BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

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In the Matter of the Application of Missouri Gas Energy, a Division of Laclede Gas Company, for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity Authorizing It to Construct, Install, Own, Operate, Control, Manage and Maintain a Natural Gas Distribution System to Provide Gas Service in Lawrence County, Missouri, as an Expansion of Its Existing Certified Area

File No. GA-2014-0232

ORDER GRANTING LEAVE TO AMEND STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Issue Date: April 4, 2014

Effective Date: April 4, 2014

On February 19, 2014, Missouri Gas Energy ("MGE"), a division of Laclede Gas Company, filed an application requesting that the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission") grant it a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity to expand its service territory into Section 9, Township 26 North, Range 28 West in Lawrence County, Missouri. On March 31, 2014, the Staff of the Commission filed a recommendation to approve the application subject to a condition. On April 3, 2014, Staff filed a motion for leave to amend its application to include an additional condition for approval. Staff represents that MGE does not oppose the additional condition. The Commission finds the motion reasonable and will grant it.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. Staff's *Motion to Amend Staff Recommendation* filed on April 3, 2014, is granted.

2. This order shall become effective immediately upon issuance.



BY THE COMMISSION

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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

Michael Bushmann, Senior Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 4th day of April, 2014.