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Praxair, Inc. and Explorer Pipeline Company to Empire District Electric Company

Missouri Public Service Commission.

August 5, 2006

Item No.

Description

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(DR #19 Supplement): Please provide a copy of any internal emails or other electronic communications that refer to or mention any of the meetings identified in response to DR #14 Supplement.

Response: See attachment.

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Signed: Greg Knapp

Date: August 15, 2006

Sherry McCormack

From:

Sherry McCormack

Sent:

Tuesday, March 15, 2005 10:21 AM

To:

Greg Knapp

Subject: RE: forecast

The projected refund is approx. \$12.4 million in year three. I am planning a study to show the refund in March 2008. Also, in continuing the IEC, we will use the net amount with no refund as if it were a fuel adjustment clause in 2008 and 2009. I'll keep you posted. Let me know if you have any thoughts on this.

-Sherry

-----Original Message-----

From: Greg Knapp

Sent: Monday, March 14, 2005 6:00 PM

To: Sherry McCormack Subject: RE: forecast

Lunderstand Kelly is projecting a continuation of IEC. So are you just talking about the 3rd year true-up? What is the projected amount of refund? It is important to show, but may be immaterial?

Greg

----Original Message----From: Sherry McCormack

Sent: Monday, March 14, 2005 5:30 PM

To: Greg Knapp **Cc:** Kelly Walters **Subject:** forecast

Greg,

I will receive the revenue numbers in the morning and have a question regarding the IEC. I can easily provide, by end of day Tuesday, the forecast using net IEC, as we did in the forecasts last week. If we want to show the Provision for Refund and the effect on the cash flow in year three, that will take a bit more time to verify that everything is flowing correctly. It could be Wednesday before that one is ready. Which do you want to take to NY?

-Sherry