reviewing the revised Report and Plan. In order to provide the Commission with a thorough review of the revised Report and Plan, Staff requests additional 10 business days in which to complete and file its report.

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4. Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-20.100(8)(D) states that Staff is to file a report of its review within forty-five (45) days of Evergy Metro's initial filing. However, due to the filing of the revised Report and Plan on May 26, 2020, good cause exists to waive the forty-five (45) day requirement, per Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-2.205.

5. Based on the foregoing, Staff requests an extension of time in which to file its report until June 12, 2020.

6. Staff Counsel has advised counsel for Evergy Metro of this request for an extension until June 12, 2020, and has received indication that Evergy Metro is not opposed.

WHEREFORE, Staff submits its *Motion for Extension of Time* for the Commission's consideration and respectfully requests an extension of time until June 12, 2020.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served by electronic mail, or First Class United States Postal Mail, postage prepaid, on this 29th day of May, 2020, to all parties and/or counsels of record.

<u>/s/ Travis J. Pringle</u>