BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of The Empire District Electric)	
Company's 2015 Annual Update Report)	File No. EO-2015-0216
Filing Pursuant to 4 CSR 240-22.080(3).)	

NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF COUNSEL

COMES NOW Christina Baker and hereby submits to the Missouri Public Service Commission the following Notice of Withdrawal of Counsel:

- 1. Effective November 4, 2015, I resigned my position as Deputy Public Counsel with the Office of the Public Counsel. At that time, I was assigned as counsel in the above-captioned matter. I am filing this Notice in each case in which I was assigned as counsel because I am no longer part of the Office of the Public Counsel.
- The Office of the Public Counsel will continue to be represented by Cydney Mayfield,
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WHEREFORE, I respectfully submit this Withdrawal of Counsel for the Commission's information and consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

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