BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION STATE OF MISSOURI

Missouri Propane Gas Association,)	
Complainant,)	
v.)	Case No. GC-2016-0083
Summit Natural Gas of Missouri, Inc.,)	
Respondent.)	

MOTION OF SUMMIT NATURAL GAS OF MISSOURI FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

COMES NOW Summit Natural Gas of Missouri, Inc. ("Summit") pursuant to 4 CSR 240-2.050(3)(A) and for its Motion for Extension of Time states as follows:

- 1. On May 3, 2017, the Missouri Propane Gas Association ("MPGA") filed a motion seeking a Commission order that requires MPGA to supplement its case in chief. On that same date, MPGA filed a Response to Summit's Motion for Summary Determination and a Memorandum in Support of that response. Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-2.080(13) provides that parties have ten days from the date of filing to respond to a pleading. Ten days from MPGA's May 3 filing date is Saturday, May 13. Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-2.050(1) provides that if the end of the period allowed to make a filing would fall on a Saturday, Sunday, or legal holiday, then the period will be extended until the next business day, which in this instance would be Monday, May 15. Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-2.050(3)(A) allows the Commission to enlarge this period at its discretion.
- 2. MPGA's request that the Commission order it to supplement the record (to which Summit is opposed) complicates Summit's reply to MPGA's May 3 filings. In

addition, counsel for Summit has had time commitments to other matters. Accordingly, Summit requests an extension of time until May 26 to respond to these filings.

- 3. Counsel for the Staff of the Commission, for the Office of the Public Counsel, and for MPGA have authorized Summit to represent that they do not oppose this request for extension of time. None of the parties, the public interest, or the Commission itself will be harmed by this brief extension.
- 4. **WHEREFORE,** Summit respectfully requests that the Commission allow Summit until May 26 to respond to MPGA's May 3 filings.

Respectfully Submitted,

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