BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

EARTH ISLAND INSTITUTE d/b/a)	
RENEW MISSOURI, et al.,)	
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Complainants,)	
)	
V.)	Case No. EC-2013-0378
)	
THE EMPIRE DISTRICT ELECTRIC)	
COMPANY,)	
)	
Respondent.)	

CONSENT TO DISMISSAL OF COUNTS I AND II

In accordance with 4 CSR 240-2.116(1), Respondent, The Empire District Electric Company, through its undersigned attorneys, hereby consents to the dismissal with prejudice of Counts I and II of the complaint filed in the above-captioned case, as proposed in the joint *Notice of Dismissal of Counts I and II* and the *Revised Notice of Dismissal of Counts I and II* filed by Complainants Earth Island Institute, d/b/a Renew Missouri; the Missouri Coalition for the Environment; The Missouri Solar Energy Industries Association; Wind on the Wires; Missouri Solar Applications, LLC; The Alternative Energy Company, LLC; and StraightUp Solar.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing was served, via e-mail, on counsel for each of parties of record on the 19^{th} day of November, 2013.

/s/ L. Russell Mitten