

**STATE OF MISSOURI
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

At a session of the Public Service
Commission held at its office in
Jefferson City on the 12th day of
November, 2014.

In the Matter of the True-Up of The Empire District
Electric Company's Fuel Adjustment Clause (FAC)

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File No. EO-2015-0086

ORDER APPROVING FUEL ADJUSTMENT CLAUSE TRUE-UP

Issue Date: November 12, 2014

Effective Date: December 1, 2014

On October 1, 2014, The Empire District Electric Company ("Empire") submitted its tenth Fuel Adjustment Clause ("FAC") true-up filing, as required by Commission Rules 4 CSR 240-20.090(5) and 4 CSR 240-3.161(8). Empire identified an under-recovery of \$220,997 of the Fuel and Purchased Power Adjustment ("FPA") for the billing months of December 2013 through May 2014 ("Recovery Period 10").

On October 27, 2014, the Commission's Staff filed its recommendation. Based on its examination and analysis of information filed by Empire - including the testimony of Empire's witness Todd Tarter and supporting schedules - Staff recommends the Commission approve Empire's true-up filing. Staff explains that the under-recovered amount of \$220,997 is the true-up amount for Recovery Period 10 that is included in the calculation of the FPA for Empire's Accumulation Period 12 adjustment filing, currently before the Commission in File No. ER-2015-0085.

More than ten days have passed since Staff filed its recommendation and no party has filed a response to that recommendation.¹

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The Empire District Electric Company's true-up filing for the tenth recovery period (billing months of December 2013 through May 2014) is approved.
2. This order shall become effective on December 1, 2014.
3. This file shall be closed on December 2, 2014.

BY THE COMMISSION



A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Morris L. Woodruff". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

R. Kenney, Chm., Stoll, W. Kenney,
Hall, and Rupp, CC., concur.

Burton, Regulatory Law Judge

¹ Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-2.080(13) allows parties not more than ten days from the date of filing to respond to any pleading unless otherwise ordered by the Commission.