BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Request of The Empire District Electric Company d/b/a Liberty for Authority to File Tariffs Increasing Rates for Electric Service Provided to Customers in its Missouri Service Area

Case No. ER-2021-0312

NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF COUNSEL

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission and hereby

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notifies the Commission and all parties that Jeffrey A. Keevil, having retired from state

service effective March 31, 2025, has withdrawn from this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned certifies that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served electronically or by First Class United States Mail, postage prepaid, on all parties of record according to the Service List maintained by the Commission's Data Center on this 5th day of May, 2025.

<u>/s/ Mark Johnson</u>