

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

In the Matter of the Application of	)	
The Empire District Electric Company and	)	
Ozark Electric Cooperative for Approval of a	)	<b><u>File No. EO-2019-0381</u></b>
Written Territorial Agreement Designating	)	Tariff No.: YE-2020-0089
the Boundaries of Exclusive Service Areas	)	
Within Christian County	)	

**ORDER APPROVING COMPLIANCE TARIFFS**

Issue Date: December 11, 2019

Effective Date: December 22, 2019

On July 31, 2019,<sup>1</sup> the Commission issued its *Report and Order Approving Third Territorial Agreement* (Order). Its effective date was August 30. The Order approved the territorial agreement and ordered The Empire District Electric Company (Empire) to file revised tariff sheets to reflect the territorial agreement. On November 22, Empire filed proposed tariff sheets.

Each of the tariff sheets bore an issue date of November 22 and a proposed effective date of December 22. On November 25, the Commission ordered the Commission’s Staff to file a recommendation on the tariff sheets no later than December 5, and directed any party wishing to object or otherwise respond to the tariff sheet or Staff’s recommendation to do so no later than December 10. On December 4, Empire filed substitute tariff sheets, and on December 5, the Commission Staff filed its Recommendation stating Staff reviewed the substitute tariff sheets filed by Empire on December 4 and determined they complied with the Order. Staff

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<sup>1</sup> All date references are to 2019, unless otherwise indicated.

recommended approval of the substitute tariff sheets, and no party has objected. The Commission will issue its order approving the substitute tariff sheets.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. The substitute tariff sheets filed on December 4, 2019 in Tariff No. YE-2020-0089 are approved, to become effective on December 22, 2019.
2. This order will be effective on December 22, 2019.



**BY THE COMMISSION**

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

Morris L. Woodruff  
Secretary

Paul T. Graham, Regulatory Law Judge,  
by delegation of authority pursuant to  
Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 11<sup>th</sup> day of December, 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 11<sup>th</sup> day of December 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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