

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**  
**OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI**

In the Matter of Aquila, Inc., d/b/a Aquila Networks       )  
- MPS's Purchased Gas Adjustment Factors to be       )  
Reviewed in its 2003-2004 Actual Cost Adjustment.       )     **Case No. GR-2004-0539**

**ORDER DIRECTING FILINGS**

Issue Date: November 23, 2005

Effective Date: November 23, 2005

On November 21, 2005, the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission filed its recommendation regarding Aquila, Inc.'s Actual Cost Adjustment (ACA) review for the 2003-2004 ACA period. According to its pleading, "Staff recommends that the Commission issue [an] . . . order . . . consistent with Staff's recommendations." The Commission will direct Aquila to respond to Staff's recommendations, including its recommendation that a further response be filed by January 6, 2006.

Although the Memorandum attached to Staff's pleading contains a section titled "Recommendations," other recommendations from Staff appear in the Memorandum that do not appear in the "Recommendations" section.<sup>1</sup> Thus, the Commission will direct its Staff to clarify its pleading to clearly identify the items that it is requesting that the Commission include in its order.

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<sup>1</sup> For example, the "Bid Documentation" section recommends that the Commission order further documentation, but that recommendation is not contained in the "Recommendations" section of the Memorandum.

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:**

1. That Aquila, Inc., shall respond to the Staff Recommendation filed on November 21, 2005, no later than December 23, 2005.
2. That the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission shall file a pleading clarifying its Staff Recommendation no later than December 5, 2005.
3. That this order shall become effective on November 23, 2005.

**BY THE COMMISSION**



Colleen M. Dale  
Secretary

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

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 23rd day of November, 2005.