ACTION REQUEST

Date: December 4, 2008

TO:	Division of Public Utilities	RESPONSE DUE BY December 23, 2008
FROM:	Public Service Commission	EFFECTIVE DATE January 1, 2009
SUBJECT:_	Empire Electric Association, In	
	(Company Name, Case Number, etc.)	
This is a requ	uest for the Division to conduct:	
	Review Tariff Compliance	
	Analysis of Complaint	
X	Investigation	
	Other	

EXPLANATION AND STATEMENT OF ISSUES TO BE ADDRESSED

Empire Electric Association, Inc. is increasing its rates 2.9 percent to recover the increase in wholesale rates from Tri-State, plus a 2.1 percent general rate increase to recover increasing costs of doing business.