

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

In the Matter of The Empire District Electric )  
Company of Joplin, Missouri Tariffs )  
Increasing Rates for Electric Service )  
Provided to Customers in the Missouri Service )  
Area of the Company )

**File No. ER-2012-0345**

**ORDER GRANTING MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE  
SUPPLEMENTAL REBUTTAL TESTIMONY**

Issue Date: January 29, 2013

Effective Date: January 29, 2013

On January 24, 2013, The Empire District Electric Company (“Empire”) filed a *Motion for Leave to File Supplemental Rebuttal Testimony*. No party has opposed the motion. For the reasons stated in Empire’s motion, the Commission finds good cause for granting the motion and will approve the request.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. Empire’s *Motion for Leave to File Supplemental Rebuttal Testimony* is granted. Empire is authorized to file the supplemental rebuttal testimony of W. Scott Keith.
2. This order shall become effective immediately upon issuance.

( S E A L )

**BY THE COMMISSION**



Shelley Brueggemann  
Acting Secretary

Michael Bushmann, Regulatory Law Judge,  
by delegation of authority pursuant to  
Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 29<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2013.