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

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In the Matter of Liberty Utilities (Midstates Natural Gas) Corp. d/b/a Liberty (MNG), Filing of its Revised Weather Normalization Adjustment Rider Tariff

Filing No. GT-2022-0063 Tariff No. JG-2022-0044

#### STAFF REQUEST FOR EXTENSION

**COMES NOW** the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission and for its *Staff Request for Extension* to file its recommendation no later than September 14, 2021, respectfully states as follows:

1. On August 31, 2021, Liberty Utilities (Midstates Natural Gas) Corp. d/b/a Liberty ("Liberty") filed its Form 13 – P.S.C. MO. No. 2, 7<sup>th</sup> Revised Sheet Nos. 67.2-67.5, with Tariff Tracking No. JG-2022-0044, to revise its Weather Normalization Adjustment Rider. These tariff sheets had an issue date of August 31, 2021, and an effective date of October 1, 2021.

2. The Commission issued an order on September 1, 2021, directing Staff to file a recommendation regarding Liberty's filing in Tariff Tracking No. JG-2022-0044, no later than September 13, 2021.

3. Staff reviewed Liberty's tariff filing and alerted Liberty to purported errors in its filing. On the afternoon of September 10, 2021, Liberty filed substitute tariff sheets in Tariff Tracking No. JG-2022-0044 and noted in its transmittal letter that Staff had raised two issues with Liberty's initial tariff sheet filings and that Liberty had corrected the errors with its substitute filing.

4. Staff is in the process of reviewing Liberty's substitute tariff filings. In order to allow Staff a reasonable amount of time to finish its review and draft and file its

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recommendation, Staff requests the Commission allow Staff to file its recommendation in this matter no later than September 14, 2021.

WHEREFORE Staff respectfully requests that the Commission issue an order granting Staff's request to file its recommendation no later than September 14, 2021; and grant such other and further relief as the Commission finds reasonable under the circumstances.

Respectfully submitted,

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# CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed, hand-delivered, or transmitted by facsimile or electronic mail to counsel of record on this 13<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2021.

### /s/ Jamie S. Myers