

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

In the Matter of The Empire District Electric)
Company for Authority to File Tariffs Increasing)
Rates for Electric Service Provided to Customers) Case No. ER-2016-0023
in the Company’s Missouri Service Area)

SUPPLEMENT TO STIPULATION AND AGREEMENT

COMES NOW The Empire District Electric Company (“Empire” or “Company”), by and through counsel and on behalf of all parties, and submits this Supplement to Stipulation and Agreement. In this regard, Empire respectfully states as follows to the Missouri Public Service Commission (“Commission”):

1. All parties to this rate case proceeding, with the exception of the Midwest Energy Users’ Association (“MEUA”), are Signatories to the Stipulation and Agreement filed herein on June 20, 2016. On June 21, 2016, MEUA filed its joinder in the Stipulation and Agreement, making the global settlement unanimous.

2. As part of the Stipulation and Agreement, the parties agree that Empire should be authorized to file tariffs designed to increase the Company’s revenues by \$20,390,000 annually, exclusive of any applicable license, occupation, franchise, gross receipts taxes, or similar fees or taxes, to become effective on September 14, 2016. The specimen tariffs attached hereto as Schedule A are designed to implement the agreed upon revenue requirement increase and otherwise reflect the agreement of the parties as set forth in the Stipulation and Agreement.

WHEREFORE, on behalf of all parties, Empire respectfully submits this Supplement to Stipulation and Agreement and requests approval of the Stipulation and Agreement filed herein on June 20, 2016.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing document was filed in EFIS, notifying all counsel of record of the filing, and that a copy of the same was sent via electronic mail on this 27th day of June, 2016, to all counsel of record.

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