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Re: 4 CSR 240-40.030 Safety-Standards - Transportation of Gas by Pipeline

Dear Secretary Ashcroft,

CERTIFICATION OF ADMINISTRATIVE RULE

I do hereby certify that the attached is an accurate and complete copy of the order of rulemaking lawfully submitted by the Missouri Public Service Commission.

Statutory Authority: sections 386.250, 386.310, and 393.140, RSMo

If there are any questions regarding the content of this final order of rulemaking, please contact:

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Enclosures

Title 4 – DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT Division 240 – Public Service Commission Chapter 40 – Gas Utilities and Gas Safety Standards

ORDER OF RULEMAKING

By the authority vested in the Public Service Commission under sections 386.250, 386.310, and 393.140, RSMo 2000, the commission amends a rule as follows:

4 CSR 240-40.030 Safety Standards - Transportation of Gas by Pipeline is amended.

A notice of proposed rulemaking containing the text of the proposed amendment was published in the *Missouri Register* on December 15, 2016 (41 MoReg 1898). No changes have been made in the text of the proposed rule so it is not reprinted here. This proposed amendment becomes effective thirty (30) days after publication in the *Code of State Regulations*.

SUMMARY OF COMMENTS: The public comment period ended January 17, 2017, and the Commission held a public hearing on the proposed amendment on January 20, 2017. The Commission received timely written comments from the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission. At the hearing, Hampton Williams, representing the Commission's Staff, made a minor correction to the Staff comments.

COMMENT: The Commission's Staff offered a written comment indicating that it continues to support the amendment as proposed.

RESPONSE: The Commission thanks Staff for its comment.

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