

**STATE OF MISSOURI
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

At a session of the Public Service
Commission held by telephone
and audio conference on the
28th day of May, 2020.

In the Matter of the Establishment of a Working)
Case for the Review and Consideration of)
Amending the Commission's Rule on Electric)
Utility Renewable Energy Standard Requirements)

File No. EW-2020-0377

**ORDER OPENING A WORKING CASE TO CONSIDER AMENDING THE
RULE REGARDING RENEWABLE ENERGY STANDARD
REQUIREMENTS**

Issue Date: May 28, 2020

Effective Date: May 28, 2020

The Commission is opening this file to assist its Staff in its consideration of amendments to the Commission's rule on electric utility renewable energy standard requirements found at 20 CSR 4240-20.100. Staff's motion asking the Commission to institute this file includes details about the problems Staff has identified about the existing rule and possible solutions to those problems.

This file shall serve as a repository for documents and comments. Using this file, anyone with an interest in this matter may view documents and may submit any responsive comments or documents. As this is not a contested case, anyone may file a comment without counsel and without *ex parte* constraints (arising from this matter). Intervention requests are not necessary to submit comments or view documents.

The public is welcome to submit comments by electronic communications through the Commission's electronic filing and information system (EFIS) or by mailing written

comments. Comments may be submitted at the Commission's website at <http://www.psc.mo.gov>. (Click on the Submit Comments link on the upper right side of the page. Enter EW-2020-0377. Comments in hard copy should be addressed to the Commission at P.O. Box 360, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102 and should also reference File No. EW-2020-0377. The public can view the contents of the file at the Commission's website at <http://www.psc.mo.gov>.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. This case is established as a repository for documents and comments regarding Staff's consideration of amendments to the Commission's rule regarding electric utility renewable energy standard requirements.
2. The Commission's data center shall provide a copy of this order to all Missouri electric corporations, to the Office of the Public Counsel, and to all intervening parties in the most recent rate cases for each electric corporation.¹
3. Any stakeholder wishing to file written comments regarding the amendment of the Commission's rule regarding electric utility energy standard requirements shall do so no later than June 29, 2020.
4. This order shall be effective when issued.

¹ Those rate cases are as follows:
Ameren Missouri (Electric) – ER-2019-0335
Eversource Missouri Metro – ER-2018-0145
Eversource Missouri West – ER-2018-0146
The Empire District Electric Company – ER-2019-0374



BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Morris L. Woodruff".

Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

Silvey, Chm., Kenney, Rupp, Coleman, and
Holsman CC., concur.

Woodruff, Chief Regulatory Law Judge

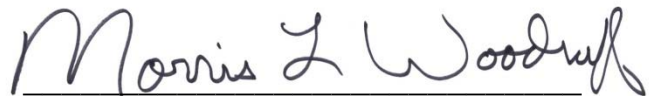
STATE OF MISSOURI

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 28th day of May 2020.




Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

May 28, 2020

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Enclosed find a certified copy of an Order or Notice issued in the above-referenced matter(s).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, reading "Morris L. Woodruff". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Morris" being the most prominent.

Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

Distributed to all Missouri Electric Corporations.

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