BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of The Empire District Electric Company of Joplin, Missouri Tariffs Increasing Rates for Electric Service Provided to Customers in the Missouri Service Area of the Company

File No. ER-2012-0345

ORDER GRANTING REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Issue Date: February 13, 2013

Effective Date: February 13, 2013

On February 13, 2013, the Staff of the Commission filed a Request for Extension of

Time to File Reconciliation. Staff requests that the deadline for filing a reconciliation be

extended for one day from the due date of February 13, 2013. The Commission finds the

request reasonable and will grant it.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The Request for Extension of Time to File Reconciliation is granted. Staff

shall file its reconciliation no later than February 14, 2013.

2. This order shall become effective immediately upon issuance.

BY THE COMMISSION

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Shelley Brueggemann Acting Secretary

(SEAL)

Michael Bushmann, Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 13th day of February, 2013.