



attached **Exhibit A**; corrected per footnote 2 below). Evergy’s understanding is that those materials satisfy the subsection (2)(B) requirement of a cover sheet or pleading and document-level citation. At minimum, they reflect a reasonable and good faith effort to comply with the Rule. Indeed, the Company used the same confidential designation process in the Minimum Filing Requirements (“MFR”) section of its rate case filing and no party challenged this method of designating confidential materials.

4. On April 15, 2026, the Commission issued its Order, which states, *inter alia*:<sup>1</sup>

Evergy Metro has provided the category but not the necessary explanation. The Commission will direct Evergy Metro to do so.

[...]

Therefore, the Commission will direct Evergy Metro to resubmit conforming testimony and schedules with the necessary Commission Rule 20 CSR 4240-2.135(2)(B) explanations.

5. Regardless of Evergy’s belief that it complied with the Rule, per the directive of the Commission’s Order, the Company states as follows:<sup>2</sup>

a. Foo Direct: Schedules HYF-2 through HYF-6 contain nonpublic market-sensitive operational and cost inputs, assumptions, or analytical workpapers used in Evergy’s fuel, purchased power, maintenance, or heat-rate analyses, and thus fall within 20 CSR 4240-2.135(2)(A) 3 and 4.

b. Tucker Direct: The designated portions of Ms. Tucker’s direct testimony and Schedule JLT-1 contain nonpublic market-sensitive fuel procurement, inventory/planning, and/or contract-negotiation strategy information, as well as related internal workpapers and thus fall within 20 CSR 4240-2.135(2)(A) 3, 4, and 6.

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<sup>1</sup> See *Order*, p. 3.

<sup>2</sup> The confidential designation sheets originally filed with the Testimony cited 20 CSR 4240-2.135(2)(A) explanations nos. 3 and 5 for the Foo Direct, and nos. 3, 5, and 6 for the Tucker Direct. References to explanation no. 5 were made in error and have been corrected to reference explanation no. 4 in both instances, as detailed in Paragraphs 5(a) and (b) of this pleading.

**WHEREFORE**, Evergy respectfully submits the attached information in response to the Commission's Order.

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing document was served upon counsel for all parties on this 24<sup>th</sup> day of April 2026, by EFIS filing and notification, and/or e-mail.

*/s/ Roger W. Steiner*

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**CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION**

The following information is provided to the Missouri Public Service Commission under CONFIDENTIAL SEAL:

<b>Document/Page</b>	<b>Reason for Confidentiality from List Below</b>
Schedule HYF-2	3 and 4
Schedule HYF-3	3 and 4
Schedule HYF-4	3 and 4
Schedule HYF-5	3 and 4
Schedule HYF-6	3 and 4

Rationale for the “confidential” designation pursuant to 20 CSR 4240-2.135 is documented below:

1. Customer-specific information;
2. Employee-sensitive personnel information;
3. Marketing analysis or other market-specific information relating to services offered in competition with others;
4. Marketing analysis or other market-specific information relating to goods or services purchased or acquired for use by a company in providing services to customers;
5. Reports, work papers, or other documentation related to work produced by internal or external auditors, consultants, or attorneys, except that total amounts billed by each external auditor, consultant, or attorney for services related to general rate proceedings shall always be public;
6. Strategies employed, to be employed, or under consideration in contract negotiations;
7. Relating to the security of a company's facilities; or
8. Concerning trade secrets, as defined in section 417.453, RSMo.
9. Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_.

Should any party challenge the Company’s assertion of confidentiality with respect to the above information, the Company reserves the right to supplement the rationale contained herein with additional factual or legal information.

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Tucker Direct, p. 25, lns. 4 and 6	3, 4, and 6
Tucker Direct, p. 26, lns. 18-12 and p. 27, lns. 1-2	3, 4, and 6
Tucker Direct, p. 29, ln. 10	3, 4, and 6
Tucker Direct, p. 32, lns. 8-12	3, 4, and 6
Tucker Direct, p. 33, lns. 7-9	3, 4, and 6
Schedule JLT-1	3, 4, and 6

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