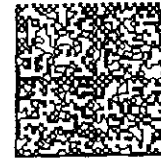


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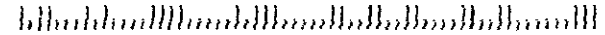
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**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**  
**OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI**

In the Matter of an Investigation into Whether     )  
Ratepayers are being Held Harmless from the     )  
Taum Sauk Disaster                                     )     Case No. ER-2008-0015

**ORDER GRANTING MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Issue Date: September 25, 2007

Effective Date: September 25, 2007

On July 12, 2007,<sup>1</sup> the Office of the Public Counsel (“OPC”) filed its “Motion to Open a New Case to Investigate Whether Ratepayers are being Held Harmless from the Taum Sauk Disaster.” On August 31, the Commission’s Staff responded to OPC’s motion and on September 10, OPC filed its “Reply to Staff Response.”

On September 24, Staff moved for additional time to respond to OPC’s reply. Staff states it wishes to more substantively address some of the matters raised by OPC in its motion and responsive pleadings. Staff requests an extension until September 28 to file its response.

The Commission finds Staff’s request reasonable, and will grant it.

**IT IS ORDERED THAT:**

1. The Motion for Extension of Time, filed by Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission on September 24, 2007, is granted.

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<sup>1</sup> All dates throughout this order refer to the year 2007 unless otherwise noted.

2. No later than September 28, 2007, the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission shall file its response to The Office of the Public Counsel's September 10, 2007 "Reply to Staff Response."

3. This order shall become effective on September 25, 2007.

**BY THE COMMISSION**



Colleen M. Dale  
Secretary

( S E A L )

Harold Stearley, Regulatory Law Judge,  
by delegation of authority pursuant to  
Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

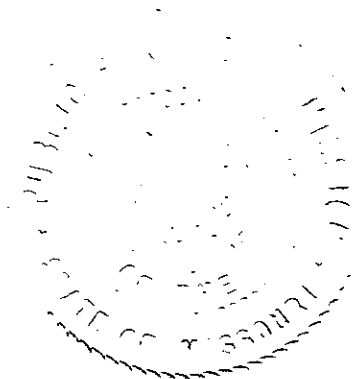
Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 25th day of September, 2007.

**STATE OF MISSOURI**

**OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

**I have compared the preceding copy with the original on file in this office and  
I do hereby certify the same to be a true copy therefrom and the whole thereof.**

**WITNESS my hand and seal of the Public Service Commission, at Jefferson City,  
Missouri, this 25<sup>th</sup> of September, 2007.**



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**Colleen M. Dale**  
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September 25, 2007

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**Enclosed find a certified copy of an ORDER in the above-numbered case(s).**

**Sincerely,**

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