

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI**

In the Matter of the Application of The)
Empire District Electric Company for a) File No. EA-2019-0010
Certificate of Convenience and Necessity)
Related to its Customer Savings Plan)

NOTICE CONCERNING TECHNICAL/SETTLEMENT CONFERENCE

COMES NOW The Empire District Electric Company (“Empire” or “Company”), by and through counsel, and, states the following to the Missouri Public Service Commission (“Commission”) as its *Notice Concerning Technical/Settlement Conference*:

1. On October 24, 2018, Empire filed a Proposed Procedural Schedule on its behalf, and on behalf of the Staff of the Commission (“Staff”), the Office of the Public Counsel (“OPC”), Missouri Energy Consumers Group (“MECG”), and Renew Missouri Advocates (“Renew Missouri”).

2. Also on October 24, 2018, the Commission issued its *Order Directing Notice, Setting Intervention Deadline, and Setting Time for Responses*. That Order, among other things, encouraged the parties and potential intervenors to meet as proposed pending the resolution of the request for a protective order and the granting of interventions.

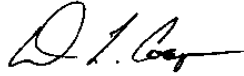
3. The first event listed in the *Proposed Procedural Schedule* was a “Technical/Settlement Conference (off the record)” to take place on November 7, 2018. Empire has since discovered a scheduling conflict for certain personnel that would be helpful to the discussion. Accordingly, after discussion with Staff, OPC, MECG, Renew Missouri, and Division of Energy, Empire is providing this Notice that the identified Technical/Sentiment Conference will take place on November 8, 2018, at 9 a.m.

WHEREFORE, Empire respectfully submits this *Notice Concerning Technical/Settlement Conference.*

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned certifies that a true and correct copy of the foregoing document was sent by electronic mail, on October 30, 2018, to the following:

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