

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

In the Matter of The Empire District Electric)
Company’s Application for Approval of a)
Transportation Electrification Portfolio for)
Electric Customers in its Missouri Service Area) Case No. ET-2020-0390

STATUS REPORT

COMES NOW The Empire District Electric Company (“Liberty” or “the Company”), and for this Status Report, respectfully states as follows to the Missouri Public Service Commission (“Commission”):

1. On May 19, 2021, upon motion of the parties, the Commission issued its *Order Suspending Procedural Schedule and Directing Filing of Status Report*.
2. Liberty submitted Status Reports herein on June 18, July 18, and August 17, 2021.
3. Liberty continues to work with the parties on a global settlement agreement, and additional discussions are needed in order to finalize the agreement. As such, Liberty requests that the parties be directed to file a status report or settlement agreement within an additional thirty days.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that the above document was filed in EFIS on this 16th day of September, 2021, and electronically delivered to all counsel of record.

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