BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of)
Summit Natural Gas of Missouri, Inc.) Case No. GE-2014-0010
For Waiver Concerning Commission Rule)
4 CSR 240-3.235)

JOINT MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

COMES NOW the Staff ("Staff") of the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission") and The Office of the Public Counsel ("Public Counsel"), by and through counsel, and in support of their Joint Motion for Extension of Time in this matter respectfully state:

- 1. On July 9, 2013, Summit Natural Gas of Missouri, Inc. ("Summit") filed an application for a waiver of Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-3.235, which requires any gas utility which submits a general rate increase request¹ to submit a depreciation study, database and property unit catalog.
- 2. On July 18, the Commission ordered that any applications to intervene should be filed no later than August 9. No such applications were filed in this matter. The Commission also ordered Staff and Public Counsel to file responses to Summit's application no later than August 13.
- 3. Staff submitted data requests in this matter, and Summit has provided timely responses.
- 4. Staff and Summit intend to discuss the data Summit has provided; however, that discussion is not scheduled to take place until after August 13. Therefore, in order to give the parties time to exchange and review additional

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¹ To date, Summit has not filed its 60-notice of intended case filing pursuant to Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-4.020(2).

information and resolve this matter, Staff and Public Counsel are seeking an extension of time to file their response in this matter no later than Tuesday, August 20, 2013.

5. Staff has discussed this motion with counsel for Summit, and Summit indicated it does not oppose this motion for extension of time.

WHEREFORE, Staff and Public Counsel pray that the Commission will grant them an extension of time, up to and including August 20, 2013, within which to file their recommendations in this matter; and for such other and further relief as is just in the circumstances.

Respectfully submitted,

STAFF OF THE MISSOURI
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served, either electronically or by First Class United States Mail, postage prepaid, on this 13th day of August, 2013, to the parties of record as set out on the official Service List maintained by the Data Center of the Missouri Public Service Commission for this case.

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