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BY HAND DELIVERY

Mr. Dale Hardy Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge
Missouri Public Service Commission
Governor Office Building
200 Madison Street
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102


Re: Case No. GX-2004-0090

Dear Mr. Roberts:

Enclosed for filing are an original and seven (7) copies of the Comments of the Missouri Industrial Energy Consumers'

Thank you for your assistance in bringing this filing to the attention of the Commission, and please call me if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,


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In the Matter of a Proposed Rule to Establish)
Procedures for Natural Gas Utilities to) Case No. GX-2004-0090
Establish an Infrastructure System Replacement)
Surcharge)

COMMENTS OF THE MISSOURI INDUSTRIAL ENERGY CONSUMERS

Comes now Aloca, Anhusser-Busch, The Boeing Company, DaimlerChrysler, Ford Motor Company, General Motors, Hussmann Refrigeration, Monsanto Company, Nestlé Purina, Pfizer, Precoat Metals, Procter & Gamble and Solutia, hereafter referred to as the Missouri Industrial Energy Consumers ("MIEC"), and pursuant to the Commission's *Notice of Public Hearing and Notice to Submit Comments*, files its Comments in this case.

The MIEC recommends that the Commission's rules expressly provide the following:

The monthly ISRS shall vary according to customer class and shall be calculated based on customer numbers as determined during the most recent general rate proceeding of the gas corporation so long as the monthly ISRS for each customer class maintains a proportional relationship equivalent to the proportional relationship of the monthly customer charge for each customer class.

Respectfully submitted,

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