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#### Re: 20 CSR 4240-10.095 Environmental Improvement Contingency Fund

Dear Director Schappe,

#### CERTIFICATION OF ADMINISTRATIVE RULE

I do hereby certify that the attached is an accurate and complete copy of the order of rulemaking lawfully submitted by the Missouri Public Service Commission.

Statutory Authority: sections 386.040, 386.250, 393.140, and 393.270, RSMo 2016.

If there are any questions regarding the content of this order of rulemaking, please contact:

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December 4, 2024

Ms. Kayla Hahn Public Service Commission PO Box 360 Jefferson City, MO 65102

Dear Ms. Hahn:

This Office has received your Final Order for the following regulations:

- 20 CSR 4240-50.050
- 20 CSR 4240-10.095
- 20 CSR 4240-3.190 Reporting Requirements for Electric Utilities and Rural Electric Cooperatives

Executive Order 17-03 requires this Office's approval before state agencies release proposed regulations for notice and comment, amend existing regulations, rescind regulations, or adopt new regulations. After our review, we approve the submission to the Joint Committee on Administrative Rules and the Secretary of State.

, Sincerely,

Evan Rodriguez General Counsel

#### Title 20 — DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INSURANCE Division 4240 — Public Service Commission Chapter 10 — Utilities

#### ORDER OF RULEMAKING

By the authority vested in the Public Service Commission under sections 386.040, 386.250, 393.140, and 393.270, RSMo 2016, the commission rescinds a rule as follows:

## 20 CSR 4240-10.095 Environment Improvement Contingency Fund is rescinded.

A notice of proposed rulemaking containing the proposed rescission was published in the *Missouri Register* on Sept. 3, 2024 (49 MoReg 1364). No changes have been made to the proposed rescission, so it is not reprinted here. This proposed rescission becomes effective thirty (30) days after publication in the *Code of State Regulations*.

SUMMARY OF COMMENTS: The public comment period ended Oct. 3, 2024, and the commission held a public hearing on the proposed rescission on Oct. 8, 2024. The commission received one (1) written comment and one (1) comment at the hearing.

COMMENT #1: Scott Stacey, Deputy Counsel, Staff Counsel's Office of the commission, commented in writing and Mark Johnson, Chief Staff Counsel of the commission, commented at the hearing in support of the rescission. Mr. Stacey and Mr. Johnson commented that this regulation has been utilized only one time and the application was unsuccessful. Staff counsel explained that this type of fund is difficult and costly to administer for the target utilities. For these reasons, staff counsel supports the rescission of the rule.

RESPONSE: The commission agrees with staff counsel's comments that the rule should be rescinded as it is not utilized and would be costly to administer if it were to be utilized in the future. No change was made as a result of this comment.

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