BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

| In the Matter of the Sixth Prudence Review of |) | |
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| Costs Subject to the Commission-Approved |) | File No. EO-2025-0073 |
| Fuel Adjustment Clause of Evergy Metro, Inc. |) | |
| d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro |) | |

STAFF'S SIXTH PRUDENCE REVIEW REPORT

COMES NOW Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission and submits Staff's Sixth Prudence Review Report (incorporated by reference) of costs related to the Fuel Adjustment Clause ("FAC") for the electric operations of Evergy Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro ("EMM" or "Company"). In support thereof, Staff states as follows:

- 1. On September 3, 2024, Staff filed *Staff's Notice of Start of Sixth Prudence Review* ("Notice") informing the Commission that it had begun its review of the costs and revenues subject to EMM's FAC.
- 2. The Notice described Staff's plan to conduct a prudence review of the costs and revenues associated with EMM's FAC for the period January 1, 2023 through June 30, 2024. This Review Period corresponds to the 16th through 18th sequential accumulation periods of EMM's FAC.
- 3. Staff has completed its prudence review and provides a detailed discussion of its findings in Staff's Sixth Prudence Review of Costs Related To The Fuel Adjustment Clause For The Electric Operations Of Evergy Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy Missouri Metro ("Prudence Review Report") submitted concurrently herewith. As a result of its prudence review, and as more fully explained in the Prudence Review Report, Staff found no

evidence of imprudence at this time by EMM for the items Staff examined for the period of January 1, 2023 through June 30, 2024.

WHEREFORE, Staff requests the Commission accept its Prudence Review Report of EMM's FAC and that the Commission issue such further orders herein as the Commission deems proper.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed, hand-delivered, or transmitted by facsimile or electronic mail to counsel of record as reflected on the certified service list maintained by the Commission in its Electronic Filing Information System this 28th day of February 2025.

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