# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Spire Missouri, Inc. d/b/a Spire to Change its Infrastructure System Replacement Surcharge in its Spire Missouri East Service Territory	) ) )	File No. GO-2020-0229 Tracking No. YG-2020-0197
In the Matter of the Application of Spire Missouri, Inc. d/b/a Spire to Change its Infrastructure System Replacement Surcharge in its Spire Missouri West Service Territory	) ) )	File No. GO-2020-0230 Tracking No. YG-2020-0198

#### ORDER APPROVING COMPLIANCE TARIFFS

Issue Date: May 15, 2020 Effective Date: May 25, 2020

On May 13, 2020,<sup>1</sup> the Commission issued its Order Approving Stipulation and Agreement. This order approved the Unanimous Stipulation and Agreement (Agreement) the parties filed on April 14; rejected the tariff sheets Spire Missouri, Inc. (Spire) filed on February 13, Tariff Tracking Numbers YG-2020-0139 and YG-2020-0140; and ordered Spire to file compliance tariff sheets conforming with the approved Stipulation and Agreement no later than May 23. The Agreement provided for ISRS revenue of \$5,519,188 for Spire East and \$5,599,040 for Spire West. It also provided that OPC's issue concerning cathodically protected pipes would be resolved consistently with the disposition of that issue in cases GO-2019-0356 and GO-2019-0357 now on appeal in the Missouri Court of Appeals, case number WD83475.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> All date references will be to 2020 unless otherwise specified.

On May 13, Spire filed revised sheets YG-2020-0197<sup>2</sup> (Spire East) and YG-2020-0198 (Spire West) and Motions for Expedited Treatment. Spire asked that the tariffs be approved to be effective on May 25. On May 14, the Commission ordered the Commission Staff to file its recommendation on the revised tariff sheets no later than noon May 15 and set noon May 15 as the deadline for objections or comments from the Office of Public Counsel and any other party.

On May 15, Staff filed its Compliance Tariff Recommendation (Recommendation). No other responses to the proposed tariffs have been filed. The Recommendation states that Spire's tariff filings are in compliance with the Commission's May 13 Order Approving Stipulation and Agreement, and Staff recommends the Commission approve Spire East's ISRS tariff (YG-2020-0197) P.S.C. MO No. 7 Fifth Revised Sheet No. 12 filed on May 13, 2020, as substituted on May 14, 2020; and Spire West's ISRS tariff sheet (YG-2020-0198) P.S.C. MO No. 8 Fifth Revised Sheet No. 12 filed on May 13, 2020, substituting the effective date the Commission finds appropriate given the effective date of the Commission's Order approving this compliance filing.

Given Staff recommendation, the Commission will approve Spire East's ISRS tariff with tracking number YG-2020-0197 and Spire West's ISRS tariff with tracking number YG-2020-0198, both to be effective on May 25, 2020.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Substituted on May 14.

#### THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- 1. The tariff sheets in Tariff No. YG-2020-0197 filed on May 13, 2020, as substituted on May 14, 2020, are approved, with the tariff sheets to take effect on May 25, 2020.
- 2. The tariff sheets in Tariff No. YG-2020-0198 filed on May 13, 2020, are approved, with the tariff sheets to take effect on May 25, 2020.
  - 3. This order shall be effective on May 25, 2020.



BY THE COMMISSION

Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

Paul T. Graham, Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority under Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 15<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2020.

#### STATE OF MISSOURI

#### OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

I have compared the preceding copy with the original on file in this office and I do hereby certify the same to be a true copy therefrom and the whole thereof.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the Public Service Commission, at Jefferson City, Missouri, this 15<sup>th</sup> day of May 2020.

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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

## MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION May 15, 2020

#### File/Case No. GO-2020-0229 and GO-2020-0230

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Enclosed find a certified copy of an Order or Notice issued in the above-referenced matter(s).

Sincerely,

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