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

In the Matter of Laclede Gas Company's	)	
tariffs designed to permit early	)	Case No. GT-2009-0026 Tariff number JG-2009-0033
implementation of Cold Weather Rule	)	
provisions and to permit Laclede to collect	)	
the gas cost portion of its write-off's	)	
through the PGA	)	

## REQUEST FOR ONE DAY EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE LIST OF ISSUES, STATEMENTS OF POSITION, ORDER OF WITNESSES, ORDER OF CROSS-EXAMINATION, ORDER OF OPENING

COMES NOW Laclede Gas Company ("Laclede" or "Company"), and on behalf of itself, the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission ('Staff") and the Office of the Public Counsel ("OPC"), submits this request for a one day extension of time to file the List of Issues, Statements of Position, Order of Witnesses, Order of Cross-Examination, and Order of Opening. In support thereof, Laclede states as follows:

1. Pursuant to the Commission's Order in the above-captioned case, the parties were required to file their proposed List of Issues, Statements of Position, Order of Witnesses, Order of Cross-Examination, and Order of Opening on this date. Although the parties have made substantial progress in completing this pleading, they believe that having one additional day to complete the filing is necessary to properly finalize it and ensure that it provides maximum usefulness to the Commission. The parties would further note that a one day extension will still provide the Commission with two business days and four calendar days to review the pleading before the hearings in this case are scheduled to begin.

2. For these reasons, the parties respectfully request that the Commission grant them until December 3, 2008 to file their proposed List of Issues, Statements of Position, Order of Witnesses, Order of Cross-Examination, and Order of Opening.

**WHEREFORE,** for the foregoing reasons, Laclede, on behalf of all of the parties to this case, requests that the Commission extend until December 3, 2008 the date for filing the proposed List of Issues, Statements of Position, Order of Witnesses, Order of Cross-Examination, and Order of Opening.

Respectfully submitted,

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## **Certificate of Service**

The undersigned certifies that a true and correct copy of the foregoing pleading was served on all parties of record on this 2nd day of December, 2008 by email, facsimile, hand-delivery or by placing a copy of such pleading, postage prepaid, in the United States mail.

/s/ Gerry Lynch