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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

STATE OF MISSOURI

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In the Matter of the)
Application of Trevor) File No. EO-2024-0165
Frerer for Change of)
Electric Supplier)

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 2024
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Jefferson City, MO 65101
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KENNETH SEYER, Presiding
REGULATORY LAW JUDGE

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1 LAW JUDGE SEYER: Briefly go on the record
2 and let you all make your appearances, and then we'll
3 go off the record, and I'll -- order asking Mr. Frerer
4 to show cause as to why he did not appear today.

5 So Emily, if you would start the recording.

6 EMILY WALTHERS: Yes, we're recording.

7 LAW JUDGE SEYER: All right. And we are on
8 the record. Today's February 15th, 2024. It is
9 11:46 a.m. The commission set 11:30 a.m. on the 15th
10 as the time for a prehearing conference in the case
11 captioned as In the Matter of the Application of
12 Trevor Frerer for Change of Electric Supplier. It's
13 the commission's file number EO-2024-0165.

14 My name is Ken Seyer, and I'm the
15 regulatory law judge in this matter. Mr. Frerer
16 himself has not appeared for the conference today. So
17 I will simply ask the attorneys representing the
18 parties to enter their appearances, beginning with the
19 Empire Electric Company, doing business as Liberty.

20 MS. CARTER: Diana Carter for the Empire
21 District Electric Company, doing business as Liberty,
22 428 East Capitol Avenue, Suite 303, Jefferson City,
23 Missouri 65101.

24 LAW JUDGE SEYER: All right. Thank you.

25 For New-Mac Electric Cooperative.

1 Electrical Cooperative, Incorporated.

2 MS. MCCORD: Megan McCord for New-Mac
3 Electric Cooperative.

4 LAW JUDGE SEYER: Thank you.

5 And then for the commission staff.

6 MR. IRVING: Yes. Ron Irving, commission
7 staff, Governor's Office Building, Suite 800, 200
8 Madison Street, P.O. Box 360, Jefferson City, Missouri
9 65102.

10 LAW JUDGE SEYER: All right. Thank you,
11 Mr. Irving.

12 Per commission -- commission Rule 20 CFR
13 4240-2.90, sub 5, failure to appear for a prehearing
14 conference without having previously secured a
15 continuance shall constitute grounds for dismissal
16 absent a showing of good cause. So I will issue an
17 order today asking Mr. Frerer to show cause as to why
18 he did not appear for today's hearing.

19 Are there any matters that the parties
20 would like to take up before we go off the record?

21 MR. IRVING: No, Your Honor.

22 LAW JUDGE SEYER: All right. Thank you.

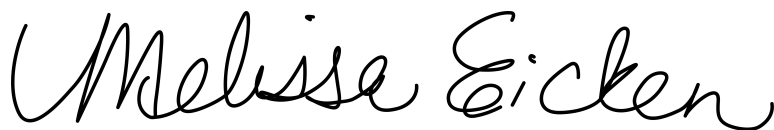
23 So we'll go off the record -- well, I'll
24 adjourn the hearing, and we'll go off the record.

25 (Audio ended.)

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