

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI**

In the Matter of the Application of The Empire)
District Electric Company for Approval of Its) **File No. EO-2018-0092**
Customer Savings Plan)

ORDER POSTPONING EVIDENTIARY HEARING AND DIRECTING FILING

Issue Date: April 16, 2018

Effective Date: April 16, 2018

An evidentiary hearing is scheduled in the above-styled matter for April 17-20, 2018. On April 16, 2018, counsel on behalf of all the parties made a request to delay the start of the evidentiary hearing until May 7, 2018. The parties state that they continue to actively seek to resolve the issues in the case and request that the start of the evidentiary hearing be delayed to provide more time for negotiations and submit a stipulation and agreement. The Commission finds the request reasonable and will grant it. The Commissioners' schedules would allow the evidentiary hearing to be held on May 9-11, 2018. The Commission will also direct the company to file a joint motion to amend the procedural schedule.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The evidentiary hearing originally scheduled to begin on April 17, 2018, is postponed.
2. The Empire District Electric Company shall file a joint motion to amend the procedural schedule no later than April 19, 2018. The joint motion should propose new dates for a stipulation and agreement, evidentiary hearing, and briefs.

3. This order shall become effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

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Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

Michael Bushmann, Senior Regulatory
Law Judge, by delegation of authority
pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 16th day of April, 2018.

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 16th day of April 2018.




Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

April 16, 2018

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

Sincerely,

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**Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary**

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