

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

In the Matter of an Investigation into Empire)
District Gas Company Concerning Compliance)
With the Commission’s Rules Regarding)
Natural Gas Safety Found at 20 CSR 4240-)
40.030)

Case No. GS-2026-0099

ORDER DIRECTING FILING

Issue Date: January 13, 2026

Effective Date: January 13, 2026

On October 9, 2025, the Commission issued an Order Granting Motion to Establish a Case. On January 12, 2026, the Staff of the Commission filed a Status Report. In that report, Staff asks the Commission to order Staff to file a report no later than April 27, 2026.

The Commission finds the request reasonable, and will grant it.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The Staff of the Commission shall file a report, or alternative pleading, no later than April 27, 2026.

2. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

Nancy Dippell

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 13th day of January, 2026.

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 13th day of January 2026.



Nancy Dippell

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Secretary

MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

January 13, 2026

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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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