BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of The Empire District Electric)
Company for the Issuance of an Accounting Authority Order	File No. EU-2011-0387
Relating to its Electrical Operations and for a Contingent)
Waiver of the Notice Requirement of 4 CSR 240-4.020(2))

ORDER SETTING DEADLINE FOR STATUS REPORT

Issue Date: July 18, 2011 Effective Date: July 18, 2011

A procedural conference was held on July 14, 2011. At the conference, the parties were directed to file a status report. The Commission will set a deadline for filing the status report.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- 1. The parties shall jointly file a status report no later than July 25, 2011.
- 2. This order shall become effective immediately upon issuance.

BY THE COMMISSION

Steven C. Reed Secretary

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Harold Stearley, Senior Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 18th day of July, 2011.