BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the 2022 Triennial)
Compliance Filing Pursuant to 20 CSR) File No. EO-2021-0331
4240-22 by The Empire District Electric)
Company d/b/a Liberty)

ORDER PROVIDING NOTICE, ORDER ESTABLISHING INTERVENTION DATE, ORDER ESTABLISHING TIME FOR RESPONSE, AND ORDER DIRECTING STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Issue Date: April 5, 2021 Effective Date: April 5, 2021

On April 1, 2021, The Empire District Electric Company d/b/a Liberty asked the Commission to grant it variances from certain requirements of the Commission's Integrated Resource Planning Rule, 20 CSR 4240-22.030 and 20 CSR 4240-20.094. The Commission will allow time for potentially interested parties to apply to intervene, and will order a Staff Recommendation.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- 1. The Commission's Data Center shall provide a copy of this order to all parties to Liberty's previous IRP case, EO-2019-0049.
 - 2. Any application to intervene shall be filed no later than April 26, 2021.
- 3. The Staff of the Commission shall file a Recommendation or, in the alternative, a Status Report stating when it plans to file its Recommendation, no later than April 26, 2020.
 - 4. This order shall become effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

Morris Woodruff Secretary

Ronald D. Pridgin, Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 5th day of April, 2021.