

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of Laclede Gas Company's Tariff to)
Increase Its Annual Revenues for Natural Gas Service)

File No. GR-2010-0171
Tariff No. YG-2010-0376

ORDER CONTINUING LOW INCOME PROGRAM

Issue Date: July 28, 2010

Effective Date: July 28, 2010

The Missouri Public Service Commission is granting the *Motion to Continue Low Income Program Pending Approval of Stipulation and Agreement* ("motion").

Laclede Gas Company ("Laclede") filed the motion on July 28, 2010, seeking an order continuing the operation of Laclede's Low-Income Energy Assistance Program ("program"). The program arises from an earlier action¹ in which the Commission's order² incorporated the parties' settlement.³ In the motion, Laclede states that such order terminates the program on July 29, 2010.

To avoid interruption of service to low-income persons, Laclede asks the Commission to continue the program pending resolution of this action. Laclede represents that it filed the motion on behalf of the Program Review and Evaluation Team. On those representations, the Commission will grant the motion.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The *Motion to Continue Low Income Program Pending Approval of Stipulation and Agreement* is granted.

¹ *In the Matter of Laclede Gas Company's Tariff to Revise Natural Gas Rate Schedules*, File No. GR-2007-0208.

² *Id.*, Order Approving Unanimous Stipulation and Agreement and Authorizing Tariff Filing, issued on July 19, 2010.

³ *Id.*, Unanimous Stipulation and Agreement, filed on July 9, 2007.

2. This order shall become effective immediately upon issuance.

BY THE COMMISSION



Steven C. Reed
Secretary

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Daniel Jordan, Regulatory Law Judge,
by delegation of authority pursuant to
Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 28th day of July 2010.