

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

In the Matter of the Application of Missouri)	
Gas Energy, a Division of Southern Union)	
Company, for an Accounting Authority)	Case No. GU-2007-0480
Order Concerning Environmental)	
Compliance Activities)	

NOTICE OF DECLASSIFICATION

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (Staff) and for its Notice, states as follows:

1. The parties in this case, Staff, Public Counsel, and Missouri Gas Energy held a Settlement Conference on July 16, 2008, to determine whether any issues in this case could be settled.
2. As a result of this conference, Missouri Gas Energy agreed that certain materials filed by Staff could be declassified from Highly Confidential (HC) and made open to the public.
3. Staff had filed its Staff Recommendation on September 27, 2007 and its Rebuttal Testimony of Staff witness Paul Harrison on June 18, 2008 in both HC and NP versions.¹
4. Upon further review and discussion of this information, MGE informed the parties that Staff's Recommendation and Mr. Harrison's Rebuttal testimony, with the *exception* of Schedule 2 of Staff's Rebuttal testimony, should no longer be classified HC.
5. *Only* Schedule 2 of Mr. Harrison's Rebuttal should remain classified HC. The Commission may treat as public the remainder of Mr. Harrison's Rebuttal and treat as public Staff's Memorandum contained in its Recommendation.

¹ Staff filed HC versions because, as stated in its September 27, 2007 Recommendation, "Staff's HC version of its Memorandum, and the entire ELA are marked HC in accordance with Commission Rule 4CSR 240-2.135(1) and (2). The portion of Staff's Memorandum that includes references to information from the ELA, and the portion including calculations from information provided on data request responses which were marked HC by the Company, are marked HC." The ELA (Environmental Liability Agreement) had been marked HC by the Company.

WHEREFORE, the Staff submits its Notice informing the Commission it may now treat as declassified the documents described above.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed, hand-delivered, transmitted by facsimile or electronic mail to all counsel of record 18th day of July 2008.

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