

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

In the Matter of the Application of)
The Empire District Electric Company,)
The Empire District Gas Company,)
Liberty Utilities (Midstates Natural Gas) Corp.,)
and Liberty Utilities (Missouri Water), LLC)
for Approval of Their Cost Allocation Manual)

CASE NO AO-2017-0360

MOTION FOR LEAVE TO WITHDRAW AS COUNSEL

COMES NOW Mark Johnson, Deputy Counsel, and hereby respectfully requests leave to withdraw as counsel for the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (“Staff”) in the above captioned matter. Effective November 1, 2021, I resigned my position in Staff Counsel’s Office. The Commission’s Staff will continue to be represented by Staff Counsel assigned to this case.

WHEREFORE, I respectfully submit this *Motion for Leave to Withdraw as Counsel* for the Commission's information and consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed or hand-delivered, transmitted by facsimile or electronically mailed to all parties and/or counsel of record on this 8th day of November, 2021.

/s/ Mark Johnson