

# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

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

## ORDER SETTING BRIEFING SCHEDULE

Issue Date: August 4, 2010

Effective Date: August 4, 2010

The evidentiary hearing has been held and the transcript and exhibits have been filed. To move this matter toward a resolution, the Commission will set a briefing schedule. The parties have no objection to filing simultaneous briefs.<sup>1</sup> However, because Complainant has the burden of showing by clear and satisfactory evidence that Respondent has violated any provision of law, Commission rule or order, the Commission will direct the parties to file alternating briefs.

### THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. Complainant, Charles A. Harter, shall file his initially brief no later than August 25, 2010.
2. Responses to the initial brief shall be filed no later than 15 days after Complainant files the initial brief.
3. Complainant shall then file his reply brief no later than 10 days after responses from both Respondent and the Staff of the Commission, whichever is latest.

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<sup>1</sup> Transcript, page 163, lines 3-11.

4. This order shall become effective upon issuance.

**BY THE COMMISSION**

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'S. Reed', is positioned above the printed name.

Steven C. Reed  
Secretary

( S E A L )

Kennard L. Jones, Senior Regulatory  
Law Judge, by delegation of authority  
pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 4th day of August, 2010.