OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission)
Complainant,)
v.) Case No. GC-2006-0182
Sendero SMGC LP Acquisition Company and Sendero SMGC GP Acquisition Company, d/b/a Southern Missouri Gas Company, L.P.,)))
Respondents.)

NOTICE ACKNOWLEDGING DISMISSAL OF COMPLAINT AND CLOSING CASE

Issue Date: February 14, 2006

The Staff of the Commission filed a complaint against Sendero SMGC LP Acquisition Company and Sendero SMGC GP Acquisition Company on October 21, 2005. On February 14, 2006, Staff filed a notice dismissing its complaint.

4 CSR 240-2.116(1) permits a complainant to voluntarily dismiss its complaint without an order of the Commission at any time before prepared testimony has been filed or oral evidence has been offered. No prepared testimony or oral evidence has been offered in this case. Therefore, the Commission acknowledges that Staff

has voluntarily dismissed its complaint. Nothing remains for decision by the Commission and this case may be closed.

BY THE COMMISSION

Colleen M. Dale Secretary

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Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 14th day of February, 2006.

Woodruff, Deputy Chief Regulatory Law Judge