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June 18, 2026

Secretary of the Commission  
Missouri Public Service Commission  
P.O. Box 360  
Jefferson City, MO 65102-0360

RE: The Empire District Electric Company d.b.a Liberty  
Compliance Filing for the Advanced Meter or Hub Meter Opt-Out 20 CSR 4240-10.035  
Substitute Tariff Filing / Tracking No. JE-2026-0153

Dear Secretary:

On June 1, 2026, and in accordance with the requirements of 20 CSR 4240-10.035, Liberty filed tariff sheets with a proposed effective date of July 1, 2026.

Pursuant to Staff recommendations, substitute tariffs are being submitted at this time. As substitutes, they continue to bear an issue date of June 1, 2026 and a requested effective date of July 1, 2026.

Please bring this substitute tariff filing to the attention of the Commissioners and the appropriate Commission personnel, and please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions or concerns you may have regarding this filing.

Thank you for your consideration of these tariffs. Please contact me directly at [Charlie.Evans@libertyutilities.com](mailto:Charlie.Evans@libertyutilities.com) if you require any further information.

Sincerely,  
*Charlie Evans*  
Charlie Evans  
Director, Rates & Regulatory Affairs

Enclosure:  
Substitute Tariff Sheets