BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

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In the Matter of the Application of Roger Pritchett for Change of Electric Supplier

File No. EO-2017-0217

ORDER SETTING PROCEDURAL CONFERENCE

Issue Date: May 24, 2017

Effective Date: May 24, 2017

On February 6, 2017, Roger Pritchett filed an application with the Missouri Public Service Commission requesting that his electric supplier be changed from The Empire District Electric Company to Ozark Electric Cooperative, Inc. On May 9, 2017, the Commission's Staff filed a recommendation to deny Mr. Pritchett's request and to provide Mr. Pritchett an opportunity to submit additional information to establish that his request is in the public interest for a reason other than rate differential.

The Commission finds that a procedural conference is now appropriate to discuss filing deadlines for a procedural schedule and a date for an evidentiary hearing. The parties or their representatives shall appear in person or by telephone at the conference, unless excused by the regulatory law judge. Parties wishing to appear by telephone will be provided with a telephone conference number.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. A procedural conference shall be held on Wednesday, June 7, 2017, beginning at 9:00 a.m., in Room 305 of the Governor Office Building, 200 Madison Street, Jefferson City, Missouri. This meeting will be held in a building that meets accessibility standards required by the Americans with Disabilities Act. Anyone needing additional

accommodations to participate shall call the Public Service Commission's Hotline at 1-800-392-4211 (voice) or Relay Missouri at 711 before the conference.

2. Any party that wants to participate in the conference by telephone may do so by calling **877-820-7831** and entering the access code **35666479#** at the time set for the beginning of the conference.

3. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

Torris I Woodwill

Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

Michael Bushmann, Senior Regulatory Law Judge by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 24th day of May, 2017.