**Title 20—DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INSURANCE**

**Division 4240—Public Service Commission**

**Chapter 40—Gas Utilities and Gas Safety Standards**

**ORDER OF RULEMAKING**

By the authority vested in the Public Service Commission under section 386.250, 386.310, and 393.140, RSMo 2016, the commission amends a rule as follows:

20 CSR 4240-40.030 Safety Standards – Transportation of Gas by Pipelineis amended.

A notice of proposed rulemaking containing the proposed rule amendment was published in the *Missouri Register* on September 1, 2022 (47 MoReg 1316-1334). No changes have been made in the text of the proposed amendment, 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 October 1, 2022, and the commission held a public hearing on the proposed rule on October 4, 2022. The commission received timely written comments in support of the amendment from Jamie S. Myers, Deputy Counsel, on behalf of the staff of the commission. The commission received comments at the hearing regarding the amendment from Jamie S. Myers, Deputy Counsel, on behalf of its staff.

COMMENT #1: Staff made comments supporting the amendment of this rule stating that this update adopts amendments to the corresponding federal pipeline safety standards and makes clarifications and editorial changes to the Missouri gas safety rules.

RESPONSE: The commission appreciates its staff’s dedication to keeping the gas safety rules updated. No change was made as a result of this comment.