

**STATE OF MISSOURI  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

At a session of the Public Service  
Commission held at its office in  
Jefferson City on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of  
December, 2010.

Charles A. Harter,	)	
	)	
v.	)	<b><u>File No. GC-2010-0217</u></b>
	)	
Laclede Gas Company,	)	
Respondent.	)	

**ORDER DENYING APPLICATION FOR REHEARING**

Issue Date: December 1, 2010

Effective Date: December 1, 2010

On November 3, 2010, the Missouri Public Service Commission issued its Report and Order. The effective date of the order was November 13. On November 15, Charles Harter filed an application for rehearing. Mr. Harter correctly cites to Section 386.500, RSMo, as the basis for his request. Subsection 2 of 386.500 states in part:

No cause or action arising out of any order or decision of the commission shall accrue in any court to any . . . person . . . unless that party shall have made, *before the effective date of such order or decision*, application to the commission for a rehearing. [italics added]

The effective date of the order was Saturday, November 13. To have been timely, Mr. Harter should have filed his application prior to November 13, or no later than November 12. He failed to do so. The Commission will therefore deny the application.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. The Application for Rehearing, filed by Charles A. Harter, is denied.

2. This order shall become effective upon issuance.
3. This case shall be closed December 2, 2010.

**BY THE COMMISSION**



Steven C. Reed  
Secretary

( S E A L )

Clayton, Chm., Davis, Jarrett,  
Gunn, and Kenney, CC., concur.

Jones, Senior Regulatory Law Judge