OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

The Office of the Public Counsel,)
	Complainant,)
V.) <u>Case No. GC-2006-0431</u>
Laclede Gas Company,)
	Respondent.)

NOTICE OF COMPLAINT

Issue Date: May 12, 2006

Laclede Gas Company Legal Department 720 Olive Street St. Louis, Missouri 63101 CERTIFIED MAIL

On May 11, 2006, the Office of the Public Counsel filed a complaint with the Commission against Laclede Gas Company. A copy of the complaint is enclosed. Under Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-2.070, Laclede has 30 days from the date of this notice to file an answer or to file notification that the complaint has been satisfied. Since this notice is being issued on May 12, Laclede's response is due by June 11.

All pleadings, including the answer, must be mailed to:

Secretary of the Public Service Commission P.O. Box 360
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102-0360

A copy must be served upon the complainant at the address listed within the enclosed complaint.

BY THE COMMISSION

Colleen M. Dale Secretary

(SEAL)

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 12th day of May, 2006.

Woodruff, Deputy Chief Regulatory Law Judge