OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of The Empire District Electric)	
Company's Submission of its Interim Report)	
Regarding Participation in the Southwest)	Case No. EO-2012-0269
Power Pool. Inc.)	

ORDER DIRECTING FILING

Issue Date: July 30, 2025 Effective Date: July 30, 2025

On July 28, 2025, The Empire District Electric Company d/b/a Liberty filed a motion asking the Commission to extend the previously granted approval of Liberty's membership in the Southwest Power Pool until all transmission facilities identified in the 2024 Integrated Transmission Plan (ITP) are placed into service by the above-referenced application.

On July 29, 2025, the Office of the Public Counsel (OPC) filed a Motion to Extend Interim and Conditional Approval and Motion for Expedited Treatment. OPC points out that Liberty's current and conditional approval expires on August 1, 2025. Thus, OPC asks for the Commission to grant Liberty's request for relief no later than July 31, 2025.

Before ruling on the motion, the Commission will establish a time for the other parties to respond.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- Any party objected to OPC's motion shall do so no later than July 30, 2025.
 - 2. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

Nancy Dippell Secretary

Ronald D. Pridgin, Deputy Chief Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri on this 30th day of July, 2025.

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 30th day of July 2025.

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Nancy Dippell Secretary

MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION July 30, 2025

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

Sincerely,

Nancy Dippell Secretary

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