OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

The Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission,)
Complainant,)
v.) <u>Case No. GC-2006-0378</u>
Missouri Pipeline Company, LLC; Missouri Gas Company, LLC; Omega Pipeline Company, LLC; Mogas Energy, LLC; United Pipeline Systems, Inc.; And Gateway Pipeline Company, LLC.))))
Respondents.)

ORDER DIRECTING NOTICE AND SETTING DATE FOR SUBMISSION OF INTERVENTION REQUESTS

Issue Date: April 4, 2006 Effective Date: April 4, 2006

On March 31, 2006, the Staff of the Public Service Commission filed a complaint against Missouri Pipeline Company, LLC; Missouri Gas Company, LLC; Omega Pipeline Company, LLC; Mogas Energy, LLC; United Pipeline Systems, Inc.; and Gateway Pipeline Company, LLC. Staff's complaint alleges that Missouri Pipeline Company and Missouri Gas Company are overearning and asks the Commission to reduce the authorized Missouri jurisdictional annual revenue requirement of those companies. The complaint also alleges that Omega Pipeline Company, Mogas Energy, United Pipeline Systems and Gateway Pipeline Company are subject to the jurisdiction of the Commission; that the Respondents have violated the Commission's affiliated transaction rule; and that Missouri Gas Company

has charged and collected rates that are not authorized by its tariffs. The Respondents have been ordered to answer Staff's complaint by May 4.

Because this complaint concerns rates paid by the Respondents' customers, the Commission will provide notice of the filing of the complaint to those customers, to the public, and to other potentially interested parties. A date for intervention of proper parties will also be set. The Commission's Data Center shall mail a copy of this notice to the County Commissions of Pike, Lincoln, St. Charles, St. Louis, Jefferson, Franklin, Gasconade, Crawford, Dent, Phelps, and Pulaski Counties. In addition, the Data Center shall mail a copy of this notice to the following customers who ship gas through the pipelines of Missouri Pipeline Company or Missouri Gas Company: Laclede Gas Company; Fidelity Natural Gas Company; AmerenUE; City of Cuba; City of St. Robert; City of Waynesville; Phelps Regional Med.; Royal Canin USA, Inc.; Busy Bee Laundry; City of St. James; Fort Leonard Wood; City of Richland; G-P Gypsum Corporation; Willard Asphalt Plant; Emhart Glass; and VonHoffman Graphics. In addition, the Commission's public information officer shall make notice of this order available to the media serving Pike. Lincoln, St. Charles, St. Louis, Jefferson, Franklin, Gasconade, Crawford, Dent, Phelps, and Pulaski Counties, and to the members of the General Assembly representing those counties.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

- 1. The Missouri Public Service Commission's Data Center is ordered to serve notice as set out herein.
- 2. The Missouri Public Service Commission's information officer is ordered to serve notice as set out herein.

3. Any proper person wishing to intervene in this matter shall file an application to do so no later than May 12, 2006. Such applications shall be filed with:

Secretary Missouri Public Service Commission P.O. Box 360 Jefferson City, Missouri 65102

with a copy served on:

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4. This order shall become effective on April 4, 2006.

BY THE COMMISSION

Colleen M. Dale Secretary

(SEAL)

Morris L. Woodruff, Deputy Chief 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, 2006.