

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

In the Matter of The Empire District Electric )  
Company of Joplin, Missouri's Notice of Intent )  
To File Tariffs Increasing Rates for Electric )  
Service Provided to Customers in the Missouri )  
Service Area of the Company )

**File No. ER-2011-0004**

**NOTICE CLOSING FILE**

Issue Date: July 8, 2010

On July 7, 2010, in compliance with Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-4.020(2), The Empire District Electric Company filed a notice informing the Commission of its intent to file a general rate case as soon as mid-September 2010. The Commission does not need to take any action in response to that notice at this time. Therefore, the Commission will close this file.

**BY THE COMMISSION**



Steven C. Reed  
Secretary

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Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 8<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2010.

Woodruff, Chief Regulatory Law Judge