



September 29, 2023

Missouri Public Service Commission
P.O. Box 360
Jefferson City, MO 65102

**RE: The Empire District Electric Company d/b/a Liberty
Fuel & Purchase Power Adjustment Clause (“FAC”) – Periodic Change and True-Up**

Dear Judge Dippell:

In accordance with Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-20-090(8), Liberty is initiating a new case with an ER designation, and I am providing herewith to the Commission for filing, in electronic form, the FAC Direct Testimony of Monica K. Gloodt and the following revised tariff sheet: seventh revised Sheet No. 17q, replacing the sixth revised Sheet No. 17q. This revised tariff sheet is dated today, with a proposed effective date of December 1, 2023.

The FAC rate tariff reflects the actual energy costs incurred by Liberty on behalf of its Missouri customers. The current period Fuel Adjustment Rate (“FAR”) for the Accumulation Period ending August 2023 and the Recovery Period ending May 2023 is \$15,892,251.

Additionally, in accordance with Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-20-090(9), Liberty is initiating a new case with an EO designation, and I am providing herewith to the Commission for filing, in electronic form, the FAC True-Up Direct Testimony of Monica K. Gloodt and additional information required by the Commission’s Rule.

Please bring these FAC filings to the attention of the Commissioners and the appropriate Commission personnel, and please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions or concerns you may have regarding these filings.

Sincerely,

Diana C. Carter