BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of The Empire)	
District Electric Company's Request)	File No. ER-2016-0023
For Authority to Implement a General)	Tracking No.: YE-2017-0120
Rate Increase for Electric Service)	

ORDER SETTING DEADLINE FOR FILING RESPONSES TO OBJECTION

Issue Date: January 13, 2017 Effective Date: January 13, 2017

On December 30, 2016, the Commission issued an order setting a January 10, 2017 deadline for parties to submit responses to The Empire District Electric Company's Demand Side Management ("DSM") tariff sheets. The Office of the Public Counsel filed a timely response and objection, requesting the Commission reject Empire's filed 2nd Revised Sheet No. 8e and direct the company to amend the tariff sheet to include a budget for a feasibility study of the Pay As You Save program.

The Commission will set a deadline for the filing of responses to the Office of the Public Counsel's objection.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

 No later than January 18, 2017, parties may file responses to the Office of the Public Counsel's Objection to Tariff Sheet.

2. This order shall become effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

Kim S. Burton, Senior Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 13th day of January, 2017.

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 13th day of January 2017.

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Morris L. Woodruff

Secretary

MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION January 13, 2017

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

Sincerely,

Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

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