

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of The Empire District)
Electric Company, The Empire District Gas Company,)
Liberty Utilities (Midstates Natural Gas) Corp., and)
Liberty Utilities (Missouri Water) LLC for an Affiliate)
Transactions Rule Variance.)

File No. AO-2018-0179

ORDER DIRECTING FILING

Issue Date: June 28, 2019

Effective Date: June 28, 2019

On June 27, the Commission held the evidentiary hearing for this case.¹ During the hearing, the Commission asked the parties whether they would find certain potential conditions to a Commission order acceptable. The Commission will order the parties to file responses to the conditions the Commission mentioned during the hearing.

The Commission reminds the parties that briefs are due July 18. If the parties' find common ground in their responses to potential Commission conditions, the parties may file a pleading informing the Commission that they wish to attempt to negotiate a stipulation rather than have the Commission issue a Report and Order.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The parties shall respond as ordered above no later than July 12, 2019.

¹ Calendar references are to 2019.

2. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in dark ink that reads "Morris L. Woodruff".

Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

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

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 28th day of June, 2019.

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 28th day of June 2019.




Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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

Sincerely,



**Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary**

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