

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI**

Craig A. Smith,)	
)	
Complainant,)	
)	
v.)	<u>Case No. GC-2015-0147</u>
)	
Laclede Gas Company,)	
)	
Respondent.)	

STATUS REPORT

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission, by and through counsel, and for its Status Report as ordered by the Commission on July 25, 2016, states as follows:

1. Staff filed its last Status Report in this case on June 21, 2016, in which it indicated it was waiting for Respondent to provide feedback on the proposed stipulation and agreement.

2. At this time, the parties continue to negotiate a stipulation and agreement to resolve the matter. Respondent provided feedback to the proposed stipulation and agreement on August 19, 2016, and is awaiting responses from the parties.

WHEREFORE, Staff prays that the Commission will accept its Status Report.

Respectfully Submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed, hand delivered, transmitted by facsimile or electronically mailed to all counsel of record this 25th day of August, 2016.

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