

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

In the Matter of Evergy Metro, Inc. d/b/a Evergy)	
Missouri Metro for Authority to Implement Rate)	<u>Case No. ER-2022-0025</u>
Adjustments Required by 20 CSR 4240-20.090(8))	Tariff No. JE-2022-0024
and the Company's Approved Fuel and)	
Purchased Power Cost Recovery Mechanism.)	

Staff's Motion for Oral Argument

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission, by and through counsel, and hereby moves the Commission to set oral argument in this matter. In support thereof, Staff states that the complexity of this matter, together with the nuances of the parties' arguments and the fact that it has been submitted without hearing, make this case a very suitable candidate for oral argument in order to ensure that the Commission's questions are fully answered.

WHEREFORE, Staff prays that the Commission will set this matter for oral argument; and grant such other and further relief as the Commission deems just in the circumstances.

Respectfully submitted,

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