

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

Lynne P. Shewmaker,)	
)	
Complainants,)	
v.)	Case No. GC-2006-0549
)	
Laclede Gas Company,)	
Respondent.)	

**PUBLIC COUNSEL’S STATEMENT
OF POSITION ON THE ISSUES**

COMES NOW the Office of the Public Counsel pursuant to the Commission’s Procedural Schedule in the above captioned case, and states that at this time Public Counsel has not taken a position on the issues identified by the parties. Public Counsel reserves the right to take a position on any and all issues following the evidentiary hearing currently scheduled for June 29, 2007.

Respectfully submitted,
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